



Exhibition Proposal Guide

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About Our Galleries

Thank you for your interest in exhibiting with the Anton Art Center!

We have three gallery spaces: the First Level Gallery (West, Center, East, and Long Wings), the adjoining History Gallery Wing, and the Second Level Gallery (Mezzanine). In 2019, the Center celebrates fifty years as Macomb County's leading non-profit art organization. The organization is housed in an original historic Carnegie Library building built in 1904, located in the county seat, Mount Clemens, in Southeast Michigan.

The Anton Art Center accepts exhibition proposals and portfolio submissions of all kinds year-round. All submissions are reviewed by the exhibition committee. Available exhibition space is limited and planned one to two years in advance. Scheduled exhibitions are usually on display for about four weeks or so. The First Level and History Wing exhibits typically run at the same time, though the exhibits are not required to be thematically paired.

An exhibit statement is featured with every show, usually no longer than one page in length. Some of the groups that have collaborated with us include: the Detroit Society of Women Painters and Sculptors, the Eleanor & Edsel Ford House, Birmingham Society of Women Painters, Pewabic Pottery, Great Lakes Lace Group, Macomb Community College, Oakland University Faculty, Packard Proving Grounds, Interfaith for Racial Justice, Selfridge Air Museum, CARE of Southeast Michigan, Michigan Silversmith Guild, Colored Pencil Society of America: Detroit Chapter, Detroit Historical Society, Romeo Guild of Art, Palette & Brush Club, Sisters of the Brush, Tuesday Printmakers, and Meadow Brook Hall.

Admission is free and open to the public; donations are accepted. Parking is available by street or meter lot; free after 6pm and on weekends. Our building is handicap accessible with designated handicap parking and an operating elevator. The building is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10am-5pm.

Thank you for your consideration. Should you be interested in scheduling use of the space or submitting your portfolio, please complete and submit the Proposal Form (page 12) when convenient for review.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Hazzard

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Exhibition Philosophy

Exhibitions are our strength and the core of our mission. The Anton Art Center hosts open call exhibitions each year, including the prestigious Michigan Annual, a juried, all-media competition held for Michigan artists. Local art associations such as the Lakeside Palette Club of St. Clair Shores (LPC), the Mount Clemens Art Association (MCAA), the Romeo Guild of Art (RGA), and the Warren Tri-County Fine Arts Association, Inc. (WTCFA), exhibit at the center as well.

Our mission is to enrich and inspire people of all ages through the arts. The Anton Art Center serves over 16,000 visitors each year through about 15 various art exhibits and over 40 classes. We have over 400 members, around 90 active volunteers, and a hard-working staff of six. Our primary activities are exhibitions, education, and artist-support programs and events.

Exhibitions are held in three galleries: the Main Galleries, the adjoining Boll History Gallery (1st Floor), and the Petitpren Community Gallery (2nd Floor), each with a different focus. We also exhibit art outside the building, adjacent to the center, in the Richard & Jane Manoogian Art Park.

All exhibits are managed by Exhibition Manager, Stephanie Hazzard.

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GALLERY HOURS: Tuesday-Saturday 10:00AM-5:00PM | Closed Sunday & Monday
ADMISSION: Free and open to the public. Donations are accepted and appreciated!
PARKING: Metered street and lot parking; 50 cents/hour. Free after 6pm and weekends
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West (#108), Center (#109), East (#112), Long (#107), and History Wing (#106)

Architectural floor plan of the first floor of a building. The plan shows a central corridor with various rooms on either side. Rooms include galleries (e.g., 108, 112, 106, 107, 101), an entrance (111), storage (113), a men's toilet (105), a women's toilet (104), a library (102), a reception area (103), a transformer, and a dumpster enclosure. Stairs are located at the top and bottom center. A north arrow and scale bar (1/8" = 1'-0") are in the top left corner.



