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## Invitational Members Exhibition

Exhibition: November 18, 2015 through January 16, 2016

Reception: Saturday, November 21 from 2 to 4 pm

# The Whistler House Museum of Art Holds First Invitational Members Exhibition



The Whistler House Museum of Art is pleased to announce an exhibition of works by the artist members of the Lowell Art Association Inc. (LAA) as part of the first Invitational Members Exhibition.

Each fall the WHMA invites its members to submit artworks of any style or medium for consideration. This year, over 100 artists submitted 250+ works of art. Instead of a juried show, the museum is presenting an Invitational, where each member who submitted work will have at least one work of art in the exhibition. Submitted works cover a variety of

media including oil, acrylic, watercolor, mixed media, fiber, sculpture, and photography.





"This exhibition is a wonderful and comprehensive show of artwork, ranging from traditional to modern works of art featuring talented LAA artists from the Lowell community and beyond," says President and Executive Director Sara Bogosian. Over 100 works of art will be on exhibition, and over a dozen works are from new LAA members.





The exhibition runs from November 18, 2015 through January 16, 2016. The public is invited to an opening reception on Saturday, November 21 from 2 to 4 pm. Regular museum hours are Wednesday through Saturday from 11 am to 4 pm.

Images: Jewel in the Garden, Dave Drinon. oil; Figures in Blue, Jennifer Rocco Stone, acrylic; Lowtide Sunrise, Jack Holmes, photography; Bottles with Books and Letters, Todd Casey, oil; Explosion of Color, Paula Mingolelli, alcohol ink. Click any of the included images for high-res versions suitable for print.

The Whistler House Museum of Art, located in Lowell, Massachusetts, is the historic birthplace of the famous American artist, James McNeill Whistler. Established in 1878 as the Lowell Art Association Inc., it is the oldest incorporated art association in the United States. The WHMA is known internationally for its distinguished collection of

19th and early 20th century New England representational art, including works by Whistler, Gorky, and Sargent. The historic home hosts many exhibits, lectures, concerts, educational and community programs, and an array of social events in the residence, Parker Gallery, and adjoining Victorian park. Hours are Wednesday



through Saturday from 11 am - 4 pm.

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