

Guidelines for Membership Applications

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

Associate members are shortlisted by the incumbent Council or a Council sub-committee, names going forward to the Annual General Meeting each year.

APPLICATION process:

Please note: the first stage of the application process is by submission of digital images. Shortlisted artists will be asked to bring in actual work prior to the Annual General Meeting.

- Submissions can be made at any time during the year but will only be reviewed prior to that year's AGM. For delivery of work for the second stage of applications the gallery is open for delivery of work Tuesday to Saturday 11am - 5pm
- 10 good quality images in a jpg format of your most recent artworks should be emailed to admin@rcaconwy.org, each image should be titled and numbered in correspondence with the application form.
- Images can also be sent to using using a file transfer website such as WeTransfer, using the same email, admin@rcaconwy.org
- Artist statement, no longer than one side of A4.
- Artist's CV
- Administration fee of £25.00 (non-refundable) to be paid in cash or by card payment.

If you are not selected:

If you have not been successful this time we would encourage you to re-apply with new work next year as we realise artists and their work develop over time.

Feedback is available upon request. It will briefly address why your submission was not successful on this occasion. Beyond this feedback, we are sorry, but we won't be able to enter into any further discussion.

Please note that gallery staff have no involvement in the selection/decision making process.

If you are selected:

If you are successful to be selected for the second stage of the application the Academy will ask you to bring the following artworks to the gallery.

- 6 pieces of artwork, they do not need to be the works that you submitted in the application, but should be your current and recent practice
- A portfolio of artworks, drawings and/or documentation of exhibitions and supporting sketch books.

We will ask for the work to be delivered to the Royal Cambrian Academy Gallery a week before the second stage selection, dates will be advised.

FULL ACADEMICIANS

Associate members may apply to become **Full Academicians** after 2 years as an associate member. Applications and work are presented directly to members attending the AGM, rather than being shortlisted by the Academy's Council.