

ONGOING CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS – OUTDOOR SCULPTURE

Oeno Gallery's Sculpture Garden at Huff Estates

Oeno Gallery's Sculpture Garden at Huff Estates opened on June 25, 2011 as a place dedicated to the exhibition of high-quality outdoor sculpture. The 4-acre garden is a prized feature of the property and receives thousands of visitors yearly.

The gallery invites artists to submit proposals for the garden's continuing outdoor exhibition. The property offers a wide variety of sites for placement. Areas to consider include the sculpture garden proper, the outdoor area by the winery, the zone immediately surrounding the gallery, and the pond (limestone quarry). Please see the video link at the bottom to get a better sense of the outdoor space. Proposals will be reviewed and selected by the gallery.

The artist is responsible for the transportation, installation, and removal of their work. Sculptures must be able to withstand extreme year-round weather conditions and tolerate strong winds. Sculptures must be original, durable, and safe for viewing by the public in an unsupervised natural area. The work must also be available for sale.

Interested artists are asked to submit proposals to Dana Charles:

dcharles@oenogallery.com

Proposals must include:

- 1. Contact information: Name, Address, Phone Number, E-mail, Website**
- 2. General artist statement/bio**
- 3. CV**
- 4. Artwork statement for the proposed work(s) – Include Title, Year, Medium and Size** and describe how this work will relate to/expand on current themes in your work
- 5. High-res images of the sculpture(s)** (300 dpi, 1500 pixels wide), **sketches and support images**. Clearly title the .jpgs with the title of the piece or a short description of what the image is
- 6. Other examples of existing work**
- 7. Photo of artist**
- 8. Description of the project and plan for installation.** Please consider all aspects of transporting the work to the garden site in Prince Edward County, ON and installing the piece in the garden. An on-site forklift is available upon prior request. ****The Gallery will not accept the work if the artist cannot transport and install the sculpture(s)****
- 9. Estimated retail price of the work**

Deadline:

If you would like your work to be considered for the 2018 Outdoor Sculpture Exhibition, please submit by Jan 24th, 2018. Accepted works will be installed in the spring of each year (usually early May). However, the Gallery may consider installing works outside

this timeframe, depending on weather (i.e. as long as the ground is not frozen). Accepted sculptures must be on display for one year. The Gallery may ask to extend the display for a longer period of time.

Please read the “Oeno Gallery Sculpture Garden FAQ” document and view the “Sculpture Garden Map” on our website before submitting your proposal.

Thank you!

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About Oeno Gallery

Oeno Gallery is a commercial art gallery specializing in contemporary fine art. The gallery is located in Prince Edward County – 2 hours east of Toronto and 1 hour west of Kingston. The gallery and 4-acre sculpture garden are situated on Huff Estates Winery – voted as one of the top 20 wineries in Canada. The property also has an Inn, a seasonal patio restaurant, and is host to many events and concerts.

Recently named Best Contemporary Retail Gallery destination in Ontario by a prestigious tourist association, the gallery is one of the most popular stops on Prince Edward County’s Wine, Taste, and Arts Trails. More than 30,000 visitors come to the site throughout the year.

The gallery has actively pursued relationships with landscape architects, designers and clients who are interested in outdoor sculpture. Previously sold sculptures have ranged in price from \$2,000 to \$100,000 (CDN).

For more information about the gallery, please visit:

www.oenogallery.com

To get a sense of the outdoor sculpture garden, watch our video at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HxxbVHcfKJw>