

Starting September 22, 2014, the Four Seasons – Wine Bar "Eno", managed by Four Seasons Hotel will exhibit work of one local artist for a month – 6-8 artists will be selected.

"Discover DC's newest nighttime hotspot, ENO, located adjacent to Four Seasons Hotel Washington, DC. ENO works to locally source many of its menu items, which include cheeses from nearby Virginia and Pennsylvania as well as local charcuterie and chocolate pair ings. An extensive list of wines by the glass includes the option to enjoy a flight of three 2.5-ounce glasses. Take a seat in the space's modern

atrium and overlook all the action.



The Four Seasons management is looking for local artists to exhibit their work in the wine bar space on two floors. 8-12 pieces of art will be needed to fill the space. The management engineering staff will hang the work, and Four Seasons will produce the title and artists plates. Signage announcing the artist of the month will also be featured in the space.

Prices will not be on the title plates, but artists can design a postcard that provides the pricing for the exhibition's work, and contact information for patrons to contact the artist directly. No commission.

The Four Seasons will provide its internal and external public relations staff to promote the show, including having a photographer take a head shot for the promotional effort.

The Four Seasons management team will also work with artist in arranging an opening for the show, where guests will be able to order wine at discounted prices.

The Wine Bar is looking for large pieces of artwork to fill the space – suggested sizes by the management were 36x 48 inches. The management describes the style of work that they are looking for as contemporary and edgy – paintings, photography, collage, glass or 3-d pieces if it can be hung on a wall like a painting are acceptable. Wrapped Canvas is acceptable.

The work does not have to be a collection, but can be a variety of work from the artist. Work does not have to be finished at the time of submission but needs to be well described in the artist statement.



## **Selection Process**

Joe Richter and his staff will select the artist.

Joe Richter is the Director of Event Sales, Design and Event Services for the Four Seasons Hotel. The Wine Bar is in the building adjacent to the hotel, and is management by the Four Seasons.

Joe will be reviewing:

- Your website: and
- Your artist statement of work for the exhibition (A few sentences that describes your artistic style and the work you intend to bring.)

If you do not have a website, but still would like to be considered, Joe suggested sending him 5-6 jpeg images of your work, your art bio and artist statement.

CHAL artist must have renewed your membership for the 2014-2015 season (Membership Form attached) or joined as a new member, by the time the first exhibition opens on September 22, 2014.

Joe will review your submission and if he is interested in your work, he will then invite you to meet with him at the location to review your work and application. He is looking to make selection of 6-8 artists— and applicants will be notified no later than August 15<sup>th</sup> of their status.

## **Submission Process**

Send your email to <a href="mailto:Joseph.Richter@fourseasons.com">Joseph.Richter@fourseasons.com</a>

Re: CHAL Solo Exhibition CC: RindyObrien@gmail.com

Send to Joe your contact information: name, email address, and best phone number to reach you. Your website information, and artist statement.

DEADLINE: 5:00 p.m. on August 8th, 2014