

Reawakening Prospectus

Reawakening: *An exhibition of regional artists showcasing works of art done during, or inspired by, the pandemic. Although not required, themes focused on social justice and racial equity are relevant and encouraged.*

Golden Belt Grand Gallery 800 Taylor Street, Durham, NC 27701

Exhibitions Dates: July 13 - September 27, 2020

Submission deadline: June 22, 2020

Jury results: June 29, 2020 Hand deliver works: July 11 & 2, 2020, 9am – 1pm

Pick up unsold works: September 27 or 28, 2020, 9am – 5pm

TOPIC: Reawakening- This theme is open to interpretation but the artwork submitted should have been completed during the past three months and should in some way be reflective of your artistic practice during the pandemic, whether that was similar or different from your practice pre-COVID-19.

JUROR: Submissions will be reviewed by a panel of artists from the Golden Belt, other regional art community representatives, and a representative from LRC Properties.

MEDIA: All works in any medium will be reviewed and considered for this exhibition, including, but not limited to, painting, drawing, printmaking, collages, photography, watercolors, 3-dimensional work, sound art, video art, etc. Due to the nature of the space, some media may not be suitable. If you have any questions regarding your specific media, please email us.

ELIGIBILITY: Participation is open to all artists who are at least 18 years old and who reside or spent the past three months quarantined in Durham, Wake, or Orange Counties, in North Carolina.

PRESENTATION: Framed work should be glazed with Plexiglas (glass is not accepted), and ready for hanging. Three-dimensional, and in some cases, unframed two-dimensional works are acceptable. Neutral-colored mats and frames must be of gallery quality. Entries must match the images submitted with

the application. If the matting or framing is deemed unacceptable by the juror or gallery committee, It will be the artist's responsibility to correct the discrepancy before the work will be shown. We have a limited number of sculpture stands available but most 3-D, sound, and video artists will need to provide their own stands, projectors, speakers, etc. The Grand Gallery space has electronic door locks and a central guard station.

FEE: There is no fee to apply for this exhibition. A maximum of 3 works may be submitted. All or none may be chosen for the exhibition. The decision by the jury is final and by submitting your images you agree that the works you submit will be available for the duration of the exhibition. No works may be removed prior to the end of the exhibit, on September 27, 2020.

IMAGES: Submit images in JPEG format only. We will not accept TIF, PDF, PowerPoint, Photoshop files (.PSD/ .PDD), and iPhoto folders. The image files must not exceed 2MB each and should have a maximum image size of 2400 x 3000 pixels and 300 DPI.

Email submissions to: www.gbelt2020reawakening@gmail.com. Name each image as follows: last name, first name, artwork title, price, submission no. (inness_george_peaceandplenty_1500_1.JPEG)

SIZE OF WORKS: There are no size restrictions.

DELIVERY AND RETURN: We are taking COVID-19 seriously and will take every precaution to ensure that everyone remains safe and healthy while we prepare for and hang this show. We ask that you follow CDC guidelines when packing your works of art for delivery, and that you wear a mask and keep 6' from whoever may be receiving your work on the drop off days. Accepted works may be hand-delivered to Golden Belt Artists, C/O James Keul, 800 Taylor Street, Durham, NC 27701. **Hand-delivered works will only be accepted on these dates and times:**

Saturday, June 27, 9AM to 1PM

Sunday, June 28, 9AM to 1PM

There is a quick turnaround here and you will only have ten days from the time you receive notification until the date of the hanging. Please ensure you are able to get your works to us by June 30th!! Any works not picked up on the day specified become the property of Golden Belt Artists (GBA) and shall be disposed of in any way that GBA sees fit. Details regarding hand-delivering works will also be included with your acceptance letter.

LIABILITY: Utmost care will be taken in handling the work at Golden Belt, but neither the Golden Belt Artists, Cushman & Wakefield, Inc, LRC-Cordoba, LLC, nor any other sponsors assume responsibility for loss or damage, however caused, while works are in the exhibition, stored at Golden Belt, or in transit.

SALES: Unless specified "NFS", all works will be offered for sale. If the price is not indicated, the piece will be considered NFS. The artist shall receive 100% of sales. Artists will be required to handle their own sales and contact/purchasing information will be listed next to each piece. Prices quoted on the entry form may not be changed after acceptance into the show. Upon acceptance, you will be required to sign a liability waiver and provide information about your piece as well as an artist statement that discusses how your practice has changed (or not) as a result of the Covid-19 Pandemic. More information will be emailed to artists upon acceptance.

CATALOG: There will be no catalog but the exhibition will be shared via social media and we will work collectively to find interesting, creative ways to virtually expand the audience and connect with the public.