

bettertogether
2021 Members Exhibition

bettertogether is the Dayton Society of Artists' 2021 annual members' exhibition. The call for art is open to DSA members in good standing and is open to all mediums, techniques, and styles. Work is encouraged to, but does not have to fit the theme, "better together." All DSA members are guaranteed one piece to be accepted. Ann Kim will be this year's juror and over \$1000 will be awarded in prizes! Please note: this year all submissions will be digitally submitted instead of physically at the gallery. An online exhibition will also be created at daytondsa.org/bettertogether and images will be shared on social media. If additional room for the exhibition is needed, space at Front Street will be utilized.

Submit at daytondsa.org/calls by June 28, 2021.

CALENDAR

Submissions Due: Mon, June 28, 2021, 11:59pm
Notification: By July 6
Art Drop off: Tues, July 13 5pm-8pm and Wed. July 14, 11am-5pm
Exhibition Runs: Fri Aug 6 – Sat. Sept 18
Art Pick up: Tues, Sept 21 5pm-8pm and Wed, Sept 22 11am-5pm

ENTRY FEES

\$10/each piece for up to three pieces. Pay online by card when you submit your work or contact the DSA gallery director at director@daytondsa.org / 937-228-4532 for how to submit with cash or check. Become a member at daytondsa.org/becomeamember

JUROR

Ann B. Kim (past DSA president) is an artist, art educator, and an explorer. She has an MFA in Studio Art from Mills College and a dual BA in Art History and Art Practice from UC Berkeley and is currently an Associate Professor of Fine Arts at Indiana University East in Richmond, IN and where she is also the Chair of the Department of Fine and Performing Arts. Her work - mostly mixed-media work based on her reflections upon culture, time, and history - has been exhibited nationally and internationally throughout the US, Europe, and New Zealand, and she is currently represented by Muse Gallery in Columbus, OH and (not) Sheep Gallery also in Columbus, OH. She is the recipient of numerous awards and grants, including the Murphy & Cadogan Fellowship from the San Francisco Arts Commission, the Sarah Lewis Foundation Painting Scholarship, Indiana University New Frontiers Exploratory Travel Fellowship, Indiana University East Faculty Research Support Fund, Indiana University East Summer Faculty Research Fellowship, and most recently the Montgomery County Arts and Cultures District Artist Opportunities Grant. She is based in Dayton, OH, which is also where her studio practice is based.

REQUIREMENTS

- Image(s) submitted must be clear, focused on the work, and as professionally taken as possible. Acceptable images can be taken by a smartphone.
 - For tips on how to edit your photos using the Snapseed App, visit: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S0g4a1Ge-Ds&t=321s>
 - Contact the gallery director (director@daytondsa.org 937-228-4532) before June 21 to set up an appointment at the gallery to walk you through the photo-taking and application process.
- Artists must be DSA members in good standing.
- 2D Artwork must be no larger than 24" wide (including all framing, etc).

- 3D artwork must fit on a pedestal that has a footprint of 24" x 24" (or smaller) or sit on the floor
- Artwork must be professionally presented. 2D work must be ready to hang with wiring on back. DSA is open to other installation methods, but they must be pre-approved.
- Artwork must have been created in the past 5 years
- Artwork must be labelled with name, title, and e-mail
- Artwork must not have been exhibited before at the DSA or virtually through the DSA
- Artwork may not be picked up before the close of the show
- Accepted work that differs significantly from submitted image or suffers from poor presentation will be disqualified.

LIABILITY & SALES

- The DSA has fine art insurance for work physically inside the gallery. Artists maintain responsibility of insuring work during shipment and travel. Damage caused by the failure of the work itself is not covered. If work has an insurance price of over \$500 then any insurance claim must be accompanied by documentation of past sales and/or a professional 3rd party appraisal. Work shown at Front Street is not covered by the gallery's insurance policy.
- Please note: DSA does not have constant climate control in its galleries.
- DSA takes NO COMMISSION on sales but requires a 4% fee for all credit card sales. Please price work accordingly or as "Not for Sale." Donations are always appreciated and help support future programming.

AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE

Submitting indicates that you agree with the conditions of entry and exhibit as outlined in these guidelines, and that you agree to make your work available and will ship/deliver it to the gallery should it be selected for exhibit. The DSA may use submitted images and artwork in print and/or digital marketing materials.