

CALL FOR ENTRIES

S p r a w l Exhibition at Victory Park Screens Digital Media Art and Video

An extraordinary event of the 46th SPE National Conference March 26-29, 2009
Dallas, TX

Seeking contemporary video work to be included in the 46th Society for Photographic Education National Conference in Dallas Texas. This video exhibition will be displayed on the Victory Park Screens in downtown Dallas at multiple times during the 3 day conference. This is an extraordinary opportunity in a striking setting! The Plaza offers numerous large-scale high-resolution LED screens in a beautiful new urban outdoor public space.

We are searching for video pieces that test new grounds and generate new avenues of thought, pieces that integrate ideas of interconnectedness and liminality, that intermix or alter perceptions of time and space, pieces that make interesting uses of technologies, communication and science. Video pieces that break or cross visual complexities and that can surprise, move or captivate a twenty first century audience. We are looking to consider all areas of contemporary video work: narrative, non-narrative, and experimental.

Due to the public space in which the exhibition will be presented the video work submitted should not rely heavily on audio and the content of the work must be suitable for general public display.

For Review:

- Artists may submit more than one piece for consideration.
- No application fee.
- Only pieces under 10 minutes in length will be considered.
- Submit an artist statement and short bio with the artwork.

We will review video work on a website, from CDs as compressed QuickTime format or DVDs.

Email submission to:

dreidemie@smu.edu. Be clear in your e-mail about which pieces you would like considered for the exhibition if you submit a link to a website with multiple pieces.

Or Mail submission to:

Christine Shank
Washington University in St Louis
Sam Fox School of Design & Visual Arts
Campus Box 1031
One Brookings Drive

St Louis, MO 63130-4899

If mailing work: format needs to be a compressed QuickTime file.

Timeline:

Submission Deadline: Postmarked January 15, 2009

Artist will be notified by: February 5, 2009

About the Jurors:

Carola Dreidemie is an Assistant Professor of Experimental Video and Digital Media at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas.

Christine Shank is a Visiting Assistant Professor at Washington University in St Louis.

About the SPE:

www.spenational.org

The Society for Photographic Education is a non-profit membership organization that provides a forum for the discussion of photography and related media as a means of creative expression and cultural insight. Through its interdisciplinary programs, services and publications, the society seeks to promote a broader understanding of the medium in all its forms, and to foster the development of its practice, teaching, scholarship and criticism.

About the Venue:

Victory Park, Dallas, TX: <http://www.victoryparkscreens.com/>