

CALL FOR TATTOO ARTISTS | 2024

OVERVIEW

The Salem Art Association (SAA) seeks Salem area (address in City limits) tattoo artists to participate in an exhibition in the Focus Gallery at the Bush Barn Art Center in May | June 2024. This exhibition presents tattoo artists working in Salem, Oregon, using a digital format of presentation.

Please submit five (5) digital images that are representative of your work as a tattoo artist and/or as an artist, and a paragraph describing your work. Please email to Kathleen@SalemArt.org

This focus of this exhibition is to show tattoo art within the context of a gallery, and to present tattoo as an art medium. Tattoo artists often work with other media, and are exceptional artists. SAA would like to invite tattoo artists to share who they are as an artist with our community, and for our community to learn more about tattoo art.

SAA welcomes all artists in Salem, Oregon to participate. Artists who identify as immigrants, refugees, disabled, LGBTQ+, people of color, veterans and/or rural artists are strongly encouraged.

TIMELINE

- **Submit five images (5) any time before Sunday, April 21, 2024** (see submission details below). Please put "tattoo submission" in heading.
- **May 3 – June 23, 2024:** Exhibition Dates
- **May 3 | 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.:** Reception

ELIGIBILITY

- No entry fee. This call is open to all tattoo artists working in Salem, Oregon.
- Entries must derive from original art works completed within the past two years.

HOW TO SUBMIT

- Submit via email (5) images and description no later than April 21 to be included in the exhibition.
- Please include the following with your submission:
 - Name
 - Artwork titles as appropriate
 - Date created
 - Name and location of your shop (must be located within City of Salem)
 - Social media links
- Feel free to include additional information about yourself such as your artist statement, other art mediums, or any supporting materials you would like to contribute.

SUBMISSIONS/QUESTIONS

Please send any questions to Kathleen Dinges Rice

Artists Resources and Outreach Director, at Kathleen@SalemArt.org

Emailed submission should be sent to:
Kathleen@SalemArt.org

