

***Note:** Entrants may choose to enter an item in either Wearable Art or Fiber Art category that represents the predominant technique used (i.e., a knitted sweater may be entered as 'Wearable Art' or a "Knit" entry.). Entrants should choose the category based on where you would like the jurors or judges to focus – on the 'wear-ability' and structure of the item or on the quality of the technique used to create it.

Wearable Art Categories*

This category is for any garment, ensemble or wearable item such as footwear, millinery, gloves, etc.

Garment: dress, coat, skirt, pants, top, etc.

Accessory: footwear, gloves, hat, belt, purse, etc.

Entries in this category must submit three images for the jury: full, detail, and back.

Fiber Art Categories*

All fiber art categories may include décor, home accessories, and wearables* (see note above Wearable Art Categories heading)

Felt: Entries in this category will be made using only wet, needle, or nuno felting techniques. May include 3D/sculptural.

Knit / Crochet: Pieces in this category are predominantly knitted or crocheted.

Woven: Items in this category must be completely handwoven. This category could include bobbin lace.

Needlework: The primary focus of the pieces in this category is the use of hand-stitch techniques, such as embroidery, needlepoint, cross stitch, needle lace, etc.

3-D/Sculptural: Wall or tabletop pieces in this category may include any Fiber Art technique but must have substantial body in all three dimensions, having a sculptural appearance, such as dolls, fantasy figures or abstract shapes, vessels, etc.

Mixed Media: Wall hanging pieces using multiple materials such as wool, silk, paper or other fiber material, or includes non-fiber materials.

Other: For fiber art pieces that may not fit easily into other categories such as: a handmade basket, jewelry, hooked rug, mixed technique piece (50% knit/50% handwoven), etc.

Additional information: If dictated by the number of entries, new categories may be added and/or standing ones subdivided or removed.