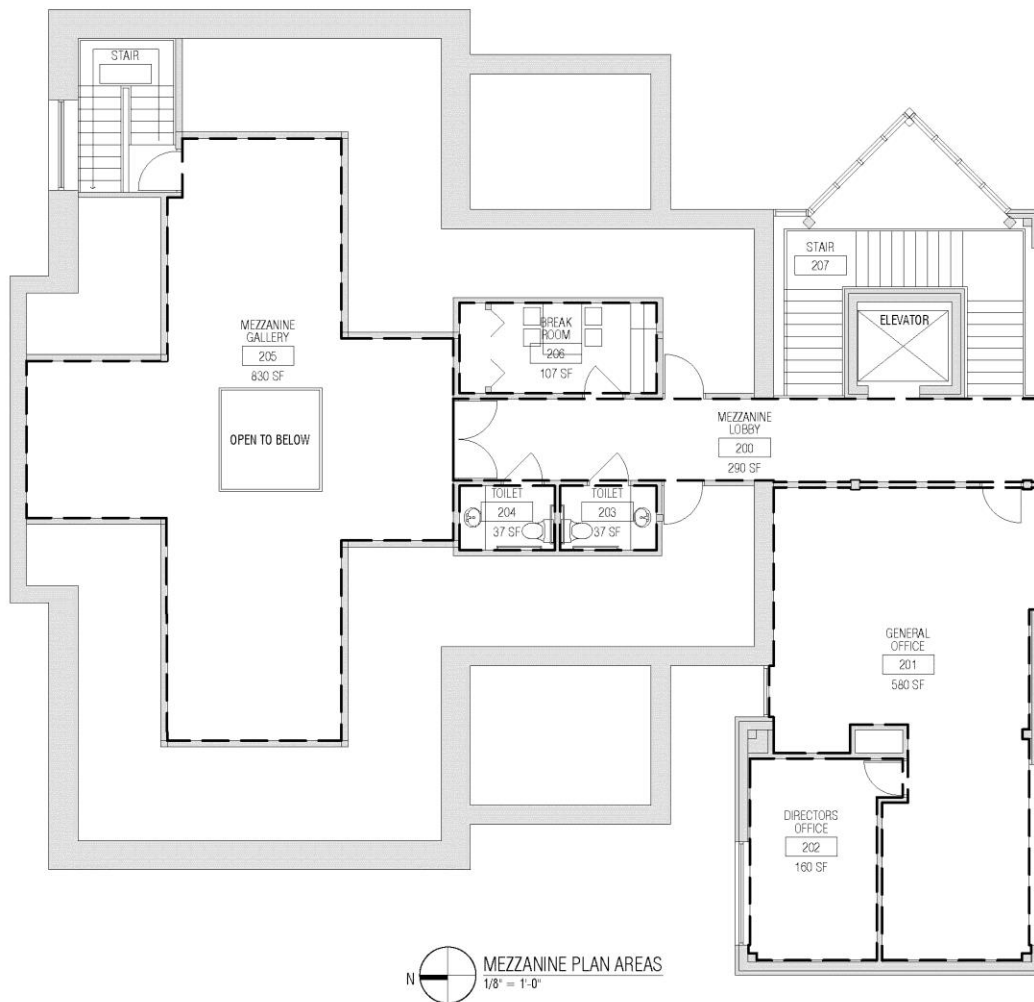
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Celebrating 50 years!

Second Level Layout

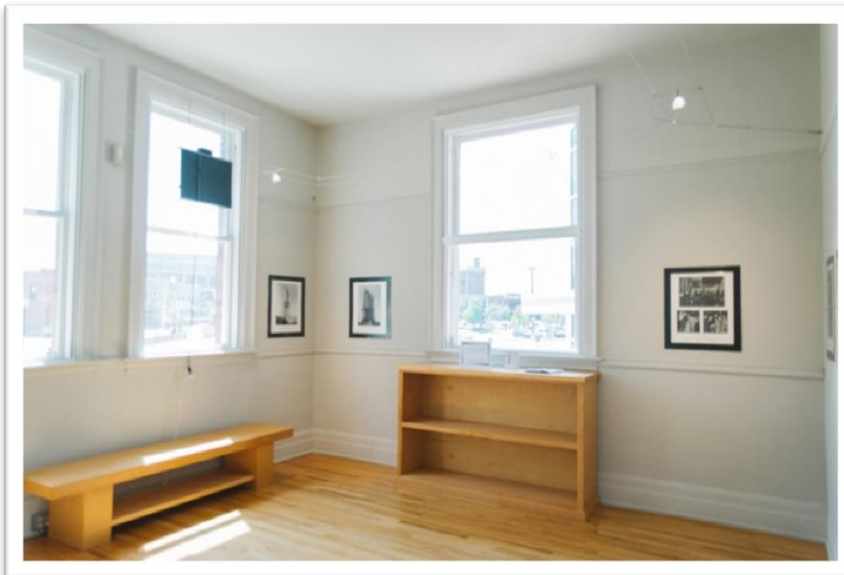
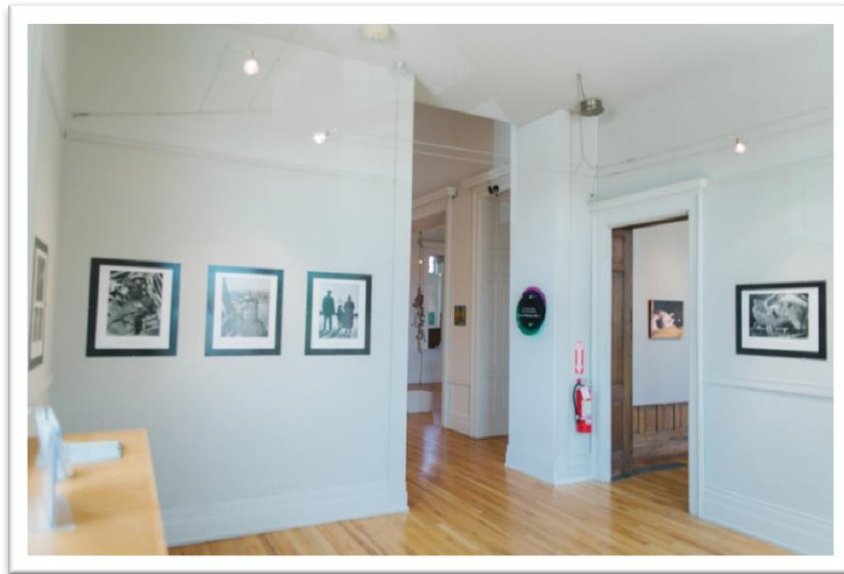
Second Level Gallery Space - Mezzanine (#205)

