



CHESAPEAKE COLLECTIVE CALL FOR ART ENVIRONMENTAL ART EXHIBITION

2022 Chesapeake Watershed Forum

BACKGROUND AND THEME

The Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay is excited to announce its first Chesapeake Collective Call for Art to participate in an environmental art exhibition at the upcoming 17th Annual Chesapeake Watershed Forum held at the National Conservation Training Center in Shepherdstown, West Virginia. Regardless of your experience or education in the art field or environmental field, we welcome all digital entries, including 2D, 3D, digital, and performance art. This is a great opportunity to showcase your art (free of charge) in front of 400+ environmental enthusiasts. **All entries that adhere to the artwork and submission guidelines will be selected for this virtual exhibition. You do not need to be present to participate.**

About the 2022 Chesapeake Watershed Forum

The Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay will hold the 17th Annual Chesapeake Watershed Forum on November 4 - 6, 2022 at the National Conservation Training Center (NCTC) in Shepherdstown, WV. This watershed-wide event reaches over 400 restoration and conservation practitioners annually to inspire and empower local action towards clean water. **The virtual exhibition will be exhibited at the Chesapeake Collective table throughout the event.**

About Chesapeake Collective

Chesapeake Collective is an intentional effort to create a space for a range of diverse voices and narratives to be expressed, shared, and incorporated into the broader conversation about our common vision for a healthy, flourishing, and resilient watershed.

While it certainly does not include all of the multiple voices and stories that make our watershed whole, it does provide a platform and an open invitation to those voices and stories that are often overpowered by the dominant narrative or left out of the conversation around healthy, interdependent watersheds and communities. Chesapeake Collective recognizes and celebrates our watershed-wide diversity as a source of strength and the foundation for the type of social movement it will take to meet our collective restoration goals.



CALL FOR ART GUIDELINES

Artwork Guidelines

- Artwork must be submitted as .jpg, .png, .mov, or .mp3 files.
- If you submit a .jpg or a .png file, the longest side of your image should not exceed 2000 pixels.
- Sound and video recordings should not exceed 5-minutes in length
- File size cannot exceed 1 GB

Submission Guidelines

- The artwork's subject should be inspired by or related to the environment and created in the last 3 years.
- You may submit up to three individual artworks. Please submit one artwork per form submission. Examples of artwork accepted include, but are not limited to: photographs, paintings, drawings, mixed media, images of sculpture or other three-dimensional works, photos of murals, videos of performances, and sound recordings.
- Please note that images will be displayed on a standard monitor (16:9). Artwork will be placed on a black background with the artist information appearing in the bottom, left corner.
- Please ensure you have the right to use or license any image and artwork supplied.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Application open: Monday, September 26, 2022
- Deadline to submit: Tuesday, October 19, 2022
- Exhibition Opening: Friday, November 4, 2022
- Exhibition Closing: Sunday, November 6, 2022

SUBMIT YOUR ARTWORK

Access the submission form here: <https://forms.gle/uScoyLMLKuKrHJar8>

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