

The Project

Sculpt Siouxland is a joint project of the Sioux City Art Center and Sculpt Siouxland, Inc., a private, non-profit organization that provides financial support to the project. The purpose of Sculpt Siouxland is to bring seven outstanding outdoor sculptures to highly visible locations in downtown Sioux City for a year-long exhibition. Sculptures are installed on prominent street corners or on the campus of the Sioux City Art Center. They join the growing number of sculptures that form the Sculpt Siouxland Collection, which remain on permanent display.

Honorarium

Each artist accepted into the 2022-2023 Sculpt Siouxland exhibit will be given an honorarium of \$1,500 per accepted sculpture. A total of seven sculptures will be selected. Shipping to and from Sioux City is the responsibility of the artist. If needed and with advance notice, Sculpt Siouxland can supply a lift and operator to install or remove sculptures.

Awards

Artists featured in the exhibit will also be eligible to win the Jury's Choice Award of \$1,500. In lieu of the cash award, Sculpt Siouxland may propose to the Jury's Choice Award recipient the option of purchasing the sculpture minus a 30% Sculpt Siouxland commission.

Sculpture Purchases

Sculpt Siouxland is active in acquiring sculptures for its collection and in attracting private collectors. Sculpt Siouxland retains a 30% commission on sales. Sculpt Siouxland has acquired more than 20 sculptures with many more purchased for private collections.

Sculpture Criteria

- Artists of all backgrounds may apply. Sculpt Siouxland is a public project and all proposed sculptures are screened to ensure suitability for viewing by all audiences and public safety.
- Artists may submit up to three sculptures for jurying.
- Sculptures should be unique (non-editioned) works.
- Each sculpture exhibited must be durable, freestanding, and capable of being bolted to the sidewalk or a concrete pad. Please note: sculptures will be installed at or near ground-level.

Publication

A brochure will be produced that includes a map showing the locations of all sculptures.

Time Line

January 31, 2022	Entry Deadline
February 21, 2022	Notification of Jury Results
May 31 – June 3, 2022	Installation of sculptures
Early 2023	Announcement of Jury's Choice Award winner
May 30 – June 2, 2023	Removal of sculptures

Entry Information

ALL of the following must be included for applications to be considered:

Name _____ Phone _____

Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Title / Date of Sculpture _____

Material(s) _____

Dimensions (Height) _____ (Width) x _____ (Depth) x _____

Special installation requirements: _____

Please use a separate sheet/document for the following:

- Artist statement describing your working process and the concept behind each work.
- Biography and/or Resume.
- Explanation of installation method.
- Please include 2 to 3 high-resolution jpegs for each sculpture (file size 1-2 MB preferred). The Selection Committee would like to view all sides of the sculptures. You may email images, send them via Dropbox, or send a CD/flash drive with your application.

There is no application fee. Artists may submit up to 3 sculptures for review.

Send the above to:

Sculpt Siouxland
Sioux City Art Center
225 Nebraska Street
Sioux City, IA 51101

Electronic Submissions:

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DEADLINE: JANUARY 31, 2022