# **REAL ART AWARDS** 2020 APPLICATION RULES

### ELIGIBILITY

Emerging artists living and working in **New England**, **New York** or **New Jersey** who are no more than 3 years removed from a full-time educational program, or artists with less than 5 years of exhibition experience are eligible to apply to this call. Artists who do not fit either of these criteria but feel they can make a compelling case to be considered as emerging may also apply; the jury will determine their competitiveness based on review criteria. Artists should not be enrolled in any academic program during the time of exhibition. For more information, check our **Frequently Asked Questions** document.

Artists working in all media are encouraged to apply. Applicants should be aware of Real Art Ways' mission and our commitment to innovative, non-traditional contemporary work.

## **APPLY ONLINE: www.realartways.org**

## HOW TO APPLY:

#### WORK SAMPLES

Six (6) images or videos of recent or current work, JPG files only at 72 DPI, a maximum of 1280px on the longest side and 5MB file size. Video submissions must be MOV or MP4 formats, no larger than 300MB. **Video submissions cannot exceed 3 minutes in total.** 

#### **RESUME / CV**

Three (3) pages max. PDF document only

#### WORK SAMPLE LIST

Submitted media must be accompanied by a corresponding Image List, including Title, Date, Medium, and Dimensions.

#### **OPTIONAL: STATEMENT**

**One (1) page max**, detailing your practice, any relevant background information, and any links to video documentation. PDF document only. Proposals for site-specific, socially engaged projects or new work are accepted.

## **ABOUT REAL ART WAYS**

Real Art Ways is committed to presenting innovative contemporary art, building community, and supporting artists. Our visual arts programming ranges from solo exhibitions, to smaller group exhibitions, to long-planned, major multi-disciplinary projects with visual arts at the center of the work. Since 1975, Real Art Ways has fostered an alternative space for artists to thrive, encouraging new ideas, experiments, and risk.

#### **IMAGE FILE NAMES**

File names MUST be formatted to include the artist's last name, first name, and number of work (01-06) corresponding to the WORK SAMPLE LIST. LastNameFirstName\_01.jpg LastNameFirstName\_02.jpg

Etc.

#### **OTHER FILE NAMES**

Title all files with the following format: LastnameFirstname\_worksamplelist.PDF LastNameFirstName\_resume.pdf LastNameFirstName\_statement.pdf

#### DEADLINE

Materials must be submitted online no later than March 31, 11:59 PM EDT, 2020

#### SELECTION

Selectees will be notified no later than Friday, May 8, 2020

## **QUESTIONS?**

Please address questions to: Neil Daigle Orians Visual Arts Manager norians@realartways.org No phone calls, please.

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