

THE EÖTVÖS JÓZSEF COLLEGE, THE NAGY ISTVÁN ART ASSOCIATION, THE CAFFART ART ASSOCIATION AND THE NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF PUBLIC SERVICE FACULTY OF WATER SCIENCE REQUESTS FOR COMPETITION FOR THE

# VI. WATER AND LIFE INTERNATIONAL ART BIENNALE

"The water is the element that connects, unites and keeps together the parts of the world." (Béla Hamvas)

• The natural environment defined by the Danube, the region's history, culture and artistic traditions of Baja, predestine the city to be the home of the biennale. The city that lies nearly at the midpoint of the Danube is one of the most important and ancient cities in the southern region of the river, which interconnects several countries. The biennial aims to provide every two years a review of the water and life-themed works of the Danube countries.

### APPLICANTS

Applications can be accepted from Germany, Austria, Slovakia, Hungary, Croatia, Serbia, Romania, Bulgaria, Moldova and Ukraine in the following categories:

- painting
- graphics

The artworks may not be prepared before 2015.

You can apply to the competition with the digital photograph of your work by **15 October**, **2017** at **vizeselet@ejf.hu**. Each artist can apply with the photographs of two works. A professional jury will select the artworks to be exhibited based on the digital photographs.

## AWARDS

By the decision of the jury a first, a second, a third, and two special awards will be given.

- I. Award 120 000 HUF
- II. Award 100 000 HUF
- III. Award 80 000 HUF
- Special award participation in the IX. Caffart International Artists' Colony
- Special award Individual exhibition at the Picture Gallery of István Nagy at Baja

### **IV.** DETAILS OF ARTWORKS

- The original flat-type units can be: max. 120 cm x 120 cm
- Graphic artworks can be accepted only in ready to exhibition way standard size passepartouted (50x70 cm or 70x100 cm), or in case of individual sizes in frames, covered by glass – with standard subtitleing. Only artworks, made by classical graphic techiques can be accepted.
- Parameters of the artwork's photograph: resolution of 72 x 72 dpi, picture size of at most 1600 x 1200 pixel, color depth of 24 bit/pixel, max. 0,5 MB file size, file type: JPG. At the naming of the digital reproduction please follow the example, accentuated letters are forborne!

Example: name of creator\_title of the work\_size\_technique\_the year of creation. Please indicate the following data next to the pictures: name of the creator, title of the work, size, technique, year of creation.

## V. DEADLINES

- The deadline for submitting the digital photographs is: **15 October**, **2017**
- Information about the jury's decision will be announced on www.ejf.hu and www.caffart.hu, from 24 October, 2017
- The selected works have to be delivered
   – if presented personally
   – ready for the exhibition (framed, glassed and packed) at the following location and time:
   National University of Public Service Faculty of Water Science
   6500 Baja, Bajcsy-Zsilinszky út 14. Hungary
  - 6 November, 2017 between 10:00-16:00
  - 8 November , 2017 between 10:00-16:00
- Artworks sent by traditional Post Office, should arrive at latest on 8 November, 2017 to the address below:

VI. Water and Life International Art Biennale Eötvös József Főiskola, 6500 Baja, Szegedi út 2. Hungary

Supporters of the competition: Hungarian Academy of Art (MMA), National Cultural Fund of Hungary (NKA), National Association of Hungarian Artists (MAOE), Ministry of Human Resources (EMMI), Municipality of Baja, Municipality of Kecskemét, Eötvös József College, National University of Public Service Faculty of Water Science, Nagy István Art Association, Caffart Art Association

