



INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION FOR YOUNG ARTISTS

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REQUIREMENTS FOR CANDIDATES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE COMPETITION

The Competition is held in three categories:

- **Painting**
- **Graphics**
- **Digital Art, Computer Graphics, and Animation**

REQUIREMENTS FOR CANDIDATES:

1. Age: 18 to 35 years old (inclusive).
2. No restrictions for entering Russia.
3. Valid travelling passport (the period of validity of passport should be not less than 6 months after the Exhibition completion date).

REQUIREMENTS FOR COMPETITIVE WORKS:

1. The work should reflect the main theme of the Competition. The theme of the 2024-2025 Competition is – "**The Values of my Nation as part of the Global Human Culture**"
2. Materials:
 - 2.1. Works in the category **Painting** are accepted on canvas or cardboard, made with oil, tempera or acrylic
 - 2.2. Works in the category **Graphics** are accepted on paper or fabric, made with ink, pen, pencil, liners, soft materials (charcoal, sepia, sauce, pencil), watercolor, mixed techniques; engravings on metal, wood, stone, linoleum, silkscreen printing are also accepted.
 - 2.3. Works in the **Digital Art** category shall include images created and/or edited using digital technology. GIF art, digital animation, cartoons, and comics may participate.
3. The work must be completed independently, specifically for the Competition. No more than one work shall be accepted from one participant.
4. The size of the work shall be no more than **175 cm on any side** (for paintings and printed works); the timing of videos, cartoons, and animations shall not exceed **3 minutes**.

DOCUMENTS NEEDED (*all documents must be submitted in English, Names of all files sent electronically shall begin with the last name and first name of the participant specified in the application form*):

1. Creative CV of the Competition participant
2. Photograph of the participant.
3. Document of artistic training: diploma or academic certificate confirming institutional affiliation (if any).

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4. High-quality photos/scans of the competition work (up to 3 copies) – JPG, PNG, TIFF raster files shall be accepted with a resolution of at least 600×600 pixels, size no more than 10 MB; in the case of a video work, a link to a video published on Rutube, YouTube, or Vimeo must be attached.
5. A text document describing the work. Such text document shall describe the idea of the work, pertaining to the theme of the Competition, indicate the name of the work, materials used, and size.

COMPETITION RESULTS:

1. The finalists' works will be presented at an exhibition at the branch of the State Tretyakov Gallery in Kaliningrad.
2. The award ceremony for the winners of the Competition will take place during the exhibition from June 12 to 15, 2025.
3. The finalists of the Competition will be invited to the award ceremony and exhibition. The finalists of the Competition will be awarded with Diplomas of Winners and will receive memorable prizes from the organizer of the Competition.

THE ORGANIZER OF THE COMPETITION SHALL BEAR THE FOLLOWING EXPENSES OF THE FINALISTS:

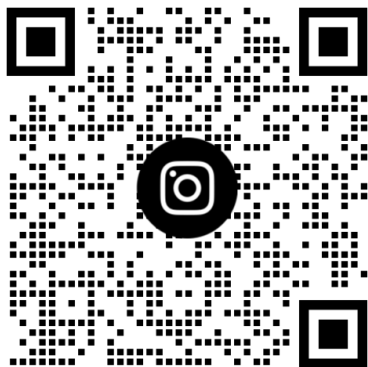
1. Reimbursement for the delivery of finalist's original work to the venue of the final exhibition.
2. Reimbursement for the Russian visa fee.
3. Air travel to the venue of the final exhibition and back (from / to the international airport closest to the finalist's place of living).
4. Accommodation in the city of final exhibition for the period of stay of the finalist (double rooms).
5. 3 meals per day for the period of stay of the finalist.
6. Internal transfers at the territory of Russian Federation.

The application form must be filled at the website

<https://kartinamira.art/en>

till 1st March, 2025

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