

**The 41st
Erie Summer Festival of the
Arts**

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PANORAMA

JURIED ART EXHIBIT

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PROSPECTUS

FESTIVAL DATES JUNE 26, 27, 28

**Panorama Juried Art Exhibit
on public display
June 26 through July 15
2009**

at

**Raymond Blasco MD Memorial Library
160 East Front Street, Erie, PA 16507
on Erie's Bayfront**

JUROR

We are pleased to announce our juror for Panorama 2009:

Angelo Ciotti is an Environmental Artist and Professor of Art History. Angelo received a Master of Fine Arts Degree from Villa Schilfanoia Rosary College and the Graduate School of Fine Arts, Florence, Italy in Printmaking and Art History in 1979. His undergraduate work was done at Academia di Belli Arte, Rome, Italy-(Painting/Printmaking) and the School of Museum of Fine Arts in Boston (Graphic Design, Painting). He is a 1996 PA Council of the Arts Fellowship Recipient, and in 1993 Angelo held the status of Visting Professor at the National Academy of Arts and Design: Beijing, China. Currently Angelo resides in Pittsburgh. Angelo's art is one of ethics concerning the relationship of humanity to the earth. Presque Isle in Erie is graced by his work, "The Feather", commissioned by Pennsylvania State Parks and The Erie Art Musuem 1996. As a child growing up in Pennsylvania, Ciotti was fascinated by the contrast of the lush green valleys and the massive dumps of abandoned coal mine refuse. He carried that vision with him as he studied at the Art Institute of Pittsburgh and the Museum School of Fine Arts in Boston, then Rome and Florence. For ten years he traveled and studied in Europe and North Africa seeing how people have placed more spiritual value on the earth. Since 1970 Ciotti has taught at the Art Institute of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Mellon University, focusing on art as an active means for change. In 1972 he began making art installations as functional earth-works to reclaim dead earth. Completing 19, he is now working on environmental installations on Federal Highway 79, and in La Paz, Bolivia. Mr. Ciotti has lectured internationally. His work has been exhibited at the National Museum of Art in Beijing, The Royal College of Art in London, The Ystad museum in Sweden, The Carnegie Museum of Art, and The Mattress Factory as well as in NYC, Houston, Cleveland, Clarion and Somerset in the United States.

M. Brace, M. F. A. 2009

Panorama 2009 Directors and Committee Members:

S. Vince Palermo, Director
Matta D, Co-Director
Dave Stevens, President of ESFA
Silk Deckard, Member
Diane Boone, Member
Betty McCleery, Member
Joan Barlow, Member
Marion Howard, Member
Cathi Zelazny, Member
Barb Hakel, Member
Vicki Allen, Member
Joan Hornaman, Member
Peggy Brace, Member
David Seitizinger, Advisor to the Committee

AWARDS

Approximately \$3,100 in prize money plus additional merchandise awards. *All awards are at the discretion of the juror.* Winners will be notified by phone after jurying is completed.

IMPORTANT NOTICE
PLEASE NOTE THE NEW DIRECTIONS

Please **read all information** regarding the submission and jurying of art works carefully! These conditions will be **STRICTLY** followed.

PANORAMA 2009 is the juried fine arts exhibit of the Erie Area Summer Festival of the Arts. The purpose of the jury is to challenge each of us to go beyond our self-imposed creative boundaries.
The Exhibit will showcase the talents of many fine artists from the tri-state region.
A family friendly Exhibit

CONDITIONS

Submitted work MUST NOT have been previously exhibited in Erie County. If an art work is discovered to have been exhibited earlier, it will be pulled from PANORAMA and all awards, if any, rescinded. Board members, patrons & sponsors are permitted to enter their work to be juried for possible inclusion, but their work(s) will NOT be eligible for any monetary awards. Original works in all media may be entered. Entries can include such areas as paintings, graphics, photography, fiber, silver or gold jewelry, sculpture and media arts. Items such as imports, toile painting, shell crafts or kit jewelry, are not eligible for inclusion.

Two dimensional works are limited to a maximum size of 40"w x 60"h, and must be framed, glass covered where appropriate, wired & ready to hang. (no unframes accepted). Diptychs and triptychs must be fastened together in such a way that they can be hung from one hook. Three dimensional works are limited to a maximum size of 5.5' h x 4.5' w. If necessary, the artist must supply a suitable base for stability.

The Panorama Exhibit Committee reserves the right of entry rejection without comment of any works judged to be not in keeping with the family-oriented nature of the Summer Festival of the Arts.

Jurying will be by **ACTUAL ART WORK**. Each entrant may submit up to four works. The **2 works for \$25.00** Fee must be paid at time of entry and is non-refundable. Each additional work (entry fee) is \$15.00.

