

VII INTERNATIONAL CERAMICS BIENNIAL OF MARRATXÍ

Bases

1. The aim of International Ceramics Biennial of Marratxí is to promote creativity in the sector of ceramic arts and to stand out Marratxí as a center of ceramics.
 2. Ceramics artists from all over the world can apply as individuals or groups.
 3. Participants can submit a maximum of one piece, which have to be unique objects, originals, not linked to any serial design of ceramics, not being submitted to any contest before, made of ceramic materials for the most part.
 4. The works should not exceed a size of 2 meters including the base.
 5. Application must be sent from 2 to 30th of November 2017 (date of receipt) to "Àrea de Cultura del Ajuntament de Marratxí" Adress: calle Santa Barbara nº 9, 07141 Marratxí , Balearic Island, Spain. Either by e-mail from 2 to 29 of November 2017.
 6. Required information: registration form, specification to the work submitted (see download on www.marratxi.es), professional CV of artist, and maximum 3 photos sent by mail or on CD:
 - JPG
 - Resolution: 300ppp,2.480x3.508 pixels.
 - Size: Din A4
- Photos should be taken from different angles of vision on neutral background and can be used in catalogue. Application and documentation can be sent via e-mail to bicma2018@gmail.com.
7. The appointed Selection Committee will select the finalists on the basis of the received documentation and photos. Participants will be notified immediately after their decision.
 8. All attached documentation to the registration will be saved in the Marratxí Municipality Archive.
 9. Accepted works must be shipped to "Ajuntament de Marratxí" between 8 and 26 of January 2018. Non-compliance implicates disqualification.
 10. Both the Selection Committee and the jury who present the awards is formed by competent persons in the field of ceramics and their verdict is incontestable.
 11. Selected works will be exhibited between 23th of February to 7th of April 2018 and will appear in the catalogue published at this Biennial.
 12. Prize winning piece will become property of Ajuntament de Marratxí and proceed to the fund of "Museu del Fang" of Marratxí where they will be conserved.
 13. Participants are responsible for correct shipping of the pieces to Marratxí. Work must be appropriately packaged preferably in hard boxes which can be used to return them

as well. If shipping is made from out the EU parcel must be accepted by custom of origin country as well as the Spanish one.

14. Participants have to pay both costs of sending and returning the piece.
15. Participating artist have to charge all cost relating to customs, both in their country for shipping as well for return from Spain, if necessary.
16. Prize is subject to taxation in accordance with current legislation. Prize winners will be obliged to join the presentation of award.
17. Works that have not won a prize will be returned after the exhibition. Participant can choose the way of shipping. Pieces can be collected personally or by shipping company between 16th and 27th of April 2018, both inclusive. Opening hours are on working days from 09.00h to 14.00h. Please contact "Area de Cultura" of the "Ajuntament de Marratxi" before. After closing date they will assume that the participant renounces his works, which will become property of the Ajuntament de Marratxi.
18. Organization of the biennial will do everything in its power for safekeeping for the work.
19. Only through participating in the Biennial the participants accepts each and every point of the conditions mentioned in this document. The organization reserves full responsibility with regard to all items not enumerated and with regard to any questioned point of the interpretation of the conditions.

First prize:

Award: 6.000,00 €

Second prize:

Award: 4.000,00 €