

Works in Wood



2015

Works in Wood honors the **rich cultural heritage** of Bucks County woodworking while celebrating the **new visions of the contemporary artists** who reside in our region and beyond. As a **national juried** show, Works in Wood features artwork from the finest talent in the country today. Works are **not limited** by function but must be **original** in design and artists must incorporate at least 50% of wood in each piece. The **annual** exhibition features **functional and non-functional** works, studio **furniture, turnings, constructions, sculpture** and **vessels** in which artists use **wood** as their primary media.

- **Eligibility:** The exhibition is open to artists working in wood. Innovative works are encouraged. All works must be for sale or available by commission. New Hope Arts retains 35% commission on all sales.
- **Jury process:** All works are judged in a blind jury process. Jurors consider works based on artistic excellence and aesthetic vision. Artists will be notified by email. We will not be able to accommodate phone inquiries regarding Selection Committee decisions.

Jurors:

David Rago and Suzanne Perrault - Principal Partners and Curators of Rago Auctions Inc. in Lambertville, NJ.

Miriam Carpenter - Professional artist/woodworker and former employee at Nakashima Design Studios.

- **Application Procedure:** Each application must be accompanied by a \$25/\$35 nonrefundable application fee. Please make checks payable to *New Hope Arts*. Payment can also be submitted via the website through PayPal or sent separately by mail (if application was emailed).
- Each artist may submit up to 5 pieces for consideration in high resolution jpeg format on CD. In addition to the primary image, artists may submit a second view or detail. The artist's name should appear on the disc but not on the images, and the order of the images **MUST** correspond to the list on the application form. Discs will not be returned and accepted images may be used by NHA for publicity and marketing purposes. **(applications can also be EMAILED w/ jpeg images to newhopeartsorg@gmail.com)**
- **Marketing:** NHArts actively markets the exhibition through local and regional media. Posters and postcards are made available to individual artists.
- **Exhibition space:** Works in Wood will be held at the New Hope Arts Center, located at 2 Stockton Avenue in New Hope, PA, 2ND FLOOR. The 3000 plus square foot exhibition space is well suited for larger works.
- **Delivery:** Artists are responsible for delivering and picking up work. Artists are also responsible for shipping fees to and from exhibition. Specifics will be included with the acceptance notice.

**Liability: While all reasonable care and precautions are taken in handling and installing sculptures, New Hope Arts will not be responsible for retail value replacement for any entry. New Hope Arts advises all artists to insure their artwork. Participation in the exhibition entry process constitutes an understanding and acceptance of the condition set forth.*

Application Deadline: Postmarked 10/1/15

Notification: October 13/14, 2015 by email.

Artwork Delivery: TBA upon acceptance.

Opening Reception and Awards Ceremony:

Saturday, November 14 6-8pm

Preview: Friday, November 13.

For more information:

215-862-9606 info@newhopearts.org

Works in Wood 2015 - Application

Applications with images may be mailed to or dropped off at:

New Hope Arts Center

2 Stockton Ave.

New Hope, PA 18938

OR EMAILED TO: newhopeartsorg@gmail.com

Entry fee - \$25 NHA members, \$35 non-members

Artist Name:	
Address:	
Phone:	
Email:	
Web Site:	

Title	Dimension	*MEDIUM	** Retail Price
1.			
1D.	detail		
2.			
2D	detail		
3.			
3D	detail		
4.			
4D	detail		
5.			
5D	detail		

* Please SPECIFY each of the materials, not just that it is WOOD. i.e. Cherry, Walnut and Copper

**Include the 35% commission in the retail price

Note any special needs for the installation or assembly

- All works must be for sale
- All works must be delivered suitable for installation
- NHARTS reserves the right to refuse works that are different from images submitted
- Accepted artists will be informed of delivery and pick up dates via email
- Disks with accepted works will be retained by NHA for PR purposes

Checklist - I have included:

- application
 resume
 artist statement
 check or money order
 return envelope—only if you NEED your disk back
 disk