

# DOWNEAST

## Outdoor National Juried Sculpture Exhibition Call for Entry

**Digital Entries Due: November 15, 2023**

**Outdoor Exhibition Dates:  
March 2024 – February 2025**

**Opening Reception: Friday, March 1, 2024**

Each artist may submit up to 6 entries. Artists are required to submit 1 entry for a fee of \$15, with the option to submit 5 additional entries at \$5 each. There is a limit of 6 entries per artist.

Payment and registration must be submitted online;  
visit [emergegallery.com/artists/artist-opportunities](http://emergegallery.com/artists/artist-opportunities) for full details.

If you have any questions, please contact Sarah Lazure at [sarah@emergegallery.com](mailto:sarah@emergegallery.com) or call (252) 551-6947.



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# What is...

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The DownEast Outdoor National Juried Sculpture Exhibition is located in Pitt County, North Carolina. The year long outdoor exhibition through Pitt County coincides with a month long indoor exhibition at Emerge Gallery & Art Center in March. Sponsoring locations include East Carolina University, City of Greenville, Town of Farmville, Town of Winterville, Town of Ayden, Wahl-Coates Elementary School of the Arts, and Greenville Museum of Art.

## Meet the Juror

Joni Younkings-Herzog is a sculptor living in Athens, Georgia and a former sculpture professor with a Master of Fine Arts from Indiana University. Younkings-Herzog's work has been featured in exhibitions across the country, including New York, Fort Lauderdale, San Francisco, the "Art Prize" in Grand Rapids, Michigan; internationally in Pabianice, Poland; Cajabamba, Peru, and Sang Arts Village, Ghana.

Her sculptures combine beauty with absurdity often blurring the lines between reality and fantasy. Utilizing many mediums, she lures the viewer in with luscious colors and materials, to contemplate anxious content in proximity.

## Outdoor Entries

Entries due Wednesday, November 15, 2023, digitally via CaFE.

Enter online under the Artist then the Artist Opportunities tab at [emergegallery.com](http://emergegallery.com).

## Prizes

Each placement will be awarded \$1,200.

Additional prizes include:

1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place
\$1,500	\$750	\$500

## Eligibility

This exhibition is open to all artists ages 18 and up. All entries must be submitted digitally. Work should be large scale to fit one of the sculpture pads in various locations. Sculpture pads range from 4' x 5' to 10' in diameter. Artists must be available to install and remove their own work. They may have some help from the entity where the sculpture is placed. All work must remain on exhibit from the end of February 2024 through the end of February 2025. Work must be able to be exhibited outdoors and utilize materials that are exterior grade.

## Drop Off and Pick Up

Installation and removal of accepted work will be coordinated by the exhibiting entities. Aid with installation may be offered by the exhibiting entity. Contracts for a one-year term will be conducted with each entity and the chosen artists for one year from the last week in February 2024 until the last week in February 2025. Artists will work with Holly Garriott, Executive Director, whose contact information is [holly@pittcountyarts.org](mailto:holly@pittcountyarts.org) and (252) 551-6947.

## Insurance

Work will be insured by the presenting entities. Work will be insured only for 70% of sales price and only for the exhibition dates (does not include installation and removal.) Insurance value must be a realistic value and may be questioned. Proof of similar sales will be asked for if necessary. Consent to reproduce for publicity, catalog, or educational purposes is assumed unless specifically reserved in writing. Submission of entry constitutes agreement to all conditions.