

Exhibition Space: Call for Proposals

The Region of Ottawa-Carleton has an Exhibition Space in the Heritage Building at the Ottawa-Carleton Centre, 111 Lisgar. The mandate for the space is as follows:

To promote and increase awareness of the visual arts and heritage of the Region of Ottawa-Carleton in the exhibition space at regional headquarters by presenting exhibitions:

- *Representing the Region's Corporate Public Art Collection.*
- *Representative of the art work done by regional artists and arts organizations.*
- *In areas such as but not limited to fine arts, architecture, sculpture, fine arts and crafts, design, as well as new art forms, originating regionally, nationally or even internationally.*

Provision of an educational component within each exhibition will be encouraged.

1. Call for Proposals

Artists, collectives and groups are invited to submit a proposal for an exhibition which meets the policy and guidelines for the space. Shows must complement its use as an open, walk-through space. Those interested in submitting proposals are encouraged to visit the site and to call the Arts Office for a copy of the Exhibition Policy and Procedures. Proposals should include a brief statement, a plan for programming and/or an educational component and support materials. The Exhibition Committee will select shows based on a representation of the proposed works keeping in mind the public nature of the space. All attempts will be made to show work that is current and reflective of the community and the times.

2. Call for nominations to sit on the Exhibition Committee

The Committee will work with the Region's Arts Office to review and select up to seven exhibitions for the year. Visual artists and interested members of the public are invited to apply stating their interest and experience.

3. Nominations for a name of the Exhibition Space

The name should have some historical significance and be meaningful to the public.

DEADLINE: 16 July 1999, 4:00 P.M.

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