Call for Entries

**On Her Shoulders**
A CELEBRATION OF WOMEN

The Priscilla R. Tyson Cultural Arts Center

*presented by*
Creative Women of Color and Guests
Janet George, Curator

Saturday 20 Jan, 2024 – Saturday 24 Feb, 2024
Opening Reception: Saturday, 20 January 2024 from 1:30p – 3:30p

Artists are invited to submit their work for the exhibit, *On Her Shoulders: A Celebration of Women*. Applicants must submit, via email, a completed entry form which is either attached – or – with the entry form information included in the body of the email along with .jpg images of artwork (see image requirements below). In the subject line of the email write the artist’s last name and first initial followed by On Her Shoulders 2024. (Example: George J On Her Shoulders 2024)

All submissions must connect to historical and/or personal experiences that relate to the exhibition title. NOTE: There will be a *Priscilla R. Tyson Best of Show Award* presented as determined by a panel of jurors. Details on submission guidelines and formats are included below.

**Digital Image Guidelines:**

Submit standard JPEG High Resolution images • Title each JPEG with entry number first, followed by artist’s last name, first initial, and title of the work. (Example: 1_George J - Field of Flowers.jpeg) • The CAC reserves the right to photograph and reproduce artwork for the purpose of sale or promotion. All other reproduction rights remain with the artist.

The Priscilla R. Tyson Cultural Arts Center is a public facility owned and operated by the City of Columbus and the Recreation and Parks Department and is a family friendly facility. CAC encourages all forms of artistic expression, however, work that does not support the spirit of its mission, is offensive, derogatory, or not in good taste will not be accepted. CAC reserves the right of final decision.

**All work to be exhibited must be suitable for installation:**

- Watercolors or pastel/pencil works need to be under glass
- Acrylic or oil paintings should be framed, or, if gallery-wrapped, have the sides finished
- D-rings – with wire on the back for 2-dimensional hanging pieces
- Hangers or shelves for *wall mounted* 3-D artworks, sufficient for the weight
- There are a limited number of pedestals and display cases available if needed
- All pieces labeled on back with medium, artist’s name, address, phone number, email and price or value of piece if not for sale (NFS)

Artwork is encouraged to be for sale, with The Priscilla R. Tyson Cultural Arts Center collecting a 30% commission. Please consider that in setting your selling price. The commission is used to provide artist scholarships at the Center.

**Important Dates:**

- Entry Deadline: Thursday, November 8, 2023
- Drop-off Date: Wednesday, January 17, 2024 (9:00am -4:00pm)
- Exhibit Dates: Saturday, January 20, 2024 – Saturday, February 24, 2024
- Opening Reception: Saturday, January 20, 2024 from 1:30p – 3:30p
- Pick-up Date: Monday & Tuesday, 2/26 - 27/2024 (9:00am-4:00pm)

Questions: Contact curator via email janetgeorgeART@gmail.com or voice message 614-273-0741
SUBMISSION ENTRY

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Submit up to three (3) jpg images along with this form by November 30 to janetgeorgeART@gmail.com
Submission Deadline: Thursday, November 8th     Art Drop off: Wednesday, January 17th

Be certain to include any special installation requirements

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