* Each work must be marked with the following: **artist's name, title, price & medium.**
* **Entry form & fees MUST accompany the submissions**

* **Non-selected art works MUST BE PICKED UP ON Monday, June 22nd from 9 a.m. to 7p.m. only at Art Works 1505 State Street.**

VOLUNTEERS

Panorama **volunteers are needed to assist with:** initial placement of works for jurying, hanging of exhibit, tours of Panorama, opening night activities, greeting exhibit visitors and help with sales. Please call 866.6816 or 825.2148.

INSURANCE

Although due caution will be taken to guard accepted works & equipment from injury & theft, entries must be exhibited at the artist's risk. **Insurance, if any, must be the artist's responsibility.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE
PLEASE NOTE THE NEW INSTRUCTIONS

* All artworks must be **delivered to the Art Works at 1505 State Street:**

**Tues. June 16th from 10 AM – 7 PM &
Wed. June 17th from 10 AM – 7 PM.**

* **All accepted work must remain on display** at the exhibition site
until Sunday, July 15th.

* **Pick up of exhibited work at the end of PANORAMA will be on Thursday July 16th,
from 9a.m. to 7p.m. ONLY, at the Blasco Library.**

We cannot take responsibility for work not picked up! (It may be disposed of.)

PANORAMA 2009 CALENDAR

1) RECEIVE ENTRIES @ Art Works, 1505 State Street Tues. June 16th from 10 AM to 7 PM & Wed. June 17th from 10 AM to 7 PM.

2) JURYING @ Art Works, Thurs, June 18th and Friday, June 19th

3) PHONE NOTIFICATION of accepted & non-accepted works: Thurs, June 18th and Friday, June 19th, Saturday, June 20th

4) PICK-UP of works not included in PANORAMA 2009: Monday, June 22nd from 9 AM to 7 PM ONLY! At Art Works 1505 State St. *WORKS MUST BE SIGNED-OUT BY ARTIST IN THE PANORAMA JOURNAL!!*****

**5) HANGING THE EXHIBIT at Blasco Library
Friday, June 19th, Saturday, June 20th and Sunday, June 21st, and Monday, June 22nd.**

6) AWARDS NIGHT:

Thurs. June 25st, 6:00 PM at Blasco Library, 2nd Floor Gallery Area, followed by a Reception for Patrons of the Erie Summer Festival of the Arts (7-9 PM). All submitting artists are invited. This private viewing of PANORAMA 2009 closes at 9 PM of the Awards Night.

7) PUBLIC VIEWING:

Fri June 26th through Wed July 15th.

8) PICK UP of exhibited works:

July 16th, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. ONLY. If the artist cannot pickup their work at this time, then they MUST arrange for someone else, WITH A NOTE OF AUTHORIZATION, to pick up their work at this time. *This is not a Festival facility; therefore no one will be responsible for work left behind.*

**Raymond Blasco MD Memorial Library
160 East Front Street
ERIE, PA 16507**

ENTRY FORM (Please PRINT)

NAME _____
ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____
EMAIL _____

ENTRY #1

TITLE _____
MEDIUM _____
PRICE \$ _____ SIZE: _____

ENTRY#2

TITLE _____
MEDIUM _____
PRICE \$ _____ SIZE: _____

ENTRY#3

TITLE _____
MEDIUM _____
PRICE \$ _____ SIZE: _____

ENTRY#4

TITLE _____
MEDIUM _____
PRICE \$ _____ SIZE: _____

PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING:

The undersigned does hereby release, forever discharge and hold harmless, Erie Summer Festival of the Arts and its Volunteers and Directors, Members of the Visual Arts Committee and its supervisors and Blasco Library, and the volunteer staff at Art Works at (1505 State Street) Building from all actions, suits, damages or claims whatsoever arising from any loss or damage to any property of the undersigned while in the possession or supervision of Panorama or its representatives, and hereby considers this application or commitment to show and realize that no refunds will be made for cancellations. The undersigned realizes that entries are not insured by Panorama or the Erie Summer Festival of the Arts.

I hereby certify that my entries are original and have not been previously exhibited in the Erie Area.

Signature _____

IDENTIFICATION LABELS FOR ART WORKS

(Please PRINT & attach a label to the **back upper middle** of each art work.)

Entry #1

Name _____

Title _____ Size _____

Price\$ _____ Medium: _____

A-----R-----M

Entry #2

Name _____

Title _____ Size _____

Price\$ _____ Medium: _____

A-----R-----M

Entry #3

Name _____

Title _____ Size _____

Price\$ _____ Medium: _____

A-----R-----M

Entry #4

Name _____

Title _____ Size _____

Price\$ _____ Medium: _____

A-----R-----M

NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE WILL BE BY PHONE.

THE FESTIVAL RETAINS A 25% COMMISSION ON SALES."NOT FOR SALE" (**NFS**) MUST BE CLEARLY MARKED ON ENTRIES. "POR" IS **NOT** ACCEPTED.

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