## ALBERTA COUNCIL FOR THE UKRAINIAN ARTS

# CALL FOR ARTISTS

#### 2026 SIGNATURE ARTIST EXHIBITION SERIES

## We are Looking For:

- A gallery proposal for an exhibition showing artwork in any media: painting, photography, printmaking, sculpture, folk art, ceramics, illustration, mixed media, installation, digital art, video
- Solo, duo or group exhibitions for our Signature Artist Series exhibitions in 2026
- Artists with Ukrainian heritage OR artists with Ukrainian content in their artwork OR non-Ukrainian artists collaborating with Ukrainian artists

### **Please Submit:**

- Exhibition Proposal (max 300 words)
- Curriculum Vitae and/or Bio (max 2 pages)
- Up to 10 images of relevant artwork, or up to 5 min of video
- Image List (including title, media, dimensions, year and price of each artwork)

Preferred format for proposals: one PDF, not exceeding 20MB. Artist may also submit a word document with up to 10 JPG images. If you require more space for time-based or intermedia work, please provide a link via Dropbox, Google Drive, Vimeo or Youtube.

In your proposal make sure to indicate:

- An approximate number of pieces and dimensions of the artwork intended for the exhibition
- Whether you are applying for a solo or group show
- If you would be willing to participate in a show with another artist of the gallery's choosing

Submission deadline is June 21, 2025.

Submit completed proposals and any questions to info@acuarts.ca

## **About ACUA and Our Selection Process**

The Alberta Council for the Ukrainian Arts (ACUA) is a non-profit organization that operates the ACUA Gallery & Artisan Boutique. It is the mandate of ACUA to facilitate and encourage greater appreciation and awareness of the Ukrainian arts and their cultural significance to the greater Alberta community. The ACUA Gallery & Artisan Boutique is located at 10554 - 110 Street, Unit 100 in Edmonton, Alberta.

A jury comprised of ACUA board members and volunteers will evaluate submissions. Proposals will be judged based on quality of work, artist commitment and investment in their practice, as well as the work's ability to draw and engage viewers. ACUA Gallery sets out to exhibit a fair and balanced representation of artists, media and disciplines.

ACUA Gallery & Artisan Boutique provides an opening reception, printed materials, and prepares publicity for exhibitions. We do not have a budget for artist exhibiting fees, shipping, or travel, however the gallery facilitates and promotes artwork sales made during the exhibition and only takes a 25% commission of sales. Exhibitions are generally 4-6 weeks long.

Successful applicants will be notified.