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NAEA EXHIBITS WORKS OF ART EDUCATORS

ALEXANDRIA, VA – June 17, 2019 – The National Art Education Association (NAEA) is showcasing artwork from art educators throughout the country in a juried exhibition at the NAEA Studio & Gallery, located at the association's headquarters in Old Town Alexandria, Virginia. The exhibit will run June 17, 2019 – December 6, 2019. A special reception will take place on **Tuesday, July 30, 6–7pm**, at the gallery. The event will also be streamed live via [NAEA's Facebook page](#).

The exhibit features artworks created by NAEA's vibrant professional community of visual arts educators, highlighting a portion of the tremendous skill and vision of members worldwide. In addition to being art educators, many NAEA members are exhibiting artists as well.

In its call for submissions, NAEA received 320 works from 41 states, the District of Columbia, British Columbia, Cyprus, Greece, and Ireland. Jurors selected 60 works for the gallery showing. An additional 74 works were selected by jurors for display in the NAEA Virtual Gallery.

Submissions were reviewed in the following areas:

- Originality and Uniqueness
- Clarity and Meaning
- Innovation and Creativity
- Material Usage and Medium Application
- Quality and Craftsmanship

View the current installation and Virtual Gallery online [here](#).

Media are invited to view the art and attend the reception. Contact Scott Russell at srussell@arteducators.org.

*Founded in 1947, **NAEA** is the leading professional membership organization exclusively for visual arts educators. Members include elementary, middle, and high school visual arts educators; college and university professors; university students preparing to be art educators; researchers and scholars; teaching artists; administrators and supervisors; and art museum educators—as well as more than 57,000 students who are members of the National Art Honor Society.*

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