



#### SHODO CANADA

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## Japanese Calligraphy Competition in Canada 2011

#### **COMPETITION RULES**

Open juried competition for adults and students practicing Shodo (Japanese calligraphy) in Canada with selected works to be exhibited at the Gendai Gallery, Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre, Toronto, Ontario from November 13 to November 26, 2011.

#### **ELIGIBILITY & NUMBER OF ENTRIES**

One entry only by a resident in Canada, adult or student (18 years and under)

#### **SCHEDULE**

Deadline: Saturday, April 30, 2011

Jury review: May 2011 in Japan

Exhibition: Sunday, November 13- Saturday, November 26, 2011 (Daily 11am-4pm and

weekends 11:30am to 4:30pm)

Award Ceremony: Sunday, November 13, 2011 at 2:00pm

#### **COMPETITION REQUIREMENTS**

Unmounted calligraphy paper, maximum size of 24.5cm x 33.5cm with rubbed sumi ink figure in any style finished with signed name or seal or both. Low quality liquid ink will bleed when wet mounted resulting in disqualification. Enclose with completed ENTRY FORM/ENTRY CARD and cheque only.

#### SHIPPING/DELIVERY

Postage or courier costs for out of town entries to be covered by entrant and must be postmarked by midnight April 30, 2011. Mail or deliver c/o SHODO CANADA, 388 Arden Place, Waterloo Ontario. N2L 2N7. Entry must be rolled in tube or packed flat with rigid board, packaged securely and clearly labeled. All entries must be picked-up on Sunday, November 27, 2011 from 12-1pm. Please arrange to have your entry picked up. Any unclaimed entries will be returned by regular post.

#### **EXHIBITION**

All selected works will be professionally wet mounted in Japan. Fifteen grand prize winners will have their work mounted on a silk scroll. An exhibition of all work will be displayed for public viewing.

#### **IURY**

Kasai Shundou, Member of Jury, Mainichi Calligraphic Association

President, Fuzanin-kai

Akai Kian, Member, Mainichi Calligraphic Association

Lecturer, Secion-kai

Abe Ikkou, Member, Mainichi Calligraphic Association

President, Abe Shodo-kai

Nakagomi Kazu, Member, Mainichi Calligraphic Association

President, Tou boku-kai

Hasegawa Yuji, Member, Mainichi Calligraphic Association

President, Shiyo-kai

#### SUPPORTED BY

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ENTRY FORM	
last name	first name
telephone no.	email address:
home address: number, street, city, province, postal code	
Entry Fee: circle and enclose CHEQUE payable to SHODO CANADA (no cash please)	
\$90 Adult	
\$50 Student - state age:	
Signature	
AGREEMENT *Please read this section carefully and sign your acceptance.	
Entries must be the original work of registered entrant	
Entries must strictly adhere to the Competition Rules	
Works entered in this competition may be released for publicity	
Participation in the exhibition and mounting of work shall be regarded as fair compensation	
<ul> <li>Reasonable care will be taken in looking after entries but SHODO CANADA and related persons will not be responsible for loss or damage due to shipping to and from entrant's address</li> </ul>	
ENTRY CARD	
last name	first name
telephone no.	email address*:
*If student entry, please use parent email address.	
home address: number, street, city, province, postal code	
Please write the first 10 characters of the work in Kaisho or Block Style PLUS english meaning	
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