

Call for Artist Submissions

Art on Demand 10.1 & 10.2

Submission Deadline:

November 27, 2023, at 11:59 pm

The Reach Gallery Museum invites submissions for emerging artists for **Art on Demand 10.1** (February 9 – March 13, 2024) & **10.2** (April 5 – May 25, 2024).

Over the past ten years, the Art on Demand exhibition series has showcased artistic talent in the Fraser Valley by providing more than 45 emerging artists with the opportunity to display their artwork in a professionally managed public gallery, while also working with a peer curator. Many Art on Demand alumni have gone on to develop successful careers in the arts.

Selected artists will receive an honorarium for their participation.

Selection Criteria:

Due to the multi-purpose nature of our current exhibition space, we are unable to accept installation work or sculpture that needs to be presented in the round at this time; only 2D and wall-mounted 3D works will be considered. Please propose enough works for a small solo exhibition (approximately 35 running feet of wall space).

Applicants must be between the ages of 18 and 35 inclusive and preference will be given to applicants who live in, or have ties to, the Fraser Valley.

Please submit the following as email attachments (no websites, cloud storage links, etc.):

- A short bio (max. 50 words), including mention of any connections to the Fraser Valley;
- An artist statement that provides a brief introduction to your practice in general and a specific description of the works being submitted for consideration (max. 250 words);
- An artist CV (max. 1 page, 12 pt font) outlining your education, exhibitions, and publications (if applicable);
- A list of the proposed artworks, including titles, dates, media, and dimensions;

- No more than 10 images of your work (.jpg format, preferably 300 dpi, no more than 5 MB in total)

In the body of your email, please include a checklist of all the files you have attached, as well as your preferred exhibition slot.

All documents must be saved in .pdf format and submitted to Kate Bradford, Assistant Curator, at kbradford@thereach.ca, with **[Your Name] – Art on Demand 10.1 & 10.2 Submission** as the subject line.

Submissions must be received no later than **Monday, November 27, 2023, at 11:59 pm**. Artists will be notified of the status of their submission.

By making a submission, you are granting The Reach permission to use images of selected artwork for publication and publicity purposes.

For more information about the Emerge program, visit: <https://thereach.ca/emerge/>.

A complete archive of past *Art on Demand* exhibitions can be accessed by visiting <https://thereach.ca/past/> and choosing the “Art on Demand” tab.

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