

**The 68th Annual Dalhousie University and the University of King's College  
Student, Staff, Faculty, and Alumni Exhibition**

## **CALL FOR ENTRIES**

The Dalhousie Art Gallery is pleased to announce a **Call for Entries** for the 68th Annual Student, Staff, Faculty, and Alumni (SSFA) Exhibition. Celebrating the diverse creative talents of the Dalhousie community, the Gallery encourages submissions of original artwork in various media and regardless of experience or education in the art field. Accepted formats include: 2D and 3D artworks such as painting, photography, printmaking, collage, textiles/fibre, sculpture, installation, drawing, bookworks, video, and more. This year's showing will be extended from its usual one month duration to the end of the spring semester in April 2023. This showcase will also feature a curated display from the Permanent Collection selected by Gallery staff so that visitors can get to know something about the people “behind the scenes” through their artistic choices.

This exhibition is a unique opportunity to share your passion for the arts, foster creativity, and acknowledge that the arts continue to be an important part of the University's communities.

### **Key Dates:**

Exhibition Dates: January 27 - April 16, 2023

Opening Reception: **Thursday, January 26th, 2023, 5:00 – 7:00 pm**

Artwork Delivery Dates: Thursday, December 15, 12:00-7:00pm

Friday, December 16, 12:00-7:00pm

Saturday, December 17, 12:00-5:00pm

Sunday, January 8, 12:00-5:00pm

Monday, January 9, 12:00-7:00pm

Tuesday, January 10, 12:00-7:00pm

Artwork Pick-Up Dates: April 18-22, during Gallery hours 11:00am – 5:00pm

### **Social Media**

We encourage artists to share posts on their social media and websites. Tag us so we can share! We will be using the hashtag [#SSFA2023](#) and we encourage you to use it too!

Follow us on Facebook([@dalhousieartgallery](#)) and Instagram ([@dalhousie\\_art\\_gallery](#))

### **For questions or info email:**

[gallery@dal.ca](mailto:gallery@dal.ca)

subject line: SSFA 2023

The application form can be found here [link to other page] on our website. Please drop them off with your artworks!

Thank you in advance for your participation!



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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check one of the following:

- Student (Program: \_\_\_\_\_)
Staff (Department: \_\_\_\_\_)
Faculty (Department: \_\_\_\_\_)
Alumni (Class of: \_\_\_\_\_ Program: \_\_\_\_\_)

Important: Please also indicate if you are a retired Staff or Faculty member. Artworks that have been exhibited in a previous SSFA exhibition will not be accepted.

Please print clearly.

1. Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Medium: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Medium: \_\_\_\_\_

The above information will be included on wall labels located next to each work. Applications will not be accepted without this information.

Please read the submission guidelines:

- 1. All artwork must be accompanied by a completed entry form. Submissions are to be made in person to the Dalhousie Art Gallery during the following times: Thursday, December 15, 12:00-7:00pm Friday, December 16, 12:00-7:00pm Saturday, December 17, 12:00-5:00pm Sunday, January 8, 12:00-5:00pm Monday, January 9, 12:00-7:00pm Tuesday, January 10, 12:00-7:00pm
2. Your name must be securely attached to each work.
3. A maximum of two items may be entered. However, should display space become limited, the Gallery reserves the right not to exhibit all work submitted. Artworks that have been exhibited in a previous SSFA exhibition will not be accepted.
4. All works must be original. Photomechanical reproductions or photocopies of works originally conceived and executed in another medium are not acceptable unless part of a completely new work (eg. collage).

5. **All wall works must be ready to hang.** This means each work must be mounted and/or framed with hanging wire and screw eyes, or other appropriate hanging means. Submissions that do not meet this requirement will not be accepted.
6. **Video entries** should be submitted in MP4 format and transferred to a travel drive. Please contact the Gallery in advance of submitting video work. [art.gallery@dal.ca](mailto:art.gallery@dal.ca)
7. Artists submitting **installation artwork** must provide their own hanging devices and installation notes.
8. Accepted works must **remain on exhibit for the duration of the exhibition dates.**
9. **The Gallery is not responsible for any damage or loss.** Every possible precaution will be taken to secure works but there will be no insurance coverage for this exhibition. Jewellery and small objects can be exhibited in secure cases.
10. Students who are enrolled in a full-time program at an institution other than Dalhousie and the University of King's College will not be eligible to make submissions.
11. All entries are to be picked up between **April 18 and 22** during regular Gallery hours. If you are unable to pick up your artwork during these times, please contact Gallery staff to make other arrangements. **The Dalhousie Art Gallery is not responsible for artwork left unclaimed beyond 1 May, 2023.**

I agree to comply with the above guidelines. Initial here: \_\_\_\_\_



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**Artwork Pick-up Receipt**

Have you read the guidelines attached to this form? Initial here: \_\_\_\_\_

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

1. Title: \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_

2. Title: \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_

Please retain this receipt and bring it with you when you pick up your artwork. All entries are to be picked up between **April 18 and 22** during regular Gallery hours. If you are unable to pick up your artwork during these times, please contact Gallery staff to make other arrangements. **The Dalhousie Art Gallery is not responsible for artwork left unclaimed beyond 1 May, 2023.**

Dalhousie Art Gallery  
6101 University Avenue (Dalhousie Arts Centre)  
902.494.2403  
gallery@dal.ca

Opening Hours  
Tues-Fri: 11AM - 5PM  
Sat-Sun: noon - 5PM