



Call for Submissions

In conjunction with this year's Canadian University Queer Services Conference, the Fifth Parallel Gallery will be hosting an exhibition of queer artwork. Artworks should consider personal definitions of queerness, queer aesthetics, and the artist's relationship to their own communities.

Although open to artists across Canada in the hopes that some of the conference delegates will submit work, it should be noted that due to the Fifth Parallel Gallery's position as a student-funded, student-run space, artists will be responsible for the shipping of their artwork should they choose to participate. It should also be noted that works will not be insured during their exhibition. Participating artists will, however, be awarded a \$75 honorarium with the possibility of this amount increasing depending on the number of artists chosen to exhibit and the amount of funding available.

Submissions will be collected until March 15th and 8 to 12 works will be selected for exhibition. All applicants will be contacted no later than April 1st. Works must arrive at the Fifth Parallel Gallery by the 15th of April as they will be installed on the 22nd. Shipping information will be emailed to successful applicants.

In your submission package please include:

1. A brief artist statement (no more than 1 page in length) explaining the work(s) being submitted.
2. A brief statement of intent (no more than 1 page in length) outlining the technical requirements of the work(s), if applicable. Please also note what, if anything, the gallery will need to supply in order to exhibit the work(s) correctly.
3. 5 images with accompanying image list that provides the title, medium, duration, etc. of each work. A short video may be substituted for video/performance works.

Only electronic submissions will be accepted. Please email to kovach.joel@gmail.com.