

ELK GROVE FINE ARTS CENTER

ABSTRACTLY SPEAKING - 2022

CALL TO ARTISTS!

Reception- JANUARY 1 - Show continues through January 26

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:

- ❖ All artwork must be original fine art quality conceived and created solely by the entering artist.
- ❖ Artwork previously accepted into any EGFAC Competitions will not be accepted.
- ❖ EGFAC has the right to reject artwork that does not look like the digital image.
- ❖ All artwork must be framed and ready to hang, and **no larger than 40"X40" including the frame.** Unframed oils/acrylics accepted only if the painting extends around edges. Artists are responsible for all shipping costs. Including the return shipping paid shipping label.
- ❖ All art must be for sale.
- ❖ **The Elk Grove Fine Arts Center will handle all sales from the exhibition and retain a 40% commission from all sales.**

SHOW DESCRIPTION - ABSTRACTLY SPEAKING Abstractly speaking, Abstract Art can touch the emotions in a fresh, raw and powerfully direct way. Art that does not attempt to represent external reality, but seeks to achieve its effect using shapes, forms, colors, and textures.

JUDGE – AMY VIDRA received her BFA from The Cleveland Institute of Art in Photography but always had a passion for painting. The photographic frame has influenced her abstract compositions and attention to details. She is an award-winning abstract painter whose work has been shown in juried exhibitions throughout the country and internationally in Canada. Her work is in several private collections across the United States and in France. She pairs bold saturated colors with soft transparency to create a rich narrative. You can see her work in upcoming exhibitions across the country or go to her website, amyvidra.com.

CATEGORIES - all mediums are accepted.

AWARDS - RIBBONS AND MONETARY AWARDS:

Best of Show- \$100; 1st Place - \$75; 2nd Place - \$50; People's Choice – ribbon

ENTRY FEE - \$15 member fee/ or \$20 non-member fee per entry per piece (non-refundable) – limit 3 entries per artist. To enter go to www.elkgrovefineartscenter.org and click on call to artists. Pay fee and then attach images.

IMPORTANT DATES

Exhibition Date – January 1 – January 26

Application Deadline – Dec 13

Acceptance Notification – Dec 19 via email

Receiving/Delivery of Accepted works at EGFAC – **December 22 and December 23rd**, 9683 Elk Grove-Florin Road, Elk Grove, CA 95624

Artist Reception – January 1st 4-7pm

Award Winners Announced – Reception night, January 1 at 5:30pm

Pick Up Art Works – January 27 and January 28, 11am – 4pm

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