CONTEST DESCRIPTION

Invitation to Participate
The George Segal Gallery of Montclair State University invites Montclair State University students, faculty, staff, as well as the greater Montclair community, to participate in the digital photo competition, “Selfie with Segal”. Participants are invited to take a Selfie with Street Crossing, George Segal’s second-most known sculptural installation, located in the Kasser Plaza across from College Hall. Be creative, original and innovative! We are looking for unique Selfie images of individuals and small groups with the sculpture. Images may not be photo shopped or otherwise manipulated. Images will only be accepted from December 3 to December 15, 2014. The top approximately 50 entrants as determined in the sole opinion of Gallery staff will be posted to the George Segal Gallery’s Facebook page. The top five runner-up winners and the final official winner will be chosen by public vote on the Gallery’s Facebook page by registering a “like” designation for six of the images shown on the page and will receive MSU gift bags and an invitation to attend the George Segal Day gallery talk and reception on December 18, George Segal Day, at which time the gift bag prizes will be awarded. Overall winner will also receive two meal vouchers, valid at Chili’s or the Red Hawk Diner on campus.

Contest Rules
The contest is open to the greater Montclair public. Participants including all persons included in the submitted image must be at least 18 years of age. Further contest rules are set forth in Attachment A below.

Submission of Image-How to Enter
-- Take a digital photo and email it along with the completed APPLICATION FORM shown below to the Gallery’s Education Coordinator between December 3 and December 15, 2014: somerwitz@mail.montclair.edu

-- The top 50 Selfie photos will be displayed on the Gallery’s Facebook page (https://www.facebook.com/MontclairStateGeorgeSegalGallery) as well as at the evening reception at the Gallery on December 18. The person submitting the image is responsible for obtaining permission of everyone in the photo to have their image so displayed.

Contest Periods
-- Digital photos may only be e-mailed between December 3 and December 15, 2014.
-- Public voting may only take place December 16 through end-of-business day December 17, 2014. Voting shall be by selecting up to five images on the Gallery’s Facebook page by entering a “like” designation on the Facebook. Voters can “like” as many photos as they wish, but can only “like” one image once (as per Facebook’s capabilities of having someone like a photo). Winners will be announced on the Gallery’s website shortly after the close of the voting period (end-of-business day December 17, 2014).

Eligibility
-- Entrants and all persons shown in a submitted image must be at least 18 years of age. Selected finalists may be required to submit proof of age such as a certified birth certificate or valid driver’s license or passport.

-- The photo competition is open to all Montclair University students, faculty, staff, and members of the greater Montclair community, excluding George Segal Gallery directors, officer, employees, consultants and suppliers, their immediate families and members of their immediate households. Professional photographers are also ineligible.
The photo may not contain any copyrighted material (other than the Segal sculpture) or the trademark of any third person. Photos may not portray any obscene or unlawful or pornographic, immoral or illegal act or violent act.

Each participant may submit only ONE un-photoshopped or otherwise manipulated image. Each person submitting an image must obtain the consent of everyone included in the image to submit the photo and to allow the display of the photo on the Gallery’s Facebook page and in the Gallery itself. The Gallery may require written consent in its discretion.

THE COORDINATOR OF THE GEORGE SEGAL GALLERY SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO MAKE A FINAL AND BINDING DECISION WITH REGARD TO ELIGIBILITY OF PARTICIPANTS IN THE PHOTO CONTEST INCLUDING ELIGIBILITY OF ALL PERSONS DEPICTED IN A SUBMISSION, ELIGIBILITY OF IMAGES, AND ADHERENCE TO THE PHOTO CONTEST RULES. ALL DECISIONS OF THE GALLERY STAFF AS TO CONTEST FINALISTS APPROVED BY THE COORDINATOR AND THE DECISION OF THE EDUCATION COORDINATOR AS TO CONTEST WINNERS SHALL ALSO BE FINAL AND BINDING.

Contest Criteria
Submitted images shall be evaluated on originality, composition and overall impact.

Questions
All questions regarding the photo contest should be submitted to somerwitz@mail.montclair.edu