CALL FOR ENTRIES A SILK ART EXHIBITION OPPORTUNITY

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Show your silk art in the Shidoni Gallery in Tesuque, New Mexico. This is a family run Fine Art and Sculpture gallery in business for 40+ years. Located just 5 miles North of Santa Fe on Bishops Lodge Road.

Open to all **members** of Silk Painters International (SPIN), **as well as** any silk painters who might be involved in silk painting chapters.

This show will be up for 6 weeks. From June 23rd 2014 through August 4th 2014.

(Yes, **this will overlap** with the art exhibit at the *Threads of Silk* SPIN Festival. You will need at least 1 to 3 **other** images).

Size of Your Submission

No restrictions on **size or age** of the art, the choice is yours, framed art, 3-D art or a banner hung panel, a great opportunity for artists working on larger pieces.

Subject Matter

No limit on the subject matter but Shidoni retains the right to refuse the art if it could be considered offensive.

Deadline for Submissions

May 19th.

Entry Fee

None, but a limit of 3 paintings per artist, please.

Submitting Your Art for Exhibit

1 to 3 digital photographs of your work at 300 DPI or higher. Each submission must have the artist name, title of the artwork and the size and price included with the image. Shidoni is also asking each artist to provide a **brief art statement** about their art and a **short** ½ **page biography and a resumé**. This will stay in a file along with a contract you will sign with the gallery, and be used to talk about you and your art when patrons inquire.

Send the jpg images along with attached documents, bio and statement to: registrar@shidoni.com

Notification of Acceptance

You will be notified on May 26th 2014 if your art has been accepted into the gallery show.

Shipping of accepted artwork:

Please send shipped art to arrive by June 12, 13 or 14th 2014. **Hand delivered** art should arrive on Sat. June 14th, from 10am and 5pm. Please see Jeremy when you arrive.

Shipping Address

Shidoni Gallery 1508 Bishops Lodge Road, Tesuque, NM 87574

Write on the package: attention Talaya.

Insurance and Shipping Costs

You are solely responsible for all insurance and shipping costs to and from the gallery. Please include a pre-paid return label and reusable packing material, meaning boxes or shipping tube so Shidoni can pack up the art to be returned to you. (We are hoping a few local silk painters in Santa Fe or Albuquerque would be available to help with repacking the art on Aug. 4th or 5th).

Sale of Your Art

Your artwork must be for sale by Shidoni. Typically the gallery splits the sales **50-50**, so your pricing needs to reflect that. For those fortunate to make sales from this exhibition, please consider a **voluntary donation** to SPIN for sponsoring the exhibition.

Checks from sales will be mailed by the 10th of the following month.

You will be signing a contract with Shidoni upon acceptance and more details will be provided at that time.

Shidoni has also asked if anyone is interested in **speaking about silk painting** to an invited audience, sort of an afternoon reception, and talk by the artist or artists. The **date is July 12**th and will be promoted on all advertising for the show. This is a great opportunity to meet the public and spread the word on Silk Art. Obviously it would be more convenient for more local artists to participate here as well. We will all help to promote the show and the artists talk.