



BEST OF SHOW 2017 National Exhibition
At Ease, Mary Lynn Sullivan, CPP-D, soft pastel,
7 x 10

PASTELS CHICAGO 2019

Seventh Biennial National Juried Open Exhibition
2019 Prospectus

NOVEMBER 7 - DECEMBER 5, 2019

THE ART CENTER HIGHLAND PARK

1957 North Sheridan Road
Highland Park, Illinois 60035
theartcenterhp.org

2019 CALENDAR

Submissions open **May 1, 2019**
Submissions closed **September 15, 2019**

Jury Notification the week of: **October 1, 2019**

Shipping: To arrive **October 28-November 1, 2019**
Hand-Delivery: **November 5, 2019, 9 am-5 pm**

Reception and Award Ceremony

Friday, November 15, 2019, 5:30-7:30 pm

Pick-up Hand-Deliveries: **December 3, 2019, 9 am-5 pm**

Return of Shipped Work will start
the week of **December 3, 2019**

JUROR OF SELECTIONS

Aline Ordman, PSA-M, IAPS-MC
www.alineordman.com

Aline is a Master Pastelist with the Pastel Society of America, a Signature Member of the American Impressionist Society and a Master Circle Pastelist with the International Association of Pastel Societies (IAPS). Her goal as an artist is to find those times and places where beauty is not only evident, but startling and suddenly present.

JUDGE OF AWARDS

Casey Klahn, PSA, IAPS-MC
www.caseyklahn.com

Casey is a Master Pastelist with the Pastel Society of America and a Master Circle Pastelist with the International Association of Pastel Societies (IAPS). He is an artist and international workshop instructor whose new color expression artworks give you fresh eyes for color. He pushes the limits of pastel technique and brings you surprises in each new work.

ELIGIBILITY

- Open to all U.S. artists, 18 years and older.
- All work must be original, created, and produced by the artist within the last 3 years
- No work created in a class, workshop, or under any other supervision
- Compositions taken from published material will not be considered original.
- Image area must contain at least 80% soft pastel.
- No oil pastels.
- Work previously exhibited in any CPP Exhibition is not eligible.
- All accepted work must remain on exhibit for the duration of the show.
- All work must be for sale.
- Once prices are submitted, they are final.

CPP reserves the right to refuse any painting that does not meet these professional standards. Return of such paintings will occur at the artist's expense.

SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES

Artist may submit up to 3 images. All entries for this exhibition are submitted online through ShowSubmit.com, and may be linked at www.ChicagoPastelPainters.org beginning May 1, 2019.

LIMITATIONS

No size limitation. All work must be professionally framed and ready to be hung. No screw eyes. No sawtooth hangers. Plexiglas strongly recommended for shipped works. Glass at artist's own risk.

SALES

The Art Center Highland Park will receive a 30% donation and CPP will retain a 10% commission on all sales. Artist will receive 60% of sale.

ENTRY FEES

Current members: \$40.00, up to 3 images. Non-members: \$50.00, up to 3 images. No refund of entry fees.

AWARDS

Best of Show - \$1,500. Cash and Merchandise awards will total approximately \$8,000.00. Winners will be announced at the Reception and Award Ceremony.

DELIVERY

Upon acceptance, artists will receive detailed information about hand-delivery, shipping and handling, and exhibition labels. A minimum handling fee of \$40.00 per container will be charged to shipped work.

AGREEMENT OF ENTRY AND LIABILITY

All reasonable care will be taken with paintings and submissions. However, the **Chicago Pastel Painters**, its officers or volunteers, and **The Art Center Highland Park**, its officers or volunteers, will not be responsible for loss or damage. CPP suggests that participants carry separate insurance for loss or damage in transit. CPP reserves the right to reproduce accepted artwork for publicity purposes. All accepted work (no substitutes) must be delivered or shipped as specified in this prospectus. If accepted work is not available for the exhibition or for the entire time of the exhibition, the artist may be prohibited from exhibiting in future CPP shows. Artist will release the **Chicago Pastel Painters** and **The Art Center Highland Park** from any liability by entering this exhibition.

WORKSHOP

In conjunction with the exhibition, Casey Klahn, PSA, IAPS-MC, will conduct a three-day workshop November 15-17, 2019. Visit www.ChicagoPastelPainters.org to sign up.

QUESTIONS - Mike Barret Kolasinski, CCP-M, PSA, IAPS-MC, Exhibition Chair - mbkolasinski@earthlink.net