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CALL FOR ENTRIES
Williamsburg Contemporary Art Center
Regional Juried Show
September 18 – November 1, 2024

JUROR: Doug Mock, VWS, SW, is an award-winning watercolor artist and educator from the Northern Neck of Virginia and President of the RAL Art Center in Kilmarnock.

ELIGIBILITY: Virginia Artists and WCAC Member Artists are invited to submit up to three **original** works completed on or after January 1, 2021 and have not been previously shown at WCAC. All media, styles, techniques, and original family-friendly subject matter are eligible. Works conceived from photos must be the artists' own and not infringe on any copyrights. Generative Al works are prohibited. WCAC reserves the right to refuse entry of any work.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: Paintings, photographs, and other 2-dimensional works must be ready for hanging as follows: Canvas works must either be framed or have gallery wrapped finished edges. Paper works must be framed behind clear glass or plexiglass fronts. All frames, mats, glass, and plexiglass must be nick free, clean, and professionally presented. No saw-tooth hangers and/or wet paint accepted. **2-D work should not exceed 45" in width and not more than 80" for Height + Width** including frame.

3-D work should not exceed 48" for width + depth. WCAC reserves the right to refuse entries of works with unusual installation requirements or otherwise judged unsuitable. All accepted artwork must be for sale and remain for the duration of the show.

METHOD OF ENTRY: All entries will be processed through EntryThingy.com, including applications, image files and payment. Go to https://www.entrythingy.com/d=visitwcac.org#show=12031. to access the WCAC Regional Juried Show call. If you have used EntryThingy.com to enter other shows, use your same login email and password to login to access the wCAC Call. If you have NOT used EntryThingy before, click on "Click here to sign up" to create a new login account. There's also a video link on the login page to learn about how EntryThingy works.

You may submit a maximum of three (3) digital images, no larger than 10 mb per image and no less than 1000 kb, in JPEG/JPG format at 300 dpi resolution. The shortest side of the image should be no less than 1500 pixels. Crop to show only the artwork – do not include text, matting, frame, or background. Image files should be named as follows: Last name_First name_entryNo_title.jpeg (or jpg). Examples: Doe_John_1_MorningSunrise.jpeg or Doe-John-1-MorningSunrise.jpg. Please use underscores or hyphens when naming your files. Please do not use spaces, commas, apostrophes, #, or other special characters to name your image files.

APPLICATION & FEES: All applications, image files and fees are due by FRIDAY, JULY 26 at 11:59 pm and must be submitted via EntryThingy.com. The non-refundable fee of \$47.50 for non-members / \$37.50 for members covers application and exhibition expenses. Artists who do not want to use a credit card online may send a check payable to WCAC. If you do choose to pay by check, be sure to mail or deliver it in time to reach WCAC by Tuesday, July 30. Mail checks with your entry number on the check and a printed copy of your entry form to: WCAC Regional Juried Show, P.O. Box 388, Williamsburg, VA 23187-0388 or deliver to 110 Westover Avenue, Williamsburg.

Your images will not be eligible for jurying until your Application and Payment have been received.

NOTIFICATIONS: WCAC will send the Juror's decisions regarding all entries by email on Friday, August 9.

DELIVERY AND PICK-UP OF SELECTED ARTWORK: Deliver selected artwork with identification label/s attached (on back of framed work or to the base of 3-dimensional work) to the art center on Friday, September 6 from *noon* to 4:45 pm, or Saturday, September 7, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 pm. Shipped works must arrive at WCAC no later than Thursday, September 5 — those works must be insured, shipped in reusable containers, and accompanied by return shipping labels including insurance coverage. Ship Artwork to WCAC, 110 Westover Avenue, Williamsburg, VA 23185. Please affix identification labels to the backs of works with tape or other removable method - each piece should also include permanent identification on the back or bottom with artist's name & contact information, and the title of the piece. *Unless you make prior arrangements with WCAC*, works brought at times other than stated above will NOT be accepted. At the end of the show, please pick up your artwork on Friday, November 1, 3:00-4:45 pm or Saturday, November 2, 10:00-Noon. If you are unable to pick up on the designated dates, please ask a friend or family member to do it for you. We do not have the manpower or room to store your works, and doing so also becomes an insurance liability for us.

SALES, PRICING, AND INSURANCE: ALL WORKS MUST BE FOR SALE AND REMAIN ON EXHIBIT DURING THIS SHOW! Please price your work/s at actual current market values - do not inflate pricing to prevent work/s from selling. WCAC retains 40% commission on all sales with 60% paid to artists. WCAC will take every precaution to safeguard your artwork, but you must also provide your own insurance to cover your artwork. If a claim under our insurance becomes necessary, reimbursement will be based on 60% of the actual current market value of your work/s, minus the amount your own insurance covers.

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SELECTED ARTISTS' RESUMES & ARTIST STATEMENTS: Please provide a 1-page resume and brief artist statement for each entry when you deliver your artwork, or preferably send via email as Word attachments to visitWCAC@gmail.com

OPENING RECEPTION & AWARDS: Open to WCAC members, participating artists, and their guests, from 5:30 to 7 pm on Tuesday, **September 17.**

QUESTIONS: Contact Show Coordinators, Apryl Altman, 757-236-3676, apryl-altman@cox.net or Karen Schwartz, 757-879-4328 karenschwartz.art@gmail.com

AWARDS:		
Best in Show	\$500	
Second Place	\$400	
Third Place	\$300	
4 Awards of Merit	\$100 each	

CALENDAR:		
FRIDAY, JULY 26	11:59 pm	Entry and fees due – Submit online to https://www.entrythingy.com/d=visitwcac.org#show=12031
Friday, August 9		Juror's Notifications mailed to Artists
Thursday, September 5		Deadline for Shipped Works to arrive at WCAC
Friday, September 6	noon – 4:45 pm	Deliver artwork to WCAC
Saturday, September 7	10:00 am to 1:00 pm	Deliver artwork to WCAC
Tuesday, September 17	5:30 - 7:00 pm	Reception & Awards for Members, Artists & their Guests
Friday, November 1	3:00 - 5:00 pm	Pick up Artwork
Saturday, November 2	10:00 am to 12:00 pm	Pick up Artwork
Monday, November 4		WCAC will return shipped artwork

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