

June 27, 2008

MEMORANDUM

TO: GULF COAST MUSEUM OF ART INSTRUCTORS AND STUDENTS

FROM: MICHELLE TURMAN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
CAROLYN KLOVA, CURATOR OF EDUCATION

SUBJECT: **STUDIOWORKS 2008**
A JURIED EXHIBITION FOR MUSEUM INSTRUCTORS AND STUDENTS
August 9, 2008 – September 28, 2008

Following is the prospectus for *Studioworks 2008*, the annual juried exhibition for students and instructors at the Gulf Coast Museum of Art. There will be \$1400 in awards available in this year's competition. It is our hope that every student and instructor who has offered, taught, taken or registered for a class or workshop since September 2007 will enter.

We have engaged Carolyn Kossar, Tampa artist and art gallery director of fine arts from Hillsborough Community College, as our juror. Carolyn has many years of experience as a working artist as well as an educator involved in college and university fine arts classes.

While beginning artists might be intimidated by juried exhibitions, they are a worthwhile experience and an important part of the process of creative development. Each and every student and instructor is encouraged to enter.

Please read the attached prospectus for detailed guidelines regarding entries into this exhibition. This mailing also includes a **registration form** with **two labels** that need to be submitted with your entries. Eligible artists may enter no more than **two** artworks, and please note that submission of work is not a guarantee of selection by the juror.

Call Carolyn Klova at 727-518-6833 X 204 or e-mail cklova@gulfcoastmuseum.org if you have questions or special needs.

GULF COAST MUSEUM OF ART

STUDIOWORKS 2008 PROSPECTUS

Description: A juried exhibition organized to present the best of the high quality artwork created since September 2007 by instructors and students of the Museum's Studio Teaching Program.

Guidelines: Open to artists who have offered, taught, taken or registered for a class or workshop held at the Gulf Coast Museum of Art between **September 2007 and May 31, 2008.**

It is preferred but not essential that artworks entered shall have been created during classes taken at the Museum.

Artworks entered must have been created since June 2007.

Each eligible artist may enter no more than two (2) works.

Artwork must be submitted ready to hang--that is, matted and framed or otherwise ready for display in a museum-quality presentation.

Juror: Carolyn Kossar, successful Tampa artist and gallery director of fine arts at Hillsborough Community College.

Awards:

	<u>Faculty</u>	<u>Student</u>
Award of Excellence	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Family Membership• Complimentary Tickets to 2008-09 Humanities Lecture Series	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Family Membership• Complimentary Tickets to 2008-09 Humanities Lecture Series
Award of Distinction	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Individual Membership• Complimentary Tickets to 2008-09 Humanities Lecture Series	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Student Membership• Complimentary Tickets to 2008-09 Humanities Lecture Series
Award of Merit	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Individual Membership	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Student Membership

EXHIBITION CALENDAR

Monday, July 21 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	Artists deliver works to the administration offices
Tuesday, July 22	Jurying of artwork
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, July 23-24-25 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	Artists pick up work not selected for exhibition
August 5 - 7	Installation in Gallery I
Friday, August 8 7-9 p.m.	Opening Reception
Sunday, September 28	Exhibition Closes
Tuesday, September 30 10 a.m.- 2 p.m.	Artists pick up work in the Museum Gallery lobby