



# 2017 MINNESOTA STATE FAIR FINE ARTS RESULTS

## 1 - Oil/Acrylic/Mixed Media

1st	Larry Hofmann "Woman Leaving"	Minneapolis <b>(Oil On Panel)</b>
2nd	Anna Leigh Biedenbender "And also with you"	St. Paul <b>(Acrylic And Oil On Wood Panel)</b>
3rd	Joel Franklin Springer "Downtown Building"	Anoka <b>(Acrylic On Masonite)</b>
4-Merit	Teresa M Cox "Galactic Garden"	St. Paul <b>(Acrylic, Photo And Paint Skins On Panel)</b>
5-H.M.	Mary P Opatz Herges "Stillness in the Woods"	St. Cloud <b>(Oil On Panel)</b>
5-H.M.	Matt Kania "Forming Loaves"	Duluth <b>(Oil On Canvas Panel)</b>
5-H.M.	Patty A Voje "#Resist"	Saint Paul <b>(Oil On Gessobord)</b>
5-H.M.	Katrin Schroeder "Dreamed Before"	Minneapolis <b>(Oil On Canvas)</b>
5-H.M.	John Ilg "Treaty"	Woodbury <b>(Oil On Linen)</b>

## 2 - Sculpture

1st	Brent L Brager "Entropy"	Bethel <b>(Oak Wood And Steel)</b>
2nd	Kyle L Fokken ""The Jack in the Basket" (Figurehead Series)"	Minneapolis <b>(Mixed Media - Found Objects, Wood,Aluminum,Acrylic,bone)</b>
3rd	Glenn Mckillips "Angel"	Golden Valley <b>(Limestone)</b>



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4-Merit Terry John Zila  
"Possession: Progress "

5-H.M. Beth A. Thompson  
"A Summer Nap"

5-H.M. Craig D Balfany  
"Super Bubble Boy"

New Hope  
**(Mixed Media)**

Minneapolis  
**(Low-fired Earthenware, Stain,  
Slip, Underglaze And Glaze)**

Blaine  
**(Plaster And Collage)**

## 3 - Watercolor/Gouache/Casein/Tempera

1st Robert Jeffery  
"Paris Times 2"

2nd Nancy D Weibert  
"Happy Feet"

3rd Debra C Connolly  
"Lilacs & Oranges"

4-Merit David R Smith  
"Lamentation"

5-H.M. James M Turner  
"Escape"

5-H.M. June H. Young  
"Peony #1"

Minneapolis  
**(Transparent Watercolor)**

Plymouth  
**(Watercolor)**

Danvers  
**(Watercolor)**

Eden Prairie  
**(Transparent Watercolor)**

Mound  
**(Watercolor On Paper)**

Alexandria  
**(Transparent Watercolor)**

## 4 - Drawings/Pastel

1st Sher D Lekszen  
"Blue on Blue"

2nd Madeline Rose Howland  
"Flight"

3rd John Schuerman  
"The Rose"

Princeton  
**(Pastel On Paper)**

Minneapolis  
**(Ink, Graphite And Colored Pencil  
On Paper)**

Minneapolis  
**(Colored Pencil On Paper)**



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4-Merit Stefanie Kiihn  
"Cathedral Hill"

Roseville  
**(Ink)**

5-H.M. Austin K Applequist  
"All the stars are swimming in the bathtub"

Stacy  
**(Pencil And Colored Pencil On Found Paper)**

5-H.M. Cole S Becker  
"Affinities"

Minneapolis  
**(Faber-Castell Pitt Artist Pens On Watercolor Paper)**

## 5 - Prints

1st Marty Harris  
"Frontyard"

St. Louis Park  
**(Screenprint & Digital)**

2nd Sam J Orosz  
"Borderlands MT ND"

St. Paul  
**(Intaglio Print)**

3rd Karen M Monson  
"Heading Home on Highway 32"

Plymouth  
**(Monotype/intaglio Inks)**

4-Merit John A Pearson  
"Pole Barn"

Saint Paul  
**(Photopolymer Gravure Intaglio Print)**

5-H.M. Stuart T Loughridge  
"North Shore"

Saint Paul  
**(Intaglio )**

5-H.M. Emily Gray Koehler  
"Moonrise"

White Bear Lake  
**(Color-Reduction Woodcut)**

## 6 - Ceramics/Glass

1st Karen Ruch Brown  
"Attitude"

