ABOUT THE PROGRAM:

The Office of the Governor in partnership with Georgia Council for the Arts is pleased to announce the next call of Governor Kemp’s Administration for The Art of Georgia IV: Landscapes. Since 2012 Art of Georgia exhibits have displayed 376 works of art by 261 Georgia artists in the Office of the Governor at the State Capitol. The program has been expanded to include The Governor’s Mansion.

The Art of Georgia IV: Landscapes seeks to capture the diversity and uniqueness of communities and natural terrain throughout Georgia as seen, explored, and depicted through the artist’s eye. Two-dimensional visual art, in a variety of media, exploring the theme of landscapes will be considered. The exhibits, which will showcase current work of contemporary Georgia visual artists, will hang in the executive offices of the State Capitol and the Ballroom of the Governor’s Mansion. Artwork from all regions of the state will be selected and displayed for approximately one year. This is not a professional, juried competition. Pieces will be selected by Georgia Council for the Arts and the Office of the Governor. All decisions are final.

ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES:

Work is being sought from contemporary Georgia artists, ages 18 and up, currently residing in Georgia. Entries must explore the theme of the rich diversity and uniqueness of Georgia’s landscapes, vistas and ecology. Painting, drawing, photography, printmaking, and mixed media are all eligible. Three dimensional work, film and video are not being considered at this time.

Work being submitted for consideration must be 8x10 or larger. Smaller work will not be considered at this time.

Previously, work from a single region of the state was considered for each round. For this round, however, GCA is accepting work from artists in all regions of the state.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

• No more than two entries per artist
• All entries must be emailed by the deadline to gaarts@gaarts.org with “The Art of Georgia IV” as the subject line
• Images must be submitted as a jpeg attachment and cannot exceed 72 dpi
• Each attached image must be titled with the artist’s name followed by the name of the piece.
• The body of the email must include the following information
  • Artist’s Name
  • Artist’s County of Residence
  (NOTE: You must live in Georgia)
  • Mailing Address
  • Phone Number
  • Email Address
• For each entered artwork include: title, medium, dimensions and a brief description of the scene depicted.

DEADLINE:

Artists from ALL regions of the state may submit work. The deadline to submit work for consideration is March 31, 2023 at 5:00 PM.

TIMELINE:

March 31                    Deadline to submit work for consideration
April 28                   Artists will be notified
May TBA                    A date for a photoshoot with Governor Kemp will be announced, at which time artists will drop off their work at the Capitol.