

Visual Art Category: Transform Your Office into a Temporary Gallery

The **On My Own Time™** (OMOT) visual art category allows you to turn your office into a dynamic, temporary gallery. BCA will provide expert jurors who will review your in-house exhibition and select winners in each category. Winning artists will be invited to showcase their work at the prestigious **OMOT Regional Art Show**, held at **NorthPark Center** in the fall.

BCA will assign a panel of arts professionals—including art consultants, curators, gallerists, and arts educators—to jury the submitted works. These community experts volunteer their time to ensure your employees' artwork is evaluated by knowledgeable and experienced individuals.

Once the winners are chosen, BCA recommends reviewing the selected pieces with your **HR department** or other relevant stakeholders to confirm that the final selections align with your company's values and culture, especially for the **OMOT Regional Art Show**.

- **Eligibility for the Regional Art Show:** Companies may submit **First Place** and **Best in Show** winners from each category to the **OMOT Regional Art Show**.
- After completing your jurying process, please notify BCA with the details of all your winning entries.

Literary Work and Literary Night

For literary work, all **First, Second, and Third Place** winners in each category will be invited to participate in **Literary Night**, a special event held at the **Brazos Gallery, Dallas College**. This evening will feature winners reading their works aloud to a live audience.

OMOT Liaisons are responsible for ensuring that **winning authors** are informed about Literary Night and are encouraged to attend and share their work. It's important to maintain open communication with the authors throughout the process.