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## 42<sup>nd</sup> International Art Exhibition

Gibraltar Cultural Services, on behalf of the Ministry of Culture, is inviting entries for the 42<sup>nd</sup> Gibraltar International Art Competition. Entries will be exhibited at the Gustavo Bacarisas Galleries from the 4<sup>th</sup> November to 13<sup>th</sup> November 2015.

The competition is open to anyone aged 16 and over as of 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2015. A maximum of two paintings and two sculptures may be submitted by each artist. Works must be original and not previously entered competitively.

## Prizes are:

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

Additionally, there will be the Parasol Foundation Trust Award of £3,000 for the Best Gibraltar Theme.

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

Entry forms and conditions are available from:

The Fine Arts Gallery, Casemates John Mackintosh Hall, 308 Main Street Email: <u>info@culture.gi</u>

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Website: www.culture.gi

Entries must be handed in at the Gustavo Bacarisas Galleries from Monday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2015 from 1pm to 6pm. The closing date for receipt of entries is **Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2015**.

For any further information please contact Gibraltar Cultural Services, 308 Main Street on telephone 20067236 or email: <u>info@culture.gi</u>.