



Noyes Museum Artist Membership Application

Application Deadline is April 1, 2017 for Fall Signature and Associate Member Exhibitions
Applications are reviewed by committee once annually, in April

What is The Noyes Museum of Art? Opened in 1983, the Noyes Museum of Art was the vision of entrepreneurs Fred and Ethel Noyes. An avid collector and an academically-trained artist, Fred Noyes expressed his love of South Jersey's natural features in his artwork. The Museum's permanent collection contains many of the Noyes' personal collections including American fine and folk art, vintage bird decoys, paintings and sculptures.

Today, the Noyes Museum of Art of Stockton University maintains our founders' dedication to preserving, interpreting and exhibiting the art and cultural heritage of southern New Jersey. As the only fine and contemporary art museum in southern New Jersey, the Noyes is devoted to research, education, documentation and presentation of artistic expressions. Activities include exhibitions, demonstrations, community events and educational workshops. The programs are designed to impart an appreciation for the vital relationship between the arts and the community.

What is the Artists Membership Program? The Noyes Museum has established an artist membership program for regional artists. The Signature Artist Membership is for professional artists, while the Associate Artist Membership is for emerging artists. Exhibition opportunities at the Noyes Museum's locations in Atlantic City, Hammonton and/or at Seaview Resort in Galloway, participation in programs and events, and access to artist resources are some of the benefits of acceptance in this program.

Signature Artist Membership: The Signature Artist Membership is a highly competitive membership awarded to an established professional artist in any medium whose original work exemplifies the highest caliber of artistic standards, who has previously exhibited in museums and/or galleries, and/or teaches in his or her respective medium.

Membership Fee: \$50 Annually

Signature Artist Membership benefits:

- Invitation to participate in annual Signature Artist Group Exhibition
- Reduced commission rate of 30%
- Opportunity to exhibit artwork in satellite facilities
- Two images on Noyes Museum of Art website - with link to your website, if applicable
- Discounts on classes/workshops
- 10% discount on Museum shop purchases
- Free admission to the Museum
- Subscription to *Noyes News*, the Museum's monthly electronic newsletter

Associate Artist Membership: The Associate Artist Membership is a competitive membership awarded to an emerging artist whose goal is to improve and grow his/her artistic talent. The Noyes Museum of Art strongly believes in representing the emerging artist and will assist in his or her development through this membership program. **Membership Fee: \$40 Annually**

- Associate Artist Membership benefits:
- Invitation to participate in annual Associate Artist Group Exhibition
- Discount on classes/workshops
- 10% discount on gift shop purchases
- Free admission to the Museum
- Subscription to *Noyes News*, the Museum's monthly electronic newsletter
- Commission Rate of 40%

What is the Review Process?

Applications are reviewed yearly by the Noyes Exhibition Committee comprised of:

- Noyes Museum Curatorial Staff
- An artist from the southern New Jersey community
- A representative from The Noyes Museum of Art Board of Trustees selected for his/her knowledge of the visual arts

What are the criteria for application?

The Noyes Museum of Art is looking for high-quality work in diverse media with an original and personal viewpoint. The application must be filled out in its entirety. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Provide the following general information:

- Artist Statement
- Artist Biography
- Desired membership level
- Complete contact information including county of residence, email, and website if applicable

2. Visual material: Supply 20 digital images of work, which have been created in the last two years

- Digital images must include description sheet with artist name, medium, dimensions, title of artwork, and year created
- Supporting material: catalogues and printed photographs are accepted ONLY as support material.
- CD with images and text (must be digital - no slides or printed photographs)
- A price list for the pieces

3. List Museum/Gallery Representation:

Provide list of gallery and museum representation. Please include dates and sample press from the exhibition.

4. Provide a complete folder with numbered pages. Do not staple any pages. Handwritten proposals are not accepted.

5. Provide a one-time processing fee of \$10.00 check or money order payable to:

The Noyes Museum of Art of Stockton University

Checks are non-refundable. Visa, MasterCard, Discover and Amex may be processed by calling 609-652-8848

6. Please mail to:

**The Noyes Museum of Art
Artist Application
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Hammonton, NJ 08037**

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