

# *Genesis at Green Spring Station • Year 2* *Call for Entries: Deadline, August 20, 2011*

Baltimore Sculptors Inc. in collaboration with James L. Pierce Fine Art Framing and Gallery at Green Spring Station, 2360 W. Joppa Road, Lutherville, MD 21093

***Deadline: August 20, 2011***

## ***About the Exhibition***

**Genesis** is an ongoing collaboration between Baltimore Sculptors Inc., the James L. Pierce Gallery and Green Spring Station (Foxleigh Management). The Call is open to all sculptors who are, or become members of Sculptors, Inc. and to non-members who pay a \$35 fee (see “Eligibility” below.) **There is no required theme or size restriction.**

Artists are encouraged to submit outdoor work that will be displayed in open areas throughout this prestigious shopping area. Green Spring Station serves as the north gate to Baltimore’s premier communities. The exhibition duration will be eleven months beginning in early September and will consist of two categories: the first is an exhibition of larger OUTDOOR works installed either on cement pads or directly on the ground. The outdoor work will be displayed in select garden locations around the mall exterior and along a stream in a semi-wooded open area of about a quarter acre. New cement pads for work will be arranged as needed.

The second category of works for the exhibition will be mounted within the open but covered INTERIOR of the shopping area. The mall interior offers broad promenades and many blank brick walls that can accommodate larger single works or multiple smaller pieces. Wall space varies from 9 feet in height and 15 to 20 feet in width to 13 feet in height by 21 feet in width. Both floor and wall-hung works will be considered for the interior spaces, but all must be compatible with the pedestrian flow of a public space. Entries must be existing works. Design proposals or maquettes are ineligible. (Note: Artists who submitted jpegs previously that were not selected are encouraged to resubmit those works for this Call.) The works submitted should be child-friendly and touchable. They must be durable and able to withstand the natural elements. It is highly recommended that artists visit the site to understand fully the diversity of available exhibition spaces and installation requirements. Images of Greenspring Station’s interior and exterior can be viewed at [www.sculptorsinc.org](http://www.sculptorsinc.org). The final location of each work will be at the discretion of the exhibition committee.

**Juror: Christopher LaVoie, Baltimore-based Sculptor and Multimedia Artist**

Christopher LaVoie's recent exhibitions include the Baltimore Museum of Art, as a 2010 Sondheim Prize finalist, and Irvine Contemporary, Washington, DC. He has worked in bronze welding and finishing for New Arts Foundry, fabrication for Gutierrez Studios, and art

education for the Tucson Museum of Art. Mr. LaVoie holds a BFA in sculpture from the University of Arizona and an MFA in sculpture from the Maryland Institute College of Art (MICA) as a two-year Merit Scholar. He also spent a year studying at the Universitat Leipzig in Germany. He is currently an adjunct faculty member at Towson University and MICA.

**Eligibility:**

This is an open call to all Sculptors Inc. members who have paid their dues for 2011. Any other artists who are not members may join and enter the show by paying their annual dues of \$35 (or \$15 for current full-time students). Visit the web site at <http://www.sculptorsinc.org/join.html> for instructions on how to join Sculptors, Inc. For non-members, please include your \$35 fee in a check payable to Sculptors, Inc. To be considered for the call, your check must reach our treasurer by August 20, 2011.

**Call for Entry Specifications:**

- This exhibition will be juried from digital images. Artists may enter six works, with up to two (2) images per work, for a maximum of twelve images. Format the images as 72 ppi jpegs no larger than 600 x 800 pixels. The jpegs are to be saved with the artist's last name, number of the work, and an "a" or "b." For example, *Johnson3a*.
- Provide a very brief statement about the work, including medium, size of work, selling price, title, and any special installation requirements.
- Include an image list that corresponds with the images. (A form is attached for your use.)
- Submit an artist resume, no longer than one page. (Selected artists will be required to sign a contract with the gallery and complete a detailed questionnaire about their work with their choice of other images for the gallery's sales binder. This enables gallery staff to respond to collector interest in artists' work and facilitate contacts and sales.)
- The Juror reserves the right to reject works upon delivery that do not correspond to the submitted proposal.
- All images shall become the property of Sculptors Inc. and may be retained for consideration in future exhibitions.
- Entries should be submitted on a CD: The deadline for receipt of all images and proposals is August 20, 2011. Send to:

**Josh Gillen  
2831 Alabama Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21227**

**Insurance, Delivery, Installation & Loan Period/Commission Details:**

- Insurance is the responsibility of the artist, including transportation to and from the site. Artists are solely responsible for delivery and installation of their accepted work on the installation dates, and de-installation of their works on the pick-up dates.
- All submitted work must be available for purchase. Artists are responsible for providing prices to the gallery on submission of the work.
- All work accepted and exhibited must remain on display for the full duration of the respective show.

- The James L. Pierce Gallery will be handling sales and promotion and will charge a 25% commission. SI will not receive anything from sales transactions.

**Calendar:**

August 20, 2011: Deadline for images

August 25, 2011: Notifications of acceptance sent.

September 16-18, 2011: Installation

September 2011: Reception 6:00 to 9:00 p.m., date TBA

August 2012: Deinstallation (dates to be announced)

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**Image List Form: Genesis 2011**

Artist's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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