

# National Open Art Competition 2015

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Deadline: July 12, 2015

Website: [graphiccompetitions.com](http://graphiccompetitions.com)



Now in its 19th year, the **National Open Art Competition** is calling for entries for the 2015 competition. This annual open competition aims to nurture creative talent from both emerging and professional artists.

The following mediums are accepted:

• **Paintings**

• **Drawings**

• **Original prints**

• **Photography**

• **Wall hung installations**

• **Computer generated art, e.g. iPad**

For **young artists** between 15 and 20 years there is also a special prize category (*but a young artist could also win any of the prizes on offer*).

Art works must be new or recent (*preferably in the last 3 years*). Max size of Artwork: Width (183cm) x Height (183cm) x Depth (30cm) including the frame. A total of **four entries** may be submitted for the competition.

The image submitted must be true to the artwork (*try to avoid unnecessary background*) and the Artist must be its author. The art work shown on the image(s) must be available, if shortlisted, for judging at Chichester on the *1 September 2015* and for the exhibition(s). Approximately 100 works will be selected for exhibitions in London and Chichester in *Autumn 2015*.

The entry fee is **£20** to register and submit one work.

## Eligibility

This competition is open to all artists and photographers living, or professionally based, in the **United Kingdom**. No

entries will be accepted from any artist under the age of 15 at *1st September 2015*.

### **Prize**

â€¢ **Towry Award:** Â£10,000 (approx. 15,000 USD)

â€¢ **Ward Thomas Award:** Â£3,000

â€¢ **Seaward Award:** Â£2,000

â€¢ **Southwood Award:** Â£1,000

Moreover, up to nine **Regional Prizes** of Â£1,000 will also be awarded.

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