

Ministry of Sports, Culture, Heritage and Youth

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## 43<sup>rd</sup> Gibraltar International Art Exhibition

Gibraltar Cultural Services, on behalf of the Ministry of Culture, is inviting entries for the 43<sup>rd</sup> Gibraltar International Art Competition. Entries will be exhibited at the Gustavo Bacarisas Galleries from the 9<sup>th</sup> November to 18<sup>th</sup> November 2016.

The competition is open to anyone aged 16 and over as at 8<sup>th</sup> November 2016. A maximum of two paintings and two sculptures maybe 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	£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 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>
Website: www.culture.gi



Entries must be handed in at the Gustavo Bacarisas Galleries from Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2016 from 3pm to 7pm. The closing date for receipt of entries is **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2016**.

For any further information please contact the Events Department, Gibraltar Cultural Services, 308 Main Street on telephone 20067236 or email: <a href="mailto:info@culture.gi">info@culture.gi</a>.