

Call for Contributions

Novel Challenge to Artists And Poets!

The **Arts Immersion Collective** invites you to provide one or two wall-hung works of art that bear on human behavior.

A show will exhibit on the third floor of the **University of Wisconsin Extension Center (Pyle Center), August, 2010.**

This connects with an international group of researchers and scholars. **The International Society of Human Ethology (ISHE)** meets every two years on alternate sides of the Atlantic. They chose Madison for their meeting this year (August 1-5). Ethology studies animal behavior and Human Ethology examines the human animal.

This represents an opportunity for artists to show their unique studies of humanity. **ISHE will provide a \$200 & a \$100 prize for the works most highly rated by conferees.**

Registered conferees will rate works according to how interestingly and attractively they examine human behavior.

ISHE will meet in a conference room in the southeast corner of the third floor over the first five days of August with the show hung in the nearby corridors that radiate from it. Conferees will rate the numbered works during the first two full days of the conference with results tallied after 12 pm on August 3.

Not only visual artists, but poets and writers of short prose should feel welcome while recognizing the challenge of making the work attractive when hung on the wall; feel free

to engage a visual artist to help, or someone knowing Photoshop etc. Inquire if you wish discussion. Collaborations welcome!

Works no smaller than 8x10 inches and no larger than a perimeter of 120 inches will hang with nylon fishing line from sheet-metal supports that hold up acoustic tiles. Best to omit glass. The space will accommodate dozens of works, and Arts Immersion will select applications with an eye for balance as ascertained from application forms and JPGs.

Send Russell Gardner at rgj999@yahoo.com **by April 20, 2010** the filled out form along with suitably sized JPG(s) of your work (adequate to represent the work without an overly large file size) with artist(s) identity and contact information, a description of media used and size. In sending, the artist assumes responsibility for bringing and picking up the works.

Works will not be insured nor secured beyond the usual security measures employed by the Pyle Center.

Accepted works will be due on **July 25, 2010**, and hung over the following week. We expect to take down the exhibit on **Saturday, August 14, with pick up scheduled for then.**

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Application: ISHE Art Show July 27 through August 14, 2010

Name(s):

Date:

Email:

Telephone:

Address:

Title(s), media and size of submitted work:

<u>Title</u>	<u>Media</u>	<u>Size in inches (l/w/d)</u>	<u>JPG file name</u>
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