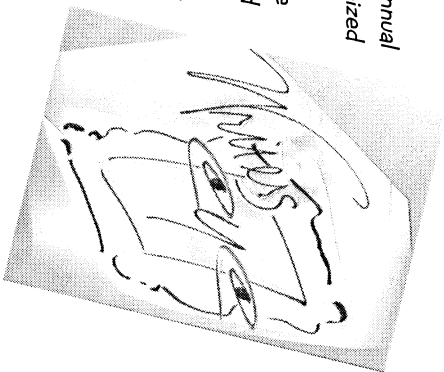


The Writer's Eye

is an annual

prose and poetry competition designed and organized by the docents at the University of Virginia Art Museum to stimulate the relationship between the visual and literary arts. Open to third-graders and adults alike, the contest is meant to encourage a diverse and active response to the visual arts that strives to understand the questions art engages. **ALL WORKS** on view are eligible for the contest, and the community at large is welcome to participate!



The contest begins this year on Monday, September 27 and all entries are due at the Art Museum Friday, November 19 by 5:00pm. Tours will be given through Friday, November 12, 2004 and two Writer's Eye Open Houses will be held by our docents on Sunday October 10 from 3:30 to 5:00pm and Tuesday November 2, from 2:00-4:00pm to host questions and to activate the creative writing process.

Entries are judged in four age categories: Grades 3-5, 6-8, 9-12 and University/Adult. Judges for entries in grades 3-8 will be local writers and teachers from area public and private schools. This year we are honored to have as the final poetry judge Ted Genoways, the new and esteemed editor of the *Virginia Quarterly Review*, and for the final prose judge, Paul Barolsky, Commonwealth Professor in the UVA Art History Department and author of numerous publications on Michelangelo.

awards reception

The Awards Reception will be held on Sunday, February 13, 2005 at 3:00pm, Campbell Hall. An anthology of the winning entries and the artwork selected will be published and available for sale in the spring.

We invite you to visit some of our collection on our Museum website:

<http://www.virginia.edu/artmuseum>

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Questions? Call Deryn Ruth Goodwin at 924-7458

The Writer's Eye ENTRY FORM

Please print clearly!!!!

about you

Name _____

(Please give full name with correct spelling and preferred title: Mr., Miss, Mrs., Ms.)

Address _____

Telephone (Day) _____

(Evening) _____

email address _____

I am: (check one category)

University Student

High School (Grades 9, 10, 11, 12)

Grades 3, 4, 5

Adult

Grades 6, 7, 8

My school _____

My teacher _____

about your inspiration

Title of Museum Piece selected _____

Artist _____

about your writing submission

My entry is: (check one)

Poetry Prose

of words _____

■ Write an original and previously unpublished story or poem inspired by the Writer's Eye selection you've made.

■ Submit one entry only.

PROSE entry of 1,000 words or less

POETRY entry not to exceed two standard 8.5" x 11" pages.

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this form is to be STAPLED to the front page of ONE submission entry copy