



# NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN ARTISTS, Inc.

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*Our history is our future...be a part of it!*

## **ABSTRACT: The Space Between**

### **A juried online abstract art exhibition**

June 1 – August 3, 2018

**This is an Online Exhibition Only open to ALL NAWA members  
(Current-Regular, Associates, and Students) and also Non-Members**

*What is Abstract Art? It is art that does not attempt to represent external reality, but seeks to achieve its effect using, shapes, forms, colors and textures.*

*“Abstract art may be gestural, geometric, fluid, or figurative (implying things that are not visual such as emotion, sound, or spirituality.” Origins of Abstract Art by Beth Gersh-Nesic.*

**This is an open call juried online exhibition, for all abstract artists. This is ideal for artists doing large artworks – no crating or shipping of large works because it’s ONLINE ONLY.**

#### **AWARDS:**

One award winner will be selected and featured on [www.nawaonlinegallery.org](http://www.nawaonlinegallery.org) with her own page. This page will include bio, artist statement, several images of her work and links to her website. [www.thenawa.org](http://www.thenawa.org) will have links to this exhibition on the home page.

#### **ELIGIBILITY:**

- Exhibition is open to all NAWA members and also non-members (women artists 18+)
  - The theme of this exhibition is abstract art.
  - Graphic violence and/or lewd sexual content prohibited.
- Entry fee for this exhibition is through: [www.showsubmit.com](http://www.showsubmit.com) (you will have to create a new login and password for this new online application company).
- \$40 fee for NAWA members and \$50 fee for non-members for 2 entries. Non-refundable fees are payable by credit card/ PayPal through [www.showsubmit.com](http://www.showsubmit.com) All entries must be paid by the entry deadline.
- You will receive a confirmation from [www.showsubmit.com](http://www.showsubmit.com) for your accepted entry.
- In the event of a sale: **Artist: 70% NAWA: 30%** Artist will have to make arrangements with buyer for all shipping expenses of sold art work. Price of entered work cannot be changed once entry is received.
- Accepted works cannot be substituted and must be available for the duration of the exhibition.
- Invitations, press releases, email blasts to our mailing list, promotional materials and advertising will be handled by the National Association of Women Artists, Inc. (NAWA).

## **CALENDAR**

**May 5, 2018:** Online submission entry deadline. Online entry application submission will close when the deadline is reached. The competition is automatically closed for submissions in the [www.showssubmit.com](http://www.showssubmit.com) program.

**May 11, 2018:** Notification of accepted artists listed on [www.NAWAonlinegallery.org](http://www.NAWAonlinegallery.org), [www.thenawa.org](http://www.thenawa.org) and will be posted on NAWA's Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/theNAWA](http://www.facebook.com/theNAWA)). An eblast will be sent out to NAWA members.

**June 1, 2018:** Exhibition debuts online

### **Note:**

After the exhibition ends on August 3, 2018, the exhibition will be archived online for an extended period of time. After August 3, 2018, artists are free to sell their works through other venues.

**NOTE:** Accepted Artists will be listed on the NAWA Facebook page: ([www.facebook.com/theNAWA](http://www.facebook.com/theNAWA)), on [www.NAWAonlinegallery.org](http://www.NAWAonlinegallery.org) and [www.thenawa.org](http://www.thenawa.org). An eblast will be sent to all members.

- For best results, make sure your image is 1920 pixels @72 DPI on the longest side. Image should be in JPEG format.
- Please do not photograph your work in frames or distracting backgrounds!

### **ENTRY AGREEMENT:**

- The entry application and payment will serve as the entrant's agreement to all conditions (including the Waiver) set forth in this prospectus. Entries will be disqualified for failure to follow these instructions.
- Submitting works of art is no guarantee that the applicant will be accepted into this exhibition.
- NAWA is not responsible for Copyright protection for images submitted to this exhibition. Copyright protection of images is the responsibility of the artist.

## **WAIVER**

I, the undersigned artist, hereby declare my intention to exhibit my artwork as described in my entry form, in the National Association of Women Artists, Inc., Online Exhibition entitled, "Abstract: The Space Between", and to leave said artwork until the specified removal date on the prospectus.

In consideration of the display of my artwork, I hereby declare I am the owner and creator of the original artwork being submitted by me, both as the artwork's physical manifestation and the copyright of artwork. I accept full responsibility for any casualty of any kind while in the National Association of Women Artists, Inc. (NAWA) Online Exhibition. I hereby waive any and all claims against the National Association of Women Artists, Inc. as well as their employees, officers, directors and committee personnel. Nevertheless, for the purpose of this agreement, I agree that the stated value of the artwork shall be One (\$1.00) Dollar, in the event of any loss or damage to the piece of artwork.

I agree to allow an image of my artwork being exhibited to be used without charge for advertising and/or promotion in the furtherance of the Exhibition, and for any purposes including without limitation traditional media, social media, website as well as public relations, prior to and/or after the Exhibition.

My work is available for sale at the price hereinbefore agreed. I agree that if my work is sold during the exhibition, I will pay NAWA a commission of 30% percent, and I will retain 70% percent of the selling price.

Point of release clause: The work on exhibition is considered part of the exhibition from point of delivery (either by hand or by mail) and until actual pick up/shipping after close of exhibition. NAWA retains the right of discretion to decide if artworks do not meet the requirements of our show standards, or contain any inflammatory or offensive materials.

Labels: NAWA is a not-for-profit art organization, will not list anything other than the name of the artists, the title of the work, dimensions, medium and price on the labels.

In the event of a dispute with regard to this Waiver Agreement, we agree that all disputes must be adjudicated in a State Court in the County, City and State of New York (i.e. Manhattan), under the Laws of the State of New York, without regard to choice of Law rules.

Note: The use of the National Association of Women Artists, Inc.'s logo, without prior written permission is prohibited. The use of the registered Trademark Seal and the logo of the National Association of Women Artists, Inc. for any personal or business use on any documents, postcards, invitations, and other promotional materials and communications is a violation of law.

The letters NAWA may be used by regular juried members (i.e., not Associate or Student members), after their names, on all artworks, signifying their membership.

Upon entering this competition, I agree to the policies of this Waiver.