Mpls  
**(Terracotta Clay, Glaze, Mixed Media)**

2nd Thomas J. Maras  
""Life on Maras""

Plymouth  
**(Hand Blown Glass)**



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3rd Fred Kaemmer  
"Agate Bowl"

Saint Paul  
*(Blown Glass)*

4-Merit Dawn Marie Perault  
"The Hunt"

St. Paul  
*(Raku Clay, Slab Built With  
Oxide Stain On Slate Base)*

5-H.M. Susan E Feigenbaum  
"Forest Murmurs"

Eden Prairie  
*(Ceramic; Glaze)*

5-H.M. Hiram D. Cochran  
"Aleppo"

Saint Paul  
*(Earthenware With Slip, Sawdust  
Fired)*

### 7 - Textiles/Fibers

1st Beth Barron  
"Implosion 4"

St. Paul  
*(Hand Stitched. Found Bandages,  
Beads, Acrylic Paint, Thread.)*

2nd Kristin Hoelscher-Schacker  
"Alchemy"

Sunfish Lake  
*(Silk, Cotton, Dye, Digital Image.  
Hand Stitched.)*

3rd Tressa P Sularz  
"CARDINAL"

Minneapolis  
*(Twined Cotton With Red White  
Heart Trade Beads.)*

4-Merit Nancy M Condon  
"Goodwill Hunting"

Stillwater  
*(Fabric, Fused, Stitched)*

5-H.M. Peggy Roser Wright  
"Fire Burn and Cauldron Bubble"

Saint Paul  
*(Monoprinting And Painting, Free  
Machine Stitching)*

5-H.M. Julie Hassler  
"The North Shore Chair"

St. Paul  
*(Wet And Nuno Felted Fishnet  
And Chair With Embellishments)*



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## 8 - Photography

1st	Steve Ozone "Justin, Rushford, Minnesota"	Minneapolis <b>(Archival Pigment Print)</b>
2nd	Shelly R Mosman "Deer hunt "	Minneapolis <b>(Portrait Photography )</b>
3rd	Vance Gellert "The Divination"	Minneapolis <b>(Archival Inkjet)</b>
4-Merit	Robert Donsker "Migrant Workers Quarters, Wisconsin"	North Oaks <b>(UltraChrome Print )</b>
5-H.M.	J. Arthur Anderson "Standoff (Near the Backwater Bridge)"	Minneapolis <b>(Digital Photographic Print)</b>
5-H.M.	R. J. Kern "Dumb and Dumber, Freeborn County, Minnesota"	Minneapolis <b>(Archival Ink On Photo Rag)</b>
5-H.M.	Katherina M Vang "Hmong Chinese"	Woodbury <b>(Photography)</b>
5-H.M.	Carla Alexandra Rodriguez "Flesh & Fruit"	Saint Paul <b>(Tintype)</b>
5-H.M.	John P Swanson "Shine Boys Aleppo"	Minneapolis <b>(Film SLR/Didgital Print)</b>

## 11 - Additional Sponsored Awards

### **AgDay365 Award**

1st	Linda A Medved Lufkin "Purple Popcorn Zea mays 'Strawberry' 2x"	Saint Paul <b>(Watercolor &amp; Gouache On Paper)</b>
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### **American Swedish Institute Award**

1st	Kimber A Fiebiger "We the People"	Minneapolis <b>(Bronze)</b>
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## Art Reach St. Croix Award

1st Emily Gray Koehler  
"Moonrise"

White Bear Lake  
*(Color-Reduction Woodcut)*

## artbarn52 | Framing Solutions Best Custom Framing Award

1st Matt Kania  
"Forming Loaves"

Duluth  
*(Oil On Canvas Panel)*

## Artistry Award

1st Daralyn B Peifer  
"Alizabeth"

Minnetonka  
*(Conte And Charcoal On Mylar)*

## Banfill-Locke Center for the Arts Award

1st Mat John Ollig  
"North-Star Mill"

Minneapolis  
*(Oil On Canvas)*

## C. Crist Delmonico Memorial Award

1st Naomi T Hart  
"The Guardian"

St. Cloud  
*(Encaustic Mixed Media On Birch Panel)*

## Earthkeepers Award

1st Reid Charles Thorpe  
"Otter Lake Series #7"

Chaska  
*(Oil On Canvas)*

## Edina Art Center Award

1st Paul J Quie  
"Joy"

Stillwater  
*(Oil On Board)*

## Friends of Hopkins Center for the Arts Award

1st Rod Massey  
"Blue Roll-Off"

