

2017 Student Public Art Competition

Students are invited to propose ideas for a new *RPIRG Green Patch* sign. This juried process presents an excellent opportunity to realize a work of art for exhibition in a public space. The Green Patch is located north of the Academic Green, and the artwork would be installed in the entrance to the garden. The physical structure of the sign is already in place and is constructed of wood paneling, 82cm x 152cm (height x width). We are looking for a student to do the artistic design on this sign.

This competition process:

1st stage - call for submissions.

Due: **Sept 29, 2017**, 3:30 either delivered to Sean Whalley's Office RC 158, or emailed to garden@rpirg.org

Submissions should include:

- Resume with contact information (phone number and email)
- A detailed description of the proposal (1 page maximum)
- A sketch detailing the concept
- A detailed budget including materials, fabrication and installation (total budget including artist's compensation should not exceed \$700.00).
- Up to three examples of past work (in PDF format, on CD or emailed)

2nd stage

1 finalist will be chosen to realize their design. Finalists will be notified by **Oct 16, 2017**. The sign must be completed by **Dec 16, 2017**, and will be installed immediately thereafter.

The competition is open to both undergraduate and graduate students. This is a juried process. Material cost and artist compensation, as detailed in your proposed budget, will be covered by the Regina Public Interest Research Group.

Group and individual proposals are welcome.

Regulations:

1. The lettering "GREEN PATCH" must be the focal point of the sign.
2. Materials should be durable, able to weather year round conditions and last several years such as wood, metal, ceramic, recycled items, paint, etc. all of which are acceptable.
3. Applicants must be registered as students at the University of Regina at the time of application.
4. The work must be designed and constructed with public safety and environmental sensitivity as a consideration.
5. Please keep cost efficiency in mind when considering installation materials.
6. Individuals may make one submission only.

Additional information is available from RPIRG – garden@rpirg.org,
(306) 337-2420, <http://rpirg.org/events-projects-paren/rpirg-green-patch/>