

# Call for Visual Artists

The NWT Arts Program has been invited to bring a select cohort of NWT Artists to *CRAFTED: Show + Sale*, a three-day craft sale at the Winnipeg Art Gallery (WAG), November 4 to 6, 2022. More information about the *CRAFTED: Show + Sale* event can be found at: [www.wag.ca/events/signature-events/crafted](http://www.wag.ca/events/signature-events/crafted). Please note, work that is primarily 2-D (painting, photography) and consumables (candles, food, cosmetics, etc.) are not eligible for this show and sale.

Five artists from across the NWT will be chosen for this opportunity, one from each region. The NWT Arts Program is calling for applications from design and craft artists who are ready to show and sell their artwork outside the territory.

Artists are expected to have enough artwork for this event, although networking and taking commission orders are equally important.

To be considered, you must meet all of the following criteria:

- Registered in the NWT Arts Program and currently reside in the NWT.
- Able to travel to Winnipeg and participate for the entire duration of the event, November 4 to 6, 2022.
- Have an adequate inventory of artwork to show and/or sell.
- Have some marketing experience selling your artwork at craft fairs.

To apply, please email the following information to [nwtarts@gov.nt.ca](mailto:nwtarts@gov.nt.ca) before July 3, 2022.

- Your full name and community.
- Your current phone number.
- A statement confirming you are available for the dates noted.
- A statement describing what events/markets you have attended in the past and why you are interested/ready for this opportunity.
- An explanation of your artwork including what materials and techniques you create with.
- General size(s) and quantities of the artwork you would show and sell.
- Three current photos of your artwork.
- Social media handles.

Artists will be selected in an attempt to ensure a variety of artwork and artists are represented from across the NWT. Other factors that will be considered are quality/quantity of artwork, sales/networking capability, and market-readiness. The NWT Arts Program will work with chosen artists to ensure they are market ready for this event.

Artists will be responsible for their own sales and commission orders during the event. An NWT Arts representative will be there for support throughout the event.

Chosen artists will have their airfare including one piece of checked baggage and accommodations covered for the event. No honourarium or per diems/incidentals will be provided.

If you have any questions, please contact the NWT Arts Program at [nwtarts@gov.nt.ca](mailto:nwtarts@gov.nt.ca)