



Black Artists of DC: **Prospectus *IMAGINE: BADC original mail art Fundraiser***

Produced by: Black Artists of DC (BADC)

Sponsor: GIBSON-HUNTER STUDIO

Location: 4221 ARGYLE TERRACE NW
WASHINGTON DC 20011
(202) 769- 8447


Curator: BADC Curatorial Staff

MAIL ART: 5” x 7” original art postcard (Image on front)

Back/Right **BADC IMAGE Fundraiser 2018**
C/O Gibson-Hunter Studio
4221 Argyle Terrace NW
Washington DC, 20011

Back/Left Title of work
Date of completed work
Signature of artist
(DO NOT PUT SIGNATURE OF ARTIST ON FRONT IMAGE)
Artist’s email address/website

REVERSE OF POST CARD

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Dates of Exhibit: December 1 and December 2, 2018, Hours: 12 Noon - 5 pm
Unsold original mail art will become the property of Black Artists of DC and will be posted online for sale.

Submission Deadline: Postmarked by November 16, 2018 midnight

Exhibit Theme: IMAGINE

The first step to creating other realities is to imagine them. BADC is asking its members, supporters and those who are inspired by this call to share your imaginings of a different world, of different ways to succeed, of different ways to relate to each other, or different ways to live/be. Can we imagine technologies that increase our humanity? Can we imagine a planet that finds political balance? Please share the things you imagine. For suggestions for how to create Mail art see [How to Make Deliverable Mail Art | The Postman's Knock](https://thepostmansknock.com/how-to-make-deliverable-mail-art/)
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Notification of Artists: Artists will be notified that work has been received via email.

Post all original mail art via US Post office or works may be hand delivered to:

BADC Imagine Fundraiser 2018
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WASHINGTON DC 20011

NO ENVELOPES PLEASE...be creative in your choice of stamps.

Distribution of Invitations: Invitations will be sent to BADC mailing lists. The bulk of invitations will be via electronic media.

Opening Reception: Reception: December 1, 2018, 2:00-4:00

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Eligibility: Open to all artists over 18 years of age.

Submission Guidelines: This is a fundraiser. We will accept as many original art postcards as you are willing to donate.

Size 5" x 7"

Media: All

Please post through the US Postal system.

https://www.etsy.com/market/fine_art_postcards

No returns, all mail art will be exhibited. Racist, violent and pornographic artworks will not be exhibited.

Payment: All cards will be sold for \$25.00. All funds from sold original mail art will be donated to: Black Artists of DC (BADC), a 501C3 non-profit organization.

No entry fee!

SUBMISSION: 5" x 7" post cards, **ONLY**

SALES:

This is a fundraiser for Black Artists of DC. Funds will be used for exhibitions, hiring of curators, catalogs, administrative expenses, office supplies, and the needs of the organization.

After the fundraising, all unsold works will be offered for sale online. Black artists of DC (BADC) is a non-profit organization. We will post our earnings at the end of the fundraising, <http://blackartistsofdc.com/>

SHIPPING AND HANDLING:

The artist is responsible for all costs of postage.

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Call: September 18, 2018

Deadline: November 16, 2018 midnight

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Opening Reception: December 1, 2018, 2:00-4:00pm

Closing: December 2, 2018 5:00

**We reserve the right to use submitted images and information for inclusion in promotional materials to publicize the exhibition.*

***The artist retains the copyright to the image on the cards.*

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