

2018 APS Juried Member Exhibition
August 26 – October 1
Grace Centre Gallery, Mills River, NC
Juror, Luana Luconi Winner

AWARDS

- Cash and exceptional art-related product awards
- Members who have paintings accepted receive APS Special Membership points toward Signature Status! – [See clarification in “Eligibility Requirements” below]

CALENDAR

Entries Open	April 2 nd , 2018
Entry Deadline	RECEIVED image, form & payment by July 1, 2018
Notice of Acceptance sent (e-mail only)	August 6, 2018
Shipped work due	August 13 - 17
Hand delivery of artwork	August 20 (10am to 2pm) and August 21 (10am to Noon)
Opening Reception	August 26 (10am to 11am)
Show Closes	October 1
Hand Pick-up & Shipped work returned	October 1 (10am to 2pm)

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- APS Membership **current for the “member year” the show occurs (2018)(JOIN OR RENEW BEFORE ENTRIES SENT TO JUROR OR SPECIAL MEMBERSHIP POINTS WILL NOT BE ACCRUED) Join or renew on Website http://www.appalachianpastelsociety.org/?page_id=142**
- 80% of the exposed surface must be dry pastel. No oil pastels.
- Size limitation 36” x 36”, including frame. Over-sized work will not be hung.
- Must be entirely the work of the artist and not copied from other artists or publications
- Must not have been done under supervision (as in a workshop or class)
- Must not have been exhibited before in any juried APS show
- Not copied from published photos or from photos taken by others without permission
- Nudes and violent subjects not accepted to this show.
- Sales are encouraged, but paintings do not have to be for sale.

ENTRY FEE

- \$25 for up to 2 entries (non-refundable)
- Payment **at time of entry** on website (www.appalachianpastelsociety.org) OR by check (below)

SHOW Co-MANAGERS:

Kay Gordon, jkaygordon364@gmail.com, (828) 206-0240
Alec Hall, alechall801@gmail.com, (269) 330-6760

LIABILITY

The Grace Centre insures artwork in this show to maximum replacement value of \$500 per piece. If artists desire additional protection, they should seek their own insurance. All Artists accepted to this show must sign the Grace Centre Artwork Release Form that will accompany delivery instructions.

JUROR, Luana Luconi Winner <http://www.winnerstudios.com/>

Luana Luconi Winner is a founding member of the Portrait Society of America, elected Master Circle member of the International Association of Pastel Societies, Signature Member of the Pastel Society of America, past president and honorary lifetime member of the Pastel Society of North Carolina, an active member of several art boards and national art organizations.

Portrait artist, author, lecturer, judge, and favored instructor, Mrs. Winner was educated in Rome, Florence, Switzerland, and the USA. Her portraits of CEOs, Banking Founders, Chancellors, Administrators, Government Officials, Military Officers, Debutantes, and families hang in corporations, universities, government buildings, museums, and residences statewide and abroad.

Luana was guest instructor for the international pastel exhibition "Pastel en Perigord," France, worked in Spain, and then followed with a two-person exhibition in Tuscany, Italy. She was part of the first Chinese pastel festival at Ming Art Gallery in Suzhou, China and traveled as part of a cultural exchange of art instructors. Her book "*Painting Classic Portraits: Great Faces Step-by-Step*" in English and Chinese, a textbook for drawing and painting faces, is published/distributed worldwide by F+W Media.

ENTRY PROCESS

- ENTRY FORM SUBMISSION: Fill out, sign, and mail via USPS, attached Entry Form to: Alec Hall, 124 Barnsdale Lane, Hendersonville, NC 28791
- [Alternative, digital] ENTRY FORM SUBMISSION: Click link [HERE for Digital Entry Form](#)...*link also found on website home page.*
- SUBMIT IMAGES VIA E-MAIL: Submit up to 2 digital images **as e-mail attachments** to Kay Gordon at jkaygordon364@gmail.com
 - JPEG format
 - 300 dpi, 1200 pixels on longest side [*contact managers if you need help with image sizing*]
 - Naming of files... **LastnameFirstInitial_Title_ImageSizeHxW.jpg** [So, for an artist named Bruce Jones submitting a painting with a title of Morning Sky with an unframed size of 15 inches high and 22 inches wide, the name of that file would be, JonesB_MorningSky_15x22.jpg]
 - Images must not show mat, frame, etc., and must be an accurate representation of the artwork
- If you need help with any of the entry, please call one of the show managers...we are happy to help!

PRESENTATION OF ARTWORK

- Framed under glass or acrylic
- If mats used, must be white or off-white. Paintings with colored mats will be hung, but not judged.
- Ready to hang with flat hooks and strong wire. No saw-tooth hangers.
- APS reserves right to refuse any painting that does not meet professional gallery standards

DELIVERY AND PICKUP

- Delivery and pickup details sent with acceptance. Shipping cost and liability is artist's responsibility.
- **Entrants failing to deliver accepted work will be denied eligibility to APS shows for 2 years.**

SALES

- Work does not have to be for sale. Please mark "NFS" and current market value for insurance.
- Price may not be changed after submission
- No Commission on sales (Voluntary 20% donation to Grace recommended by APS Show Committee.)

Submission Check List: ...

- PAY ENTRY FEE with credit card on website...OR...Check for \$25 entry fee, payable to APS, mailed to Alec Hall
- PAY \$25 for membership/renewal for the **2018** Membership Year (on website)...OR...add \$25 to Entry Fee check (*NEW-Membership year now starts Jan 1st*)
- Prepare and SUBMIT IMAGES as described above via e-mail to Kay Gordon
- Complete ENTRY FORM below, mailed to Alec Hall...OR complete digital ENTRY FORM on website
- Acceptance notifications will be sent via e-mail only.
- It's always wise to keep a copy of your completed form for reference.

USE THIS FORM IF YOU ARE MAILING YOUR ENTRY via USPS:

AGREEMENT STATEMENT

I have read the show prospectus, understand the information, and agree to abide by all the rules. I understand that I must deliver all accepted artwork. Failure to deliver all paintings will result in exclusion from APS shows for 2 years. I agree to allow the images I have submitted to be used for this show or future APS publicity.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Name:			Phone()		
e-mail:					
Street Address:					
City:		State:		Zip:	
	TITLE	Image Size (H x W)	Framed Size (H x W)	Is this entry for sale? Y/N	Price Or Value if NFS
1					
2					
	DELIVERY PLAN: SHIP or HAND delivery? (please circle one)				

Completed form to be mailed to:

Alec Hall
124 Barnsdale Lane
Hendersonville, NC 28791

*(You do **not** need to use this form if you are submitting an on-line entry form on the website.)*