

The Ventura County Arts Council Presents (Subject to Change)
Calendar of Curated Exhibits – 2016

County Government Center ■ Hall of Administration ■ Atrium Gallery

800 S. Victoria Avenue, Ventura, CA • Hours: M - F 8am - 5pm • Closed weekends & holidays

Go to VCartscouncil.org/AtriumGallery to review any detailed Calls to Artists for the exhibitions listed and for instructions on submitting artwork for consideration by a given curator.

“CAMPOS DE ENSUENOS”

Field of Dreams

Curated by **Antonio Arredondo Juarez & Ricardo Palavecino**

Friday, March 4th – Tuesday, April 12th

*Submissions for Jurying: Friday February 19th

Art take-in: Wednesday, March 2nd

Reception: Friday, March 18th 5:30 – 7:00pm

Art pick-up: Wednesday, April 13th

“ENCAUSTIC”

The Art of Painting with Wax

Curated by **Robin Tripaldi**

Friday, April 15th – Tuesday, May 24th

*Submissions for Jurying: Friday, April 1st

Art take-in: Wednesday, April 13th

Reception: Friday, April 29th 5:30 – 7:00pm

Art pick-up: Wednesday, May 25th

“QUILTS”

Art-Quilts to Antique Quilts

Curated by **Cheryl Collart**

Friday, May 27th – Tuesday, July 5th

*Submissions for Jurying: Friday, May 13th

Art take-in: Wednesday, May 25th

Reception: Friday, June 10th, 5:30 – 7:00pm

Art pick-up: Wednesday, July 6th

“PLEINAIRE”

Painting on the Fly Outdoors

Curated by **Gina Neibergall**

Friday, July 8th – Tuesday, August 23rd

*Submissions for Jurying: Friday, June 24th

Art take-in: Wednesday, July 6th

Reception: Friday, July 22nd 5:30 – 7:00pm

Art pick-up: Wednesday, August 24th

“WATER COLOR”

Water and Pigment

Curated by **Michelle Nosco**

Friday, August 26th – Tuesday, October 11th

*Submissions for Jurying: Friday, August 12th

Art take-in: Wednesday, August 24th

Reception: Friday, September 9th 5:30 – 7:00pm

Art Pick-up: Wednesday, October 12th

“THIS IS COLORED PENCIL”

Colored Pencil Artwork

Curated by **Andrew Purdy**

Friday, October 14th – Tuesday, November 29th

*Submissions for Jurying: Friday, September 30th

Art take-in: Wednesday, October 12th

Reception: Friday, October 28th 5:30 - 7:00pm

Art pick-up: Wednesday, November 30th

- Submissions by the deadline are typically given priority over those received after the deadline. Notice of acceptance sent about 1 week later. Not all curated shows have “calls for submissions”. It is an option for the curator.

The Atrium Gallery is managed by the VCAC to provide a wide array of visual arts from diverse artists for the community's enjoyment and education, while coexisting within an active public workplace. Juried competitive shows are held throughout the year on the first two floors while the upper floor has separately programmed exhibitions (not listed above). The VCAC usually juries entries to the competitive shows, but it secures outside Judges to select award winners. Approximately 3000 citizens and 1200 employees pass through the Gallery daily. Its three floors include some 400 linear feet of exhibit walls as well as limited room for small and large three-dimensional work. For more information contact the Ventura County Arts Council at (805) 658-2213, or vcarts@pacbell.net or info@vcartscouncil.org and visit our website at www.VCartscouncil.org and view images of the gallery.