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Open Call to Santa Barbara Printmakers MEMBERS ONLY Juried Exhibition

At VITA Art Center
28 West Main Street
Ventura, CA 93001

Saturday April 5 to Saturday May 3, 2025

Reception: April 5 from 5 - 7pm

Gallery hours: Every Saturday and Sunday during show from 12 - 4pm

REGISTRATION: Now until March 6 at midnight

Open to all members of Santa Barbara Printmakers. Register through the SBP website and send images to Vita by email.

1. [REGISTER HERE](#)

If you have trouble with the direct link, please follow the instructions below.

Go to sbprintmakers.com

- Click on the "EXHIBIT REGISTRATION" page
- Fill out the form for the 2025 Vita Art Center Members Exhibition Registration
- Press the "SUBMIT" button.

The form will then "disappear" leaving only the title "2025 VITA ART CENTER Members Exhibition" and a message confirming your submission.

2. Send images with name and title to info@vitaartcenter.com or name each JPEG file with last name and title.

Image Requirements:

File Format: JPEG

File Dimensions: 1920 pixels or greater on the longest side

File Size: Under 5 MB

ENTRY FEE: None will be charged.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: Each member may submit up to three separate submissions. Each submission may include up to five pieces, but all pieces within a submission must be from the same series or body of work. Each entry must include the artist's name, title, medium, price and dimensions.

The exhibition will be curated by **Director Mary Perez and Creative Director Colin Fraser Gray**, who will also oversee the gallery installation with support from SBP.

SIZE RESTRICTIONS: No Size Restrictions.

MEDIUM: Original, hand-pulled prints (not reproductions) including silkscreen, linocuts, woodcuts, lithographs, etchings, collagraphs, monotypes, photopolymer etchings, and traditional techniques in combination with photochemical or digital printing.

ARTIST'S BOOKS: Original, hand-pulled prints that are bound into books will be displayed as a group in a separate section of the gallery with shelves.

PRESENTATION: The final arbiters of presentation requirements are the presentation reviewers at the ingathering. If you have questions about presentation, please contact mail@sbprintmakers.com

- All work must be presented in a professional manner.
- Unique presentations will be accepted on a case to case basis.
- Delicate presentations are not advised.
- For traditional presentation: Glass/Plexi and mats should be clean and the cut edges of the opening should not be discolored. Mats must be neutral color (white to cream). Frames should not overwhelm the print and in most cases full bleed prints should be floated.
- Work must be wired for hanging on the gallery system. No sawtooth hangers or tab type hangers allowed.

SALES: Vita Art Center will receive a 40% commission on works sold to cover selection and hanging expenses. They cover insurance and week-end staffing costs. Sales are handled by staff. All sold works must remain in the gallery throughout the exhibit.

DELIVERY OF SELECTED ARTWORK: Saturday March 29, 10am - Noon.

If someone other than yourself is bringing your artwork in, please be sure it is carefully wrapped and labeled (artist's name, title, medium, price).

RETRIEVAL OF ARTWORK: Sunday, May 4, Noon - 2pm.

Artwork sold will be picked up by the buyer from Vita Art Center. Vita Art Center does not ship or deliver artwork. Artists must pick up unsold work. If you cannot personally pick up your pieces, please have a trusted proxy retrieve it from the Vita Art Center. Email the name and contact number of that person to mail@sbprintmakers.com.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Exhibition Dates: **April 5 through May 3, 2025**

Registration Deadline: **March 6, Midnight**

Delivery of Artwork: **Saturday, March 29 from 10am - Noon**

Selection Notification: **Wednesday, March 14**

Reception: **Saturday, April 5 from 5 - 7pm**

Closing: **Saturday, May 3 at 4pm**

Retrieval of Artwork: **Sunday May 4 from Noon - 3pm**