

HOW TO REMEMBER FOR THE FUTURE

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Humber Galleries is excited to announce its participation in this year's CONTACT Photography Festival. Open to all Humber College and University of Guelph-Humber students, faculty, staff, and alumni, applicants are welcome to submit photography as part of a themed exhibition called *How to Remember for the Future*.

How to Remember for the Future invites photographers to explore the documentation of unexpected experiences that affect their memories of a certain time and place. As an artist, what does it mean to create with intention in a world whose priorities and environments may no longer be predictable nor sustainable? After observing local and global events, and balancing issues such as gender politics, IBPoC representation, climate change, and public protests, how do artists adapt? And to what extent can these present-day experiences shape their future? This action of memory-making is especially applicable in photography, where the physical act of taking a picture simultaneously records and omits subjects and their surroundings. It affects not only the ways in which a photographer may reminisce about the past, but how they remember for the future.

Photographers are being asked how these captured memories will shape their future. In your artist statement, please be clear and concise about the ways in which these image submissions speak to memory-making.

Requirements:

Submissions must be photographic or lens-based but can incorporate other art forms within a photographic medium (ex: collage, archival, painting, literature etc). They can be singular images, as well as triptychs or diptychs. Colour and/or black & white images are welcome. Successful applicants will be chosen by a jury whose members include staff from Humber Galleries, Centre for Creative Business Innovation (CCBI), and invited faculty.

To be considered, applicants must submit the following:

- Artist statement (250 words max)
- Artist biography (100 words max)
- Artist CV (optional)
- Website and/or portfolio links (optional)
- Maximum 5 images (Up to 3 images total may be selected to be part of the exhibition)
- Image list with the title, medium, and ideal printing dimensions

Benefits for Artists:

- Honorarium of \$200 per artist via an EverythingCard
- Co-Curricular Record (CCR) certificate for current students

Applications are open now until Sunday, April 3, 2022.
Visit bit.ly/HGContactCall for more info and to apply.