Artists Prospectus Faces of Spring

Presented by The Connecticut Society of Portrait Artists and The Lyme Art Association

Exhibit: March 4 to April 23, 2011 Reception: March 11 from 6pm to 8pm

> Goodman Gallery Lyme Art Association 90 Lyme Street Old Lyme, CT 06371



Official website: www.csopa.org Connecticut Society of Portrait Artists "Education, Camaraderie, Craft" Event Chairpersons: Sandra Wakeen and Diane Aeschliman

Important Dates

Submission Deadline:

Email images by January 21, 2011 Postmark entry form and check January 21, 2011

Receiving: Sunday, February 27, 2:00pm-5:00pm

Artist Reception: March 11, 6PM to 8PM

Pick Up: Monday, April 25, 2PM to 5PM

Open Call for Portraits: All portrait artists able to deliver and pick up selected entries to The Lyme Art Association may submit. CSOPA membership is not required to enter. Submission does not guarantee selection by the CSOPA Jury Committee for the exhibit. Substitutions and late entries will not be accepted.

Shipments are the sole responsibility of selected artists. Art must be delivered and picked up during designated receiving and pick up hours, and must be unpacked by shipper. Packing material must be removed by shipper. For pick up, art must be repacked by shipper who must provide all packing materials. Recommended: UPS Clinton (860) 664-0066 (Mr. Flatern) email csocietyopa@aol.com for more details or see web page at. http://www.csopa.org/FacesofSpring2011.html

Works Eligible: Original portrait paintings, drawings and sculpture not previously exhibited with CSOPA and completed within the past three years are eligible. No giclee, canvas transfers, photography or computer images. Paintings must be framed and wired for hanging with size limit 48" maximum horizontally including frame. Gallery wrap will be accepted at the discretion of the curator. No easels. Sculpture limited to 50 lbs. Please provide pedestals. Artwork must be available for the duration of the exhibition (March 4 to April 25).

Submission Deadline and Procedure: To be juried for Faces of Spring 2011, artists must submit the entry form, check and labels by US post office mail, postmarked by January 21, 2011 **AND email** JPEGs of image(s) by January 21, 2011. **Early Submissions** received by January 14 will be considered for the postcard invitations, web page and for promotion of the event!

Entry Form, Check and Labels: Complete front and back of Faces of Spring 2011 Artist's Submission Form. Mail completed form with check made payable to CSOPA to: Francis Philibert, CSOPA treasurer, 56 White Oak Drive, Prospect, CT, 06712. Entry form, check and labels must be postmarked by January 21, 2011. Any submission without the entry form and check will not be considered. Do not mail photographs, slides, CDs or DVDs of images. Please follow the instructions below to email JPEGs of image(s). Email JPEG Image(s): to CSOPAEntry@gmail.com. JPEGs must be received by January 21, 2011. Images must be emailed and in digital jpeg format only, with resolution of 300

"YourLastName/PortraitTitle." In the subject of your email, please type "FS2011-YourLastName." In the body of the email, include all the information below:

Artist name

Artist contact information (email, telephone number, and address)

dpi. **File Name:** Please name each image attachment

Artist website (Optional)

For each image: full title, width, height, medium, and price. If not for sale please indicate "NFS" and include the price for similar.

Have questions regarding digital submissions? Email **CSOPAEntry@gmail.com** or call: Michel Delafontaine at (914) 319-4059 for technical help.

Notification: A list of artists and titles of accepted works will be posted on the Faces of Spring 2011 webpage

http://www.csopa.org/FacesofSpring2011.html by February 9, 2011. Selected artists will also be notified by email..

Receiving for Selected Artists: Sunday, February 27, 2pm to 5pm at the Lyme Art Association, 90 Lyme Street, Old Lyme, CT 06371. Artwork must be delivered, unpacked and ready for hanging or display. Standard 9" x 12" portfolios may be delivered with your art at receiving. Kindly limit the photos in your portfolio to a maximum of 12 portraits. Label the spine with your name for display. Business cards and price lists may be included in your portfolio. Neither CSOPA nor the LAA will be responsible for loss or damage to artwork or portfolios.

Removal: All art MUST be picked up on Monday, April 25, between

2pm and 5pm. Limited Easter Sunday pickup with prior approval. See website for details or contact csocietyopa@aol.com. Works not removed at this time will be held by CSOPA for a storage fee of \$20/day. Any portrait held for 30 days will be considered abandoned and will be disposed of. Artists are also responsible for portfolio removal at the end of the exhibit.

Jurors: To be announced. Check the official webpage for updates.

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Opening Reception and Awards: Friday, March 11, 6pm to 8pm at the Lyme Art Association. Cash prizes for First, Second and Third and travel /international themed portrait award. Ribbons for Honorable Mention and Certificates of Merit may be awarded at the jurors' discretion.

Commissions: Art for sale is encouraged. 35% is due to The Lyme Art Association for sales and commissions made during the show.

A voluntary 10% donation to CSOPA for commissions resulting from the exhibit is greatly appreciated.

LAA Membership: Artists are invited to join our host organization. See www.LymeArtAssociation.org. Optional LAA Annual Membership: \$ 45 PER YEAR (Make check payable to "LAA")

Lectures and Demonstrations: Plans are underway. For updates on Portrait Festival Workshops go to **www.LymeArtAssociation.org**, or call the LAA at **860-434-7802.**

Faces of Spring 2011 Artist's Submission Form

Please complete both sides of this form, clip and mail to: Francis Philibert, 56 White Oak Drive, Prospect, CT 06712	Optional Release: I hereby give CSOPA or its assigns permission to use my artwork and my name for promotional purposes including, catalog, programs, publications, advertising and media press releases. I give CSOPA
Artist Full Name	permission to post my artwork on the CSOPA website. SignedDate
Street Address	DigitedDute
Town State	Please complete labels below and mail together with your payment (check payable to CSOPA) and entry form
Phone	
Email (required)	Artist Name: Medium: x Width x Width
First Entry CSOPA Member* @ \$25 \$ CSOPA Non-Member** @ \$35 \$	Framed Dimensions: Height x Width Price: \$ or Not for Sale/ Price for Similar:\$ Date Completed: (within 3 years)
Additional Submissions (max 4 entries total) @ \$10 each \$	
*Renew your CSOPA Membership for 2011, if you have not already done so. 2011 Annual CSOPA Membership @ \$40 \$	Artist Name: Medium: Framed Dimensions: Height x Width Price: \$ or Not for Sale/ Price for Similar: \$ Date Completed: (within 3 years)
Donation/Volunteer Opportunities I wish to donate to help with the costs of this show: \$	years)
My name may be used as a CSOPA Patron: Yes No I would like to be contacted regarding volunteer opportunities in: Receiving Hanging Reception Curatorial Pick-Up	Artist Name: Medium: Framed Dimensions: Height x Width Price: \$ o r Not for Sale/ Price for Similar:\$ Date Completed: (within 3
Total Amount Enclosed For Competition:	years)
\$(Make check payable to "CSOPA")	
(make check payable to CSOFA)	Artist Name
Liability: (Required) CSOPA and the LAA and their agents cannot be held responsible for loss or damage to artwork or portfolios however caused. Your entry to this exhibition constitutes your agreement with these terms and conditions. I hereby agree to the liability clause and to abide by the rules of this prospectus for the CSOPA Faces of Spring 2011 Exhibit.	Artist Name: Medium: Medium: Framed Dimensions: Height x Width Price: \$ or Not for Sale Price for Similar: \$ Date Completed: (within 3 years)
Artist's Signature Date	