



# National Association of Women Artists, Inc.

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## ***Beamesderfer 4: Real/Unreal***

**September 5-October 31, 2019**

### **B. Beamesderfer Gallery**

(6 North Second Avenue, Highland Park, NJ, 08904)

**Reception: Thursday, September 5, 2019, 6-8pm**

**THEME:** *Real/Unreal.* This is the fourth in the ongoing series of exhibitions of NAWA members at the B. Beamesderfer Gallery. This exhibition will present two opposite sides of the artistic spectrum: precise representational imagery and totally nonobjective compositions. The show contrasts two poles of visual art, the extremely realistic (created in very detailed, technically refined styles, including photorealistic art), and totally nonobjective art (works containing “abstracted” references to nature or objects are **not** accepted). With this visual dichotomy, viewers of the exhibition will not only see the great range of imagery possible in art, but can also appreciate the fundamental qualities that all artistic creation: color, composition, technical proficiency and personal expression. All media accepted **except** photography.

**Juror: Jeffrey Wechsler** – Former Senior Curator, Jane Voorhees Zimmerli Art Museum, Rutgers University; Executive Board Member of NAWA

**ELIGIBILITY:** This NAWA juried exhibit is open to regular juried in NAWA MEMBERS. (It is not open to Associate Members, Student Members or non-members). Submissions are handled through [www.showsubmit.com](http://www.showsubmit.com)

**AWARDS:** First Place \$150, Second Place \$100, Third Place \$75, Honorable Mention

**CONTACT INFORMATION:** NAWA office ([office@thenawa.org](mailto:office@thenawa.org) / 212-675-1616)

### **CALENDAR**

- **Submission deadline:** Online submission entry deadline: **Friday, July 26, 2019.** When deadline is reached the competition is automatically closed to submissions in the [www.showsubmit.com](http://www.showsubmit.com) program.
- **Entry fee:** \$40 for 2 images; \$5 for one additional image
- **Size of work is FRAMED size.** *Works over the maximum size will be disqualified.*
- **Notification of acceptance:** Posted on NAWA’s Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/TheNAWA](http://www.facebook.com/TheNAWA)) by Wednesday, August 7, 2019.
- **Dates of show:** September 5-October 31, 2019
- **Date works to be received at B. Beamesderfer Gallery** (6 North Second Avenue, Highland Park, NJ 08904), **on Saturday, August 24, and between Monday, August 26 and Saturday August 31, 2019, 10am-4pm.** All shipped art work MUST have prepaid barcoded UPS or Fed Ex return shipping labels included in shipping box for return of artwork (no counter labels or US Postal Service labels or stamps).
- **Hand delivered work** MUST be received at venue from on **Saturday, August 24, and between Monday, August 26 and Saturday, August 31, 2019, 10am-4pm.**
- **Exhibit opens:** September 5, 2019
- **Reception:** Thursday, September 5, 2019, 6-8pm
- **Exhibit closes:** October 31, 2019
- **Pick up of artwork:** **Friday, November 1, 2019 and Saturday, November 2, 2019, 10am-4pm**
- **Return of shipped work:** Will be shipped asap.
- **NOTE:** The B. Beamesderfer Gallery generally sells art within the price range appropriate to a regional/local gallery, between \$200 and \$1500. A higher price will not affect the selection of the works for the exhibition.

## SPECIFICATIONS

- All media accepted **except photography**.
- Maximum size for 2-D wall works and wall hanging sculpture **INCLUDING** frame: 36" high x 30" wide x 5" deep (no exceptions). *Works over the maximum size will be disqualified.*
- No ceiling hung artworks will be accepted. Free standing sculpture will be accepted. Maximum size: 30" high x 15" wide x 15" deep; maximum weight: 30 pounds
- No saw tooth hangers. All works must be wired to gallery standards and must meet professional presentation standards as interpreted by the NAWA Exhibition Committee.
- Plexiglass required for all works on paper. Exception: pastels can be framed in glass.
- Accepted works cannot be substituted and must be available for the duration of the exhibition.
- ALL WORKS MUST BE FOR SALE. Price, title, dimensions of entered work cannot be changed.
- All works MUST be original - no reproductions or GICLEE PRINTS.
- Do not photograph your work in frames!
- Graphic violence and/or lewd sexual content prohibited. Nudes are acceptable at the discretion of the committee.
- Work will not be hung if it is damaged in transit. We will notify you immediately if your work arrives damaged.
- Unframed canvas art work must have the sides painted (not left white).
- NAWA reserves the right to refuse work not professionally presented.

## ENTERING YOUR IMAGES

- Entry form must be filled out in its entirety. List sizes up to the nearest inch. **Size of work is framed size. Works over maximum size will be disqualified.** Submitted images must not include matting or frame. Crop the photos to include only the artwork. Be sure your images are right-side-up.
- Images should be of good quality and no larger than 2MB, 1200-1500 pixels on the longest side at 72 dpi. Images should be in JPEG format. Help in photographing your work and properly sizing your images can be found at: [www.showsubmit.com](http://www.showsubmit.com). If you need help entering your images or are unable to, please write to us here: [office@showsubmit.com](mailto:office@showsubmit.com)
- Please add [office@showsubmit.com](mailto:office@showsubmit.com) and [jbaker@showsubmit.com](mailto:jbaker@showsubmit.com) to your safe senders list to ensure notifications are received.

