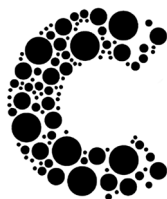


CALL for ARTISTS

CARFAC SASK
Visual Arts



MENTORSHIP
2009-2010

CARFAC SASK operates a mentorship program with the assistance of the Saskatchewan Arts Board. The program pairs qualified and experienced professionals with visual artists wishing to develop professional skills, enhance their art practises and/or change media.

Deadline for Applications: July 15, 2009
Term: September 2009 - June 2010

An information package about the program is available at the CARFAC SASK offices

Call for Artists:

CARFAC SASK is seeking eight evolving artists to participate in the CARFAC SASK mentorship program and work with an experienced mentor who will guide their professional development during the program. Applicants may request a specific mentor or choice of mentors; however, the Mentorship Committee will make the final pairing decisions.

To apply, please submit a letter of application with all of the following:

- Your reasons for wanting to be a participant
- A brief written statement about your specific ambitions or goals as an artist
- A brief outline of current work or specific projects that would benefit from support of the program
- An explanation of how you will take full advantage of participating in the program, devote adequate time to the development of your projects and goals while balancing other commitments
- A résumé describing education, training, exhibitions, and related experience
- Submit a written list of visual material and ten slides, or CD-ROM (ten images, PC formatted) or video or DVD (ten minute segment) properly labelled with name, title, date, media, and dimensions

Note: Artists should not be students. Artists must be Saskatchewan residents.

Remuneration: The mentorship program is offered free of charge to artists who are chosen by the jury. Each artist receives \$300 for materials or other costs. Participants may be eligible for a travel subsidy, if required.

Call for Mentors:

CARFAC SASK is seeking submissions for the mentor positions from professionals whose experience has included:

- Extensive exhibition experience in solo, group and curated shows, or equivalent experience
- Experience with the Saskatchewan Arts Board and Canada Council (writing and receiving grants; jurying)
- Familiarity and knowledge of grant, exhibition and curatorial resources
- Demonstrated ability to communicate and educate through an informal, one to one, adult-based learning experience
- An asset to have familiarity with the following: sales, marketing, commercial galleries and other sales venues, international art and publications markets, small business operations, commissions, mentoring

To apply: Please submit a letter of application along with a comprehensive c.v., visual support materials and image list to CARFAC SASK Regina office. Mentors will be paired with one or two artists. Mentors must be Saskatchewan residents.

Time commitment: 7 hours per month with each artist plus group meetings.

Remuneration: Mentors receive \$2,500 for each artist. Participants may be eligible for a travel subsidy, if required.



"You create, not only your own art, but your own art career. It doesn't come to you; you make it happen."

— Iris Hauser, CARFAC SASK mentor

Please submit all applications to CARFAC SASK, 1734-A Dewdney Avenue, Regina, SK, S4R 1E6
Successful applicants will be notified the week of August 10th.
For inquiries, call Wendy Nelson, Program Co-ordinator, (306) 522-9788 or programs@carfac.sk.ca