

ABOUT THE JUROR

Seth Fairweather began working with glass at Tulane University in New Orleans, Louisiana. He transferred to Alfred University, where he received his BFA in 2007. He finished a MFA from Temple University in 2010. He has worked at the Corning Museum of Glass, the American Museum of Natural History, the New Orleans School of Glassworks, as well as Wet Dog Glass as an equipment fabricator. He has been an instructor at the University of Miami, studios across the country, and has exhibited his work nationally and internationally. In 2015 Fairweather launched the first accredited glass blowing program at Paradise Valley Community College in Phoenix, Arizona, where he continues to teach.

ENTRY FEES

Shemer Member:

\$25 for one entry, \$30 for two entries, \$35 for three.

Non-Member:

\$35 for one entry, \$40 for two entries, \$45 for three.

Entry fees are non-refundable. The entry fee may be paid online via credit card at the time of submission, or you may mail a check to: Shemer Art Center 5005 East Camelback Road, Phoenix, AZ 85018

SALES

All entries submitted must be available for purchase with 25% of the proceeds benefiting the Shemer Art Center. Pricing must be set at the time of entry.

MEMBERSHIP

- Individual - \$40/year
- Artist - \$40/year, includes a \$10 discount on one entry fee
- Student (21& Under with ID) - \$20/year
- Family - \$75/year

For more information call 602.262.4727
or email info@shemerartcenter.org

Hours Open to the Public:
Tuesday - Saturday: 10am to 3pm
Closed Sunday and Monday

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Please call or visit our website for our business hours.

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The Shemer does not carry accident insurance to cover participants. Involvement AND any activity is done at the participant's own risk.



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Seth Fairweather | Industrial Asceticism I | Glass and Steel | 50" x 50" x 96"

PROSPECTUS

SILICA SOLILOQUIES

A Juried Exhibition of Glass Art

November 5 - January 4, 2018
Reception November 9 | 6:00-8:00 pm

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ABOUT THE EXHIBITION

The Shemer Art Center is now accepting submissions from Arizona artists 18 and older working in glass.

MEDIA

All work must be predominantly glass, ranging from maquettes to monumental in all styles and traditions. Open to any and all types of glass art forms.

EXHIBITION DETAILS

1. Artist must be an Arizona resident and at least 18 years of age.
2. Work must be:
 - Original
 - Predominantly glass
3. Outdoor Installations:
 - Suitable for outdoor installation.
 - Structurally secure.
 - Capable of withstanding adverse weather conditions and high traffic areas.
 - Must also be safe for children
 - Cannot exceed 15 feet in height or 500 pounds.
 - Due to the limitations of the equipment available to the Shemer Art Center, prior installation arrangements must be made.
 - Works deemed unsafe, overly fragile or otherwise unsuitable will not be considered for the exhibition.
4. Indoor Installations
 - Cannot exceed 5 feet in height, 2 feet in width and 200 pounds.
 - Hanging work should not weigh more than 50 pounds. All work accepted for the exhibition must be ready to hang.
5. Selected artists may be invited to submit at least three photographs, drawings, sketches or other material suitable for display depicting the creative process or the work in progress.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- **OCTOBER 10, 2017**
Entry form, images and fees due to Shemer Art Center
- **OCTOBER 20, 2017**
Notification of acceptance
- **NOVEMBER 3 & 4, 2017**
Drop off art. Sculpture installation.
- **NOVEMBER 9, 2017**
Exhibit opening and artists reception 6-8 pm at the Shemer Art Center. Meet our Juror, Seth Fairweather
- **JANUARY 4, 2018**
Exhibition closes
- **JANUARY 5 & 6, 2018**
Pick-up artwork from 10 am – 3 pm

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

All artwork will be insured by the Shemer Art Center, for the duration of the exhibit. Prior arrangements for the installation of large-scale sculpture must be made.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Each artist must submit:

- Up to three digital photographs.
Images must be in jpeg format, no larger than 1000 pixels on the longest side at 72 dpi and have a file name in the following format:
Lastname_firstname_image# (ie. smith_jane_1.jpg).
- Numbering of image files must correspond to images list.
- Image list with title, size, medium, and price
- Entry materials must be e-mailed or submitted via the Shemer's website at: www.shemerartcenter.org under Artist Opportunities.
- Slides, CDs, or printed images will not be accepted.

Please direct all questions to
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a juried exhibition

September 15 - November 10, 2016

ACCEPTED ARTISTS' RESPONSIBILITIES

If an artist's piece is chosen, he or she agrees to the following:

- Artist must be present during the installation and de-installation of large scale-sculpture.
- Artist must allow use of their likeness and biographical information for publicity purposes by the Shemer.
- Transportation arrangements are the responsibility of the artist.
- A digital photograph of artist
- A short biography (100 words or less; in paragraph form, i.e. not a resume)
- Artist's contact information (email address, mailing address, and telephone number)
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QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions about the Exhibition entry process or about the Shemer Art Center and Museum in general, please contact us at info@shemerartcenter.org or 602-262-4727.

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY :
3 PM OCTOBER 10, 2017

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OPENING RECEPTION:
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