Notes: 830 square feet | Ceiling Height varies by wing (7 or 8 feet)



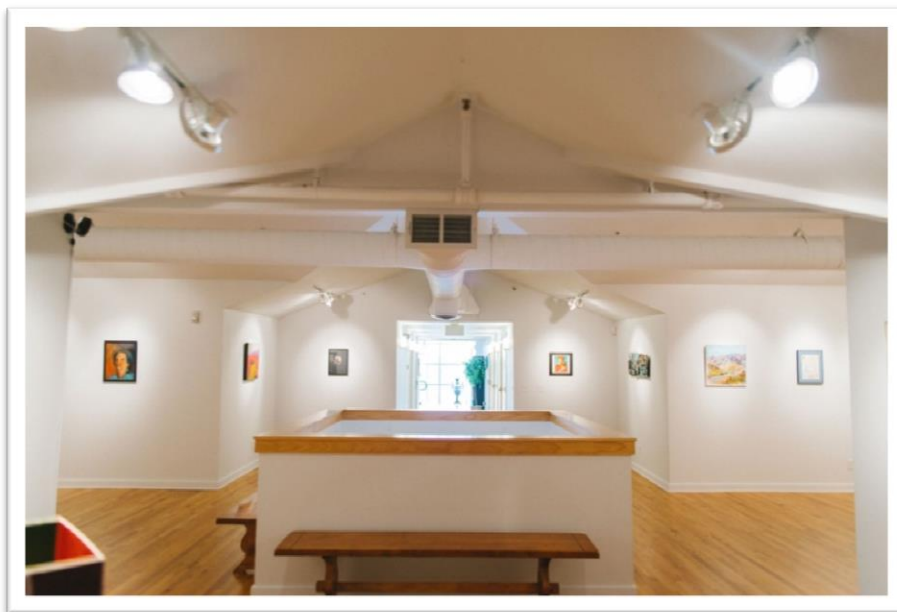
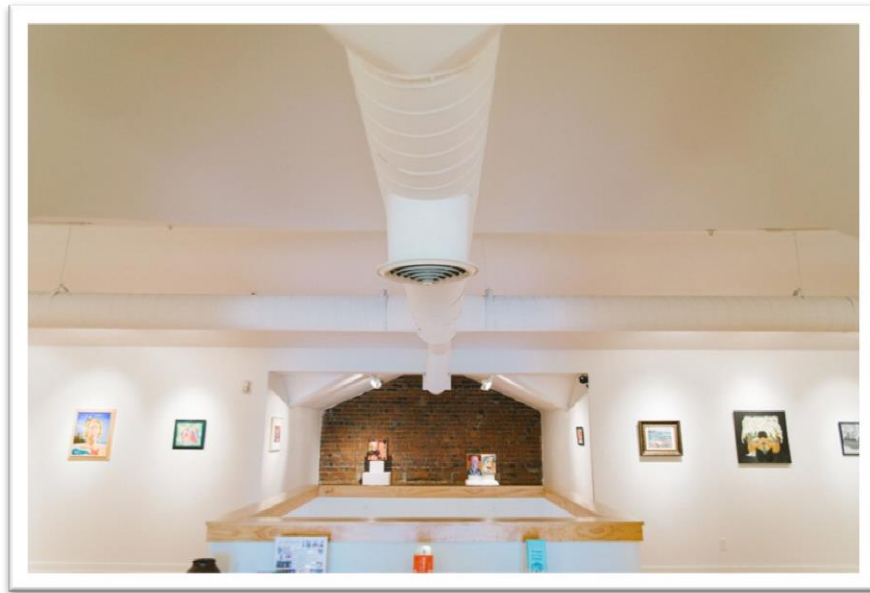
Boll History Gallery Wing

