



# CALL TO ARTISTS

## 2010 6<sup>th</sup> Annual 12Buy12 Juried Art Show

By Austin Art Space Gallery & Studios  
Juror: Carl McQueary

What can you create in a 12" x 12" contained format? What we have learned over the past five years is an astounding array of imaginative and original art. It is hard to believe that we have hosted this fun event for six years - Wow! This show originated at our previous location ~ Artspoken.

This show has grown to include international entries, but we have stayed true to our founding vision: the best and the brightest and most fun art for the holiday season. To be eligible for judging, the art must be 12" x 12". Period. Not 11", not 13", but 12" x 12". That is it. If you have 3D entries, two of the three dimensions must be 12", the third dimension can be no more than 12", but it may be less.

We are thrilled to announce our juror this year is Carl McQueary. Carl is a knowledgeable collector, art scholar and life-long Texas historian. Recognizing the importance of Texas Modern Art, he curates exhibits at the Austin Museum of Art, Laguna Gloria and others; expanding the knowledge, appreciation, and promotion of artists from early Texas Modernists to today's artists. He is also a writer and author of "Dining at the Governor's Mansion."

The popularity of the 12" x 12" format has led to many other 12" x 12" shows around town; which is great for artists. Here is what to know about the Austin Art Space show:

1. A respected impartial judge, Carl McQueary, juries it. All work is not automatically accepted.
2. There is no set price limit on the art. That is your business, not ours.
3. We do not take commission. Really. When a piece sells, the artist keeps 100% of the sale price.
4. The show is solely about the art and the artists.
5. For those artists accepted in the show - we notify local newspapers from your hometowns. We like to promote your success!

Please join us for our biggest show of the year! You can also view last year's opening party on our web site [www.AustinArtSpace.com](http://www.AustinArtSpace.com).

### Exhibit Dates

Chosen art will be on display in the Austin Art Space Gallery from  
November 16- December 18, 2010

### Opening Reception

Hosted by the Austin Art Space Gallery & Studios  
Saturday, November 20, 2010, 5:00-9:00pm

### Important Dates:

Entry Deadline Wednesday, October 20, 2010

Notification of Acceptance or Decline by Wednesday, October 27, 2010

Art drop off or delivery date Friday and Saturday, November 12 – 13, 2010

Show Dates: November 16 – December 18, 2010

Opening Reception Saturday, November 20, 2010

Pick up work December 20, 1-6 pm. If you cannot pick up at this time, please arrange for someone else to handle the pick up for you.

### Eligibility Requirements:

1. All media, styles and techniques will be considered. This includes but is not limited to: oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel, mixed media, drawing, collage or photography.
2. Both 2D and 3D entries are encouraged.
3. No performance art or video permitted.
4. All entries must be original and not previously accepted into a juried show at Austin Art Space. No giclee or prints, unless photography.
5. All work should be properly prepared for display **with wire to hang** or stands for 3D work. Work submitted without wire or stand will not be displayed.
6. All work should be thoroughly dry and ready to hang when delivered.
7. The juror will choose which images/artwork will be accepted in the show.
8. Austin Art Space reserves the right not to display all work submitted.
9. There is no insurance provided for work placed in the show. Artists should provide their own insurance.
10. All applicants understand that Austin Art Space will not retain any commission on sold work. If possible, prospective buyers will be put in direct contact with the artist to arrange purchase.
11. If artists do not have charge card capabilities, Austin Art Space will provide this service for a 15% fee. (This covers our bank fees). There is no deduction for checks or cash transactions.
12. If artwork is accepted, all works must be labeled on the back with artist name, title, size, medium, and price.

**Submissions:**

1. All 2D and 3D artists can submit up to three entries. Artists must submit digital images (jpg format) to [austinartspacegallery@gmail.com](mailto:austinartspacegallery@gmail.com).
2. Digital images should be labeled with your name and title and medium, and no larger than 1MB each.
3. Include a text file that gives number of entry (#1-3), your name, title, and medium and price if for sale, or NFS.
4. There is a \$30 jury fee (non-refundable) for applying to this show. Checks and PayPal are accepted. Go to this link for PayPal payments:  
<http://austinartspace.com/12Buy12CallForEntries2010.aspx>.
5. After winning acceptance, there will be a \$5 hanging display fee for the first piece and \$10 for two to three pieces, upon delivery of the completed works at or before the drop-off date.
6. Make checks or money order payable to Austin Art Space Gallery & Studios.
7. Completed work(s) must be on a standard 12" x 12" canvas or professional board with gallery wrapped or finished edges. Photography or other medium may be framed to a 12"x12" outside dimension frame. No staples showing.
8. Each artist may submit up to three (3) pieces of art.
9. If selected, we may use your images for publicity and advertising of the juried show. Depending on the quality of your images, you may need to transmit a higher quality jpg for use in the press release and invitations.
10. Mailed or shipped artwork must include return prepaid postage. We will save and repack in original packaging for return.
11. Artwork left for more than 30 days after the close of the show becomes the property of Austin Art Space

Mail entries to:

Austin Art Space Gallery & Studios,

7739 Northcross Drive, Suite Q

Austin, TX 78757

For more information go to [www.AustinArtSpace.com](http://www.AustinArtSpace.com)

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM  
2010 6<sup>th</sup> Annual 12Buy12 Show

Please write legibly:

Artist's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

You will be notified by e-mail.

Entries: title, medium, price or NFS

1. \_\_\_\_\_ (Title)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Medium)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (\$ or NFS)

2. \_\_\_\_\_ (Title)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Medium)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (\$ or NFS)

3. \_\_\_\_\_ (Title)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Medium)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (\$ or NFS)

Details on Sale of Art

\_\_\_\_\_ Please initial if you give Austin Art Space Gallery & Studios permission to collect money on your behalf in connection with the sale of you art. If you have specific requirements, please list them here:

If asked by a prospective buyers, would you allow Austin Art Space to sell your artwork at a reduced price? Yes ..... No..... (Please circle one)

If yes, up to what percentage would you allow? \_\_\_\_\_

If customer wants to pay by credit card – do you authorize the gallery to charge it and then reimburse you less a 15% processing fee? (This covers the bank fees we are charged.)  
Yes No (Please circle one)

I have read and accept the conditions and agreements of the show.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

GOOD LUCK!!

Artist's checklist:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Name printed as you would like it to read
- \_\_\_\_\_ Completed entry form
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$30 check made out to Austin Art Space Gallery & Studios
- \_\_\_\_\_ Up to 3 jpg images (**labeled**)