



**GOVERNMENT OF GIBRALTAR**  
**MINISTRY FOR CULTURE, HERITAGE, SPORT & LEISURE**  
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**GIBRALTAR AUTUMN FESTIVAL 2011**

**A. INTERNATIONAL ART EXHIBITION**

The Ministry of Culture wishes to remind artists about the 38<sup>th</sup> Gibraltar International Art Competition. **Closing date for receipt of entries is Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2011.**

The competition is open to anyone aged 16 and over as at 1<sup>st</sup> November 2011. A maximum of two artworks (painting and/or sculpture) may be submitted by each artist. Works must be original and not previously entered competitively.

**Prizes are:**

1 <sup>st</sup> Prize	The Gustavo Bacarisa Prize	£4,000
2 <sup>nd</sup> Prize	The Jacobo Azagury	£2,000
3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize	The Leni Mlfsud Prize	£1,500
Young Artist (16-24 yrs)	The Rudecindo Mannia Prize	£1,000

All the above listed winning artworks will become the property of the Ministry of Culture.

Entry forms and rules are available from:

The Fine Arts Gallery, Casemates  
The Arts Centre, Prince Edward's Road  
John Mackintosh Hall, 308 Main Street  
Ministry of Culture, 310 Main Street; Email: [minculture@gibtelecom.net](mailto:minculture@gibtelecom.net)

Entries must be handed in at the Gustavo Bacarisas Gallery from Monday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2011 from 1pm to 6pm. Closing date for receipt of entries is **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2011.**

The Ministry of Culture wishes to remind the general public about the Poetry Competition which is being organised in conjunction with The Gibraltar Chronicle and The Department of Education & Training.

The competition is open to Gibraltarians and residents of Gibraltar who may submit two original works. The winning entry will receive the Ministry of Culture Prize of £300 and a trophy.

There will also be three categories based on school years (or College equivalent) as follows:

- A. Years 4 to 7
- B. Years 8 to 11
- C. Years 12 and 13

The winner of each category will receive a £50 voucher and a pen, kindly sponsored by The Gibraltar Chronicle, and a trophy donated by the Ministry of Culture. All winning entries will be printed in the Gibraltar Chronicle.

Entry forms and amended rules are available from:

Schools and Gibraltar College of Further Education  
The Department of Education, 23 Queensway  
The Ministry of Culture, 310 Main Street  
or e-mail: [minculture@gibtelecom.net](mailto:minculture@gibtelecom.net)

Entries must reach the Ministry of Culture by **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2011**