Minneapolis  
*(Oil On Panel)*

## Gallery 5004 Artist Exhibition Award

1st Malia Emma Wiley  
"Owlets on Granny's Afghan"

Lake Crystal  
*(Oil On Canvas)*



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## Jennifer and William Oliver Award

1st Brian J Berle  
"Mechanical fish"

Shakopee  
*(Found Items Metal Sculpture)*

## Maple Grove Arts Center Award

1st Jeremy M. Jordan  
"An Evening at The Wave"

Maple Grove  
*(Night Photography)*

## Minnesota Art Center Sculpture Award

1st Kimber A Fiebiger  
"We the People"

Minneapolis  
*(Bronze)*

## Minnesota Artists Association Award of Excellence

1st Mat John Ollig  
"North-Star Mill"

Minneapolis  
*(Oil On Canvas)*

## Minnesota Citizens for the Arts Great State of Minnesota Award

1st Michael A Melman  
"Minneapolis Midway"

Minneapolis  
*(Acrylic On Paper)*

## Minnesota Figure Study Collaborative Best Creative Use of the Human Figure Award

1st Deborah Ann Kirkeeide  
"California Trek"

Andover  
*(Oil On Gessobord)*

## Minnesota Museum of American Art Award

1st Sam J Orosz  
"Borderlands MT ND"

St. Paul  
*(Intaglio Print)*

## Minnesota Porcelain Arts Guild Award

1st Dawn Marie Perault  
"The Hunt"

St. Paul  
*(Raku Clay, Slab Built With Oxide Stain On Slate Base)*

## Minnesota Quilters Inc. Award

1st Debbie L Boyles  
"Urban Detritus"

Roseville  
*(Fiber Art Quilt)*



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## Minnesota State Fair Foundation - Friends of the Fair Award

1st Leslie Ellen Barlow Minneapolis  
"Sarah, Iza, and Mica" *(Oil, Pastel, And Acrylic On Panel)*

## Minnesota State Fair Foundation - Paul S. Kramer Fine Arts Award

1st Dan E Ellefson Isanti  
"Roseville" *(Acrylic On Plywood)*

## North Hennepin Community College Award of Excellence in Memory of Frank Schreiber

1st Sam J Orosz St. Paul  
"Borderlands MT ND" *(Intaglio Print)*

## North Hennepin Community College Award of Excellence in Memory of Joseph Gazzuolo

1st Naomi T Hart St. Cloud  
"The Guardian" *(Encaustic Mixed Media On Birch Panel)*

## North Hennepin Community College Award of Excellence in Memory of Lance Kiland

1st Laura Donovan Marine On St. Croix  
"Norwegian Wood" *(Oil On Canvas)*

## Northern Clay Center Award of Excellence

1st Ernest L Miller Minneapolis  
"Teapot" *(Porcelain)*

## Northstar Water Media Society Award

1st Frank J Zeller White Bear Lake  
"England Church" *(Ink/Watercolor)*

## Outdoor Painters of Minnesota Award for Outstanding Oil Painting

1st Michele M Combs Plymouth  
"Afternoon Graze" *(Oil)*





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## Ron Merchant Award for Oil Painting

1st Patty A Voje  
"#Resist"

Saint Paul  
*(Oil On Gessobord)*

## Textile Center Award for Excellence and Innovation

1st Deborah McCleary Foutch  
"Charging The Aquifer"

Minneapolis  
*(Layered Fiber Painted And Embellished With Applique)*

## The Gordon Parks Gallery Photography Award

1st J. Arthur Anderson  
"Standoff (Near the Backwater Bridge)"

Minneapolis  
*(Digital Photographic Print)*

## The Margaret Bromschwig Design Award

1st Claudia M. Faith  
"Mother Earth"

Duluth  
*(Acrylic On Canvas)*

## Tweed Museum of Art Award

1st Jenn Ackerman  
"World's Largest Waterpark"

Minneapolis  
*(Digital Print)*

## Tweed Museum of Art Award

1st Peter Wong  
"Diner"

Burnsville  
*(Photography)*

## Tweed Museum of Art Award

1st Marjorie Elaine Pitz  
"Dryad"

St. Paul  
*(Fireclay Stoneware And Glazes)*

## White Bear Center for the Arts Award

1st Sam J Orosz  
"Borderlands MT ND"

St. Paul  
*(Intaglio Print)*