



**THUNDER BAY  
ART GALLERY**

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Since 1976, the Thunder Bay Art Gallery has served the needs of Northwestern Ontario artists and art audiences while providing an important link to other museums and galleries. The foundation of our programming mandate is:

- To present exhibitions of artistic and educational value to enhance the visual arts experience of the people of Northwestern Ontario;
- To support and effect the development of contemporary Canadian artists by organizing exhibitions of work by emerging and/or established artists with a particular focus on (but not limited to) contemporary Aboriginal artists and artists from Northwestern Ontario ;
- To build a collection of art focussed on the work of contemporary Canadian Aboriginal artists and the most innovative work of Northwestern Ontario artists.

**Submission Policy:**

**The Thunder Bay Art Gallery's exhibition programming is primarily invitational.** However the Gallery occasionally accepts unsolicited artist's portfolios, guest curator projects and traveling exhibitions. Please note that the Gallery's schedule is usually set 12 - 16 months in advance by the Curator. Please allow for 5-6 months for a response.

Email and/or paperless (CD/DVD) submissions are strongly encouraged. Hardcopy submissions may also be delivered to the Gallery in person or by mail.

**Please provide the following information:**

- 1) Contact information - name, mailing address, telephone number, and/or email/ website.
- 2) Artist resume and statement. Please also briefly describe the nature of the individual pieces or the collection of proposed works to be considered or any information that is connected to the submission.
- 3) Submit a maximum of 10 good quality digital images. These images may also be submitted on a CD or DVD (Please send especially in the case of film, video and new media works). Please include a support material list with visuals - name of artist, title of work, medium, and dimensions of original work.

**NOTE: ONLY MAILED SUBMISSIONS WITH A SELF-ADDRESSED SEALED ENVELOPE (SASE) WILL BE RETURNED. INCOMPLETE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE VIEWED.**

**Send Questions and Submissions to the attention of:**

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