First Level



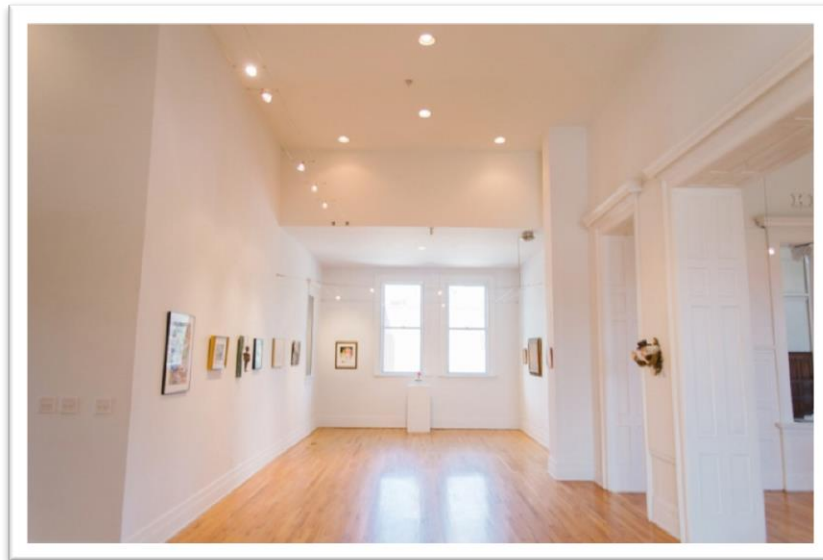
Second Level Gallery Space

Mezzanine



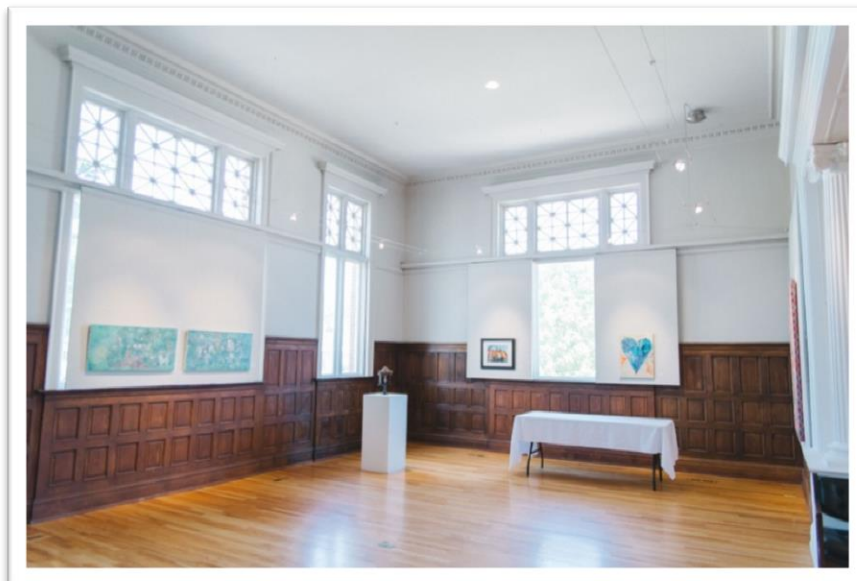
First Level Gallery Space

Long Wing



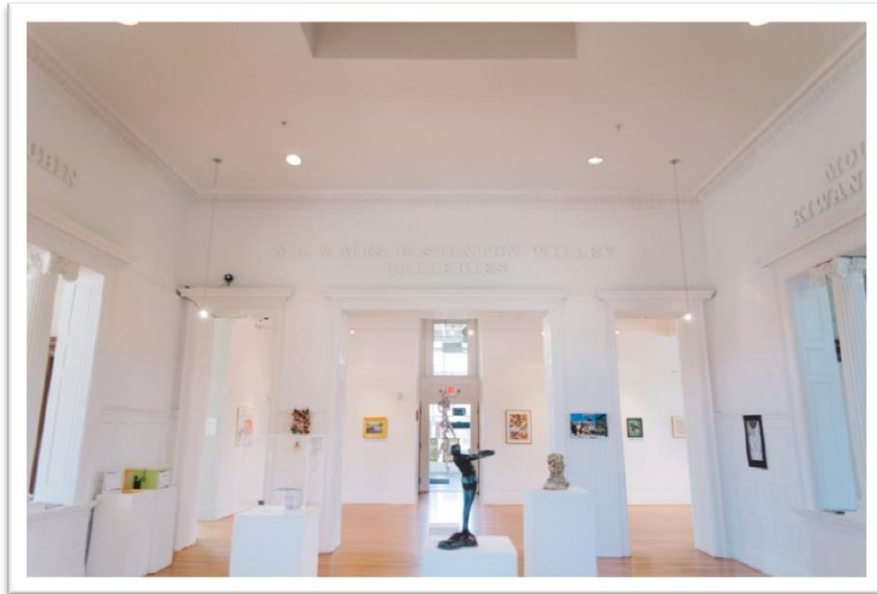
First Level Gallery Space

West Wing



First Level Gallery Space

Center Wing



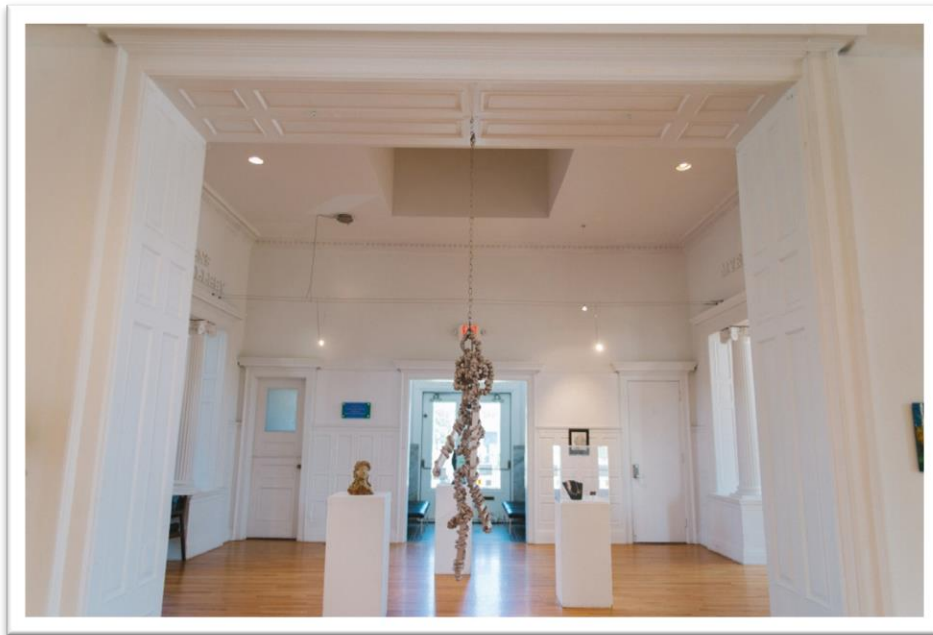
First Level Gallery Space

East Wing



First Level Gallery Space

Center Wing





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Exhibition Proposal/Portfolio Submission Guide

Group or Individual Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Desired Exhibition Dates for Proposal: _____

☐ Or check here if any available dates are desired

Desired Gallery Space: (circle) First Level Gallery / History Gallery / Second Level Gallery / Unsure

Artwork Media: _____

Number of Artworks: _____

Exhibition Description/Details: (☐ Please check here and attach additional pages if needed)

Artist/Group Member Names: (☐ Please check here and attach additional pages if needed)

For group shows only: Will the exhibit be juried? (circle one) Yes / No

If Yes, Juror(s) Name: _____

Please attach additional pages if available: (check all that apply)

- ☐ Artist Statement(s) ☐ Artist Biography(s) ☐ Artist Website(s) ☐ Artist/Member List
☐ Artwork Images ☐ Group History and/or Description ☐ Group Website
☐ Additional Contact Person(s) Information ☐ Exhibition Description ☐ Other Information

Thank you for your interest! This form may be mailed, faxed, or emailed to the Anton Art Center for submission.

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