



Dear Artists,

The MAC (Merced Arts Center) is now accepting entries for its **19th Annual Dia De Los Muertos Exhibition** to be displayed in the **Merced Arts Center** Main & Mezzanine Galleries from **October 2 – November 10, 2018**.

The purpose of this juried show is to highlight and exhibit the best in Dia De Los Muertos culture and art. The exhibition is open to all artists residing in the Central Valley, California. Work may be in any traditional 2D & 3D media (except photography). Submissions may now be made online to: cperez.adigstudio@gmail.com We are also accepting hard copy submissions.

The Merced Multicultural Arts Center is a modern, 28,000 square-foot facility providing space and support for arts education, training, world-class performances, tours, and five galleries showcasing arts and cultural exhibits of local, regional and national importance. Since its completion in 1996 as a downtown redevelopment anchor, the Merced Multicultural Arts Center has been honored with an American Institute of Architecture award. It was awarded the League of California Cities' 2001 "Helen Putnam Award for Excellence" Grand Prize for Arts and Quality of Life and chosen as one of only four California cities to feature in the televised documentary "2001: Year of the Arts".

A prospectus and entry form are included or attached to this message and also available on our website www.artsmerced.org for download.

Please share this opportunity with fellow artists.

We look forward to seeing your work.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Perez

MAC Curator cperez.adigstudio@gmail.com

Merced Arts Center | 645 W. Main Street | 209-388-1090 | www.artsmerced.org

19TH ANNUAL DIA DE LOS MUERTOS EXHIBIT & CELEBRATION:

2018

INTENTION: To exhibit a selection of the best of the Central Valleys Dia De Los Muertos Art. Merced, CA, is located in the geographic center of the state and home of the newest University of California campus. This is the 19th. Dia De Los Muertos exhibit in a series of annual exhibitions sponsored by the Merced County Arts Council. The exhibition will be held in the Merced Multicultural Art Center, an award-winning 28,000 sq./ft. center with several dedicated exhibition galleries.

JURORS:

Richard Gomez: Professor Of Art, UC Merced,

Oscar

Torres: Artist & Business Owner

Charles A. Perez: Artist, DDLM Curator & Design Director-ADIG STUDIO

ELIGIBILITY:

Open to all Artists residing in the Central Valley, California. Work can be in any traditional 2D or 3D media (except photography).

ENTRIES PREFERRED:

Entries may be made by CD, memory stick or by Emailing your images to cperez.adigstudio@gmail.com. Emailed images must have a corresponding mailed hard-copy form. Images submitted on CD must be a minimum of 150 dpi jpeg; 8" x 8" minimum. Please label all images with: First name, last name, size and title.jpg. Emailed images must be jpegs and 72 dpi. They should be at least 600 pixels but not greater than 1200 pixels in any direction. Maximum file size for any individual image is 1 MB. The size given for works should be the framed size. PowerPoint presentations will not be accepted. **Entry deadline is September 15th, 2018.**

ACCEPTED WORK:

Work must be hand delivered. Work should be rigidly framed and be ready to hang. All work should have the title, media, price and artist's name clearly mounted on the back of each art work. The MAC accepts no liability for work damaged in shipping or due to faulty framing.

A maximum of 4 entries to be submitted by each artist.

SELECTION:

Artists will be notified of results by email.

PROCESS: The MAC retains the right of final selection for the exhibition installation.

There will be no early withdrawals from the exhibition after the works have been selected.

CALENDAR:

Deadline For Entry:	September 15, 2018
Notification Of Acceptance:	September 17 - 19, 2018
Work Delivery:	September 20 - 25, 2018
Exhibition Opens:	October 2nd, 2018
Reception:	November 3rd, 2018 - 4pm - 9pm
Exhibition Closes:	November 10th, 2018
Work Available For Pick Up:	November 13 – 17, 2018

19th Annual Dia De Los Muertos Exhibition

Merced County Arts Council
645 W. Main Street
Merced, CA 95340-4717

Please make photocopy of completed form for your records.
I hereby agree to the rules set forth in this prospectus of the
MMAC 19th Annual Dia De Los Muertos Exhibition.

Artist Signature:

STEP 1 - CONTACT INFORMATION [print clearly]

Artist: _____

Telephone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Website: _____

STEP 2 - ENTRY INFORMATION [print clearly]

Entry 1 Title: _____ Size _____ Date _____

Medium _____ Price _____ Insurance Value _____

Entry 2 Title: _____ Size _____ Date _____

Medium _____ Price _____ Insurance Value _____

Entry 3 Title: _____ Size _____ Date _____

Medium _____ Price _____ Insurance Value _____

Entry 4 Title: _____ Size _____ Date _____

Medium _____ Price _____ Insurance Value _____

Artwork can be made available for sale during the exhibition. The MMAC retains 33% of every sale made.
If the artist wishes not to sell any work, please mark NFS in the price section BUT an insurance value must be stated.

STEP 3 - MAIL THIS FORM, Self-Addressed Stamped Envelope. IF DESIRED (for return of CD or memory stick) TO:

Charles A. Perez/ Dia De Los Muertos / 224 Cedar Avenue / Atwater, CA 95301

EMAIL IMAGES TO: cperez.adigstudio@gmail.com

and contact for more information.

You can download this prospectus from the website www.artsmerved.org

Checklist:

___ entry form ___ images ___ self-addressed stamped envelope

Dia De Los Muertos



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FOR
ENTRIES**

**ENTRY DEADLINE:
September 15, 2018**

The MAC is now accepting entries for the 19th Annual Dia De Los Muertos Exhibition & Celebration.

The purpose of this show is to highlight the Culture and Art of our community in remembering and honoring with heart our loved ones who have passed on.

The show is open to all Artists residing in the Central Valley. Work may be in any traditional 2D or 3D media.

SEPT. 15, 2018 Entry Deadline

OCT. 2, 2018 Exhibit Opens

NOV. 10, 2018 Exhibit Closes

Download & print the prospectus at
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