

Dear Studio 55 Members,

Given these difficult times during the Covid pandemic, we are committed to your safety. After careful consideration, we have decided to proceed with the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Senior Art Exhibition. Intake for this exhibition is scheduled for March 7 from 1:00-3:00. Artists will be required to enter through the main doors of the Juanita K. Hammons Hall for the Performing Arts. Missouri State University protocol requires that all people on campus grounds wear a mask indoors (one will be provided if you come without one) and maintain social distancing. We will adhere strictly to these policies and anyone not masked will not be allowed to participate in this event. We will be doing things a bit differently this year. Artists will be able to socially distance in the main lobby (away from the ticketing area) while they wait their turns to bring their artwork up to the Fuldner Lounge. We rely on members of Studio 55 to help us on the day of the hanging of the exhibition (March 8 from 12:00-3:00). For the safety of all involved, since the hanging requires people work a bit more closely together, we will be requiring all volunteers to be vaccinated and to wear masks at all times. We are very excited about going forward with the Senior Art Exhibition and allowing artists in our community to participate in this event.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Best wishes for your health and happiness,

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