## SALES

- Artist receives 60%, NAWA receives 20%, Beamesderfer Gallery receives 20% commission on all sales. Price of entered work cannot be changed after submission

## DELIVERY/SHIPPING

- Artists agree to assume all shipping expenses related to exhibition.
- Shipped work MUST include a prepaid bar coded return shipping label (UPS or FEDEX only– NO COUNTER LABELS, no US Postal Service). Please tape return shipping label, along with the exhibition artwork ID label and a one-page resume, to the back of your artwork.
- NO STYROFOAM PACKING PEANUTS. Your work will be returned if it contains packing peanuts. Please inform your shipper if you have it packed professionally.
- Please ship in sturdy, reusable cartons with adequate packing materials. Please use bubble wrap as opposed to air bags which tend to deflate at the end of the exhibition.
- Please do not use oversized boxes for artwork. We cannot store them.
- Shipper should be informed NO US Postage Stamps and NO PACKING PEANUTS. Your work will be returned without hanging if it contains packing peanuts.
- Please mark the name of the exhibition on the outside of the box: Beamesderfer 4/NAWA.
- Accepted artwork may be hand delivered OR shipped – and MUST arrive at the **B. Beamesderfer Gallery** (6 North Second Avenue, Highland Park, NJ 08904) between **Wednesday, August 28 and Saturday August 31, 2019, 10am-4pm. Do not ship to the NAWA office.**
- For professional pick-up and delivery to and from B. Beamesderfer Gallery for a fee of \$60, please contact: Mike Depompeo (201) 873-1495 or email: [depompeo@optonline.net](mailto:depompeo@optonline.net).

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## ENTRY AGREEMENT

*The entry application & payment will serve as the entrants' agreement to all conditions (including the waiver below) set forth in this prospectus. Entries will be disqualified for failure to follow these instructions.*

## WAIVER

My entry into the exhibition *Beamesderfer 4: Real/Unreal*, to be held at B. Beamesderfer Gallery, 6 North Second Avenue, Highland Park, NJ 08904 applied for through [www.showssubmit.com](http://www.showssubmit.com), binds me to the agreement as stated below, and to leave said artwork until the specified removal date on the prospectus.

In consideration of the display of my artwork, I hereby declare I am the owner and creator of the original artwork being submitted by me, both as the artwork's physical manifestation and the copyright of artwork. I accept full responsibility for any casualty of any kind while in the National Association of Women Artists, Inc. (NAWA) Online Exhibition. I hereby waive any and all claims against the National Association of Women Artists, Inc., and also the B. Beamesderfer Gallery, 6 North Second Avenue, Highland Park, NJ 08904, as well as their employees, officers, directors and committee personnel. Nevertheless, for the purpose of this agreement, I agree that the stated value of the artwork shall be One (\$1.00) Dollar, in the event of any loss or damage to the piece of artwork.

I agree to allow an image of my artwork being exhibited to be used without charge for advertising and/or promotion in the furtherance of the Exhibition, and for any purposes including without limitation traditional media, social media, website as well as public relations, prior to and/or after the Exhibition.

My work is available for sale at the price hereinbefore agreed. I agree that if my work is sold during the exhibition, I will receive 60% of the selling price; NAWA will receive 20% and Beamesderder Gallery will receive 20%.

Point of release clause: the work on exhibition is considered part of the exhibition from point of delivery (either by hand or by mail) and until actual pick up/shipping after close of exhibition. NAWA retains the right of discretion to decide if artworks do not meet the requirements of our show standards, or contain any inflammatory or offensive materials.

I understand that my work may not be hung if it fails to meet professional presentation standards (as determined by the Exhibitions committee), arrives damaged, differs significantly from the jpeg image submitted, is over the depth, width and height limit and (for wall sculpture) is above the weight, depth, width and height limits.

Labels: NAWA is a not-for-profit art organization, will not list anything other than the name of the artists, the title of the work, dimensions, medium and price on the labels.

In the event of a dispute with regard to this Waiver Agreement, we agree that all disputes must be adjudicated in a State Court in the County, City and State of New York (i.e. Manhattan), under the Laws of the State of New York, without regard to choice of Law rules.

Note: The use of the National Association of Women Artists, Inc.'s logo, without prior written permission is prohibited. The use of the registered Trademark Seal and the logo of the National Association of Women Artists, Inc. for any personal or business use on any documents, postcards, invitations, and other promotional materials and communications is a violation of law.

The letters NAWA may be used by regular juried members (i.e., not Associate or Student).

Upon entering this competition, I agree to the policies of this Waiver.

**Artwork Label**

**Title of Exhibit:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Artist:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Medium:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Size:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Price:** \_\_\_\_\_

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