

22ND PANEVĖŽYS INTERNATIONAL CERAMIC SYMPOSIUM

CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

The organisers of the 22nd Panevėžys International Ceramic Symposium invite artists to submit applications for participation in the 2019 Symposium. The Participants shall create and donate at least 3 works of art; one of these should be intended for exhibition outdoors, the other one - as a donation to sponsors. The Symposium shall close with an exhibition of works created during the Symposium in the Ceramic Art Pavilion of the Civic Art Gallery. Created works of art shall be added to the collection of the contemporary ceramics of the Civic Art Gallery that is being collected since 1989.

ORGANISERS

Panevėžys Civic Art Gallery (Panevėžio miesto dailės galerija)

MAIN SPONSORS

Ministry of Culture of the Republic of Lithuania, Lithuanian Council of Culture, Panevėžys City Municipality, ceramics company Midenė, UAB

TIME AND PLACE

4 - 26 July 2019, Panevėžys.

PARTICIPANTS

Having passed the selection process based on the application submitted, 5 - 7 artists will be invited.

All participants will travel to the Symposium and back at their own expense.

The participants are required to have a valid health insurance.

BOARD AND LODGING

Organisers shall bear the expenses of participants' board and lodging.

EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS

- Necessary ceramics equipment and materials will be provided by the organisers.
- The clay will be composed of clay powder and chamotte (grog) of the same clay with chamotte fractions of 0.5 - 2.00 mm. Natural gas will be used for kiln firing. Kiln dimensions: 1.4 m (H) x 1.2 m (W) x 2.4 m (L) (1.2 m + 1.2 m). Shelves might be used during the firing. Firing temperature: from 1250°C to 1280°C. Firing process lasts three days.
- It will be possible to use smaller electric kilns at participants' own expense.
- It will be possible to temporarily use the potter's wheel.
- It will be possible to use main materials for glazes.
- It is recommended to bring your own tools and materials (suitable for the above mentioned firing temperatures).

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME OF THE SYMPOSIUM

3 July – Arrival	22 July – Emptying of the kiln
4 July – Opening of the Symposium	24 July – Transportation of works of art to the Gallery
15-18 July – Firing I	26 July – Opening of the Exhibition, Closing of the Symposium
19-22 July – Firing II	27 July – Departure
20 July – Tour of Lithuania	26 July – 28 September – Exhibition

ARTIST PRESENTATIONS, PERFORMANCES

During the symposium, the participating artists shall present their work. Artists are invited to prepare and present a lecture about their work (enriched with visual materials) and / or to perform a demonstration of their individual working technique or another artistic performance. Meetings with the artists are public events and aimed at large numbers of ceramics enthusiasts. The organisers of the Symposium reserve the right to present only selected artistic performances. Necessary technical equipment for lectures will be provided by the organisers.

DONATION

The Symposium will end with an exhibition of works created during the Symposium in the Ceramic Art Pavilion of the Civic Art Gallery. Participants shall create at least 3 works of art (one - for exhibition in outdoor spaces, the other one - to be donated to sponsors). Works selected by the jury of the organiser of the Symposium shall be added to the collection of the Gallery.

The Civic Art Gallery has set up a library of art publications that is constantly being expanded. Organisers would be grateful if the participants could donate to this library publications that reflect trends of arts in their own countries: books, catalogs, CDs, DVDs, magazines and so on.

PROCEDURE

Please complete the enclosed application form and provide it along with the following supporting materials:

- sketches of ceramic works of art planned to create;
- a brief description of the proposed artistic performance;
- portfolio of created artworks (10 pictures minimum, at least 300 dpi);
- description of the artistic merit (resume).

Application submission deadline: **17 March 2019**.

The decision on the candidates' admission to the Symposium will be pronounced and sent out only to accepted participants of the symposium in April.

Please submit your applications to: **E-mail: parodos@arspanevezys.lt**

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Organisers reserve the right to change the terms and conditions of the symposium.

The organiser shall not be liable for all and any costs incurred by the applicant in anticipation of admission to the symposium.

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APPLICATION FORM

Name

Surname

Sex

Birth date

Passport / ID No. / Country

Address

Phone No.

E-mail

WEB, Fb, Instagram, Twitter

Resume (please attach)

Other related material (please attach)

Date

Signature

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