

Biennale  
Internazionale  
dell'**Umorismo**  
nell'Arte



28<sup>th</sup> edition

Tolentino

august 27 - september 27, 2015

## 28<sup>th</sup> International Biennial exhibition of Humour in Art Tolentino August 27 – September 27, 2015

### REGULATIONS

#### ART. 1 – SCOPE

The Municipality of Tolentino convenes and organises the 28th International Biennial Exhibition of Humour in Art – a prize contest focused on satire.

The contest is divided into two sections:

▶ **“City of Tolentino Award” - for satirical art on the theme of “Die laughing”**

“Die laughing” is a proverbial expression, a figure of speech, as well as a call to artists to reflect on the key role of laughter within the critical issues of contemporary world. Because today more than ever before freedom to satirize is synonymous with essential freedom of expression.

▶ **“Luigi Mari Award” for caricatures of illustrious figures.**

The contest comprises:

- a selection of a selection of works sorted out by a qualified jury later to be displayed at the 28<sup>th</sup> International Exhibition of Humour in Art, that will run in Tolentino from August 27 through September 27 2015;
- a prize awarding event;
- publication of a complimentary catalogue that will be presented to the authors of the exhibited works.

#### ART. 2 – HOW TO PARTICIPATE

The contest is open to contemporary artists of any nationality and any age, who are allowed to enter a maximum of three works which must be unreleased and authentic, free in size and technique, and performed in whatever form of visual art, material and support – pictorial, graphics, sculpture and installation, photography and video.

#### ART. 3 - DEADLINE

The deadline to enter the contest is May 27<sup>th</sup> 2015, by which time all entries will have to have been sent to the address below:

**Segreteria della “28ª Biennale Internazionale dell’Umore nell’Arte”  
Palazzo Sangallo, Piazza della Libertà, 18 - 62029 TOLENTINO (Italy)**

After having filled out and signed the entry form, the contestants are requested to attach it to their works prior to shipment. Artworks must be authentically signed and provided with the special coupon. The works must be shipped carriage free - they will only be accepted on condition that they are not subject to any taxes or customs fees - the local municipality will not bear any fees due.

#### ART. 4 – JURY

Admission of the works, their selection for display, and the awarding of prizes are exclusive competence of the jury nominated by the Municipality of Tolentino in consultation with the Artistic Director. The jury’s decision is final and irrevocable.

#### ART. 5 – AWARDS

The Jury will award below prizes:

▶ **“Premio Internazionale Città di Tolentino” (City of Tolentino International Award)** for satirical art on the theme of “Die laughing”

- 1<sup>st</sup> money prize - € 2.000,00, will be awarded to the winner of the Exhibition.  
In case of a tie, the prize money awarded will be split among the winners.

– 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize - Commendation

– 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - Commendation

“Luigi Mari Award” for caricatures of illustrious figures

– 1<sup>st</sup> Prize - Commendation

#### **Audience Award**

– It's a special commendation awarded to a work that gets the most public appreciation among those on display, based on the preferences shown by the visitors.

Other special commendations may possibly be awarded by the jury.

#### **ART. 6 – RETURN OF WORKS**

The prize winning works will not be returned, they shall remain the property of the Municipality of Tolentino and will become part of the collection of MIUMOR the International Museum of Humour in Art.

As clearly shown on the coupon, the works that are expressly donated by the artist shall remain the property of the Municipality of Tolentino, that is entitled to make a discretionary use of them.

The works not expressly donated can be collected from the MIUMOR by March 31, 2016 personally by the artist or their delegate; alternatively they can be returned, not earlier than the thirtieth day after the scheduled closing date of the Exhibition, unless extended, if specifically indicated on the coupon attached to the work.

#### **ART. 7 – LIABILITY**

The Municipality of Tolentino, in its capacity as organizer of the event, pledges to the greatest care, custody and supervision over the length of time they will be at the venue of the Biennial Exhibition and during transportation, but declines all responsibility for theft, fire, damage or loss that may occur as a result of any unforeseen causes.

#### **ART. 8 – USE AND REPRODUCTION OF WORKS**

Contestants allow the Municipality the right to reproduce any of the selected works free of charge for publication in the official catalogue of the Exhibition, in as many copies as the Municipality shall deem appropriate, including publication on the website and any other form of communication and promotion.

The City is authorized to publish the works on any support, even for commercial purposes. In case of reproductions, the author will be mentioned in the habitual ways. The author allows free use of their work for popularisation, cultural and recreational purposes, as well as for public enjoyment. The author must expressly renounce all rights to any compensation.

#### **ART. 9 – CONSENT**

Contestants expressly authorize the Municipality of Tolentino to process the personal data in its possession in accordance with the personal data protection law, so as to include them in databases operated directly by the local administration or a third party appointed by it.

As organizer of the 28th Biennial Exhibition, the Municipality is entitled to adopt final decisions on all matters not mentioned in these Regulations. These are published on the website [www.biennaleumorismo.it](http://www.biennaleumorismo.it) in Italian, English, French and Spanish. In case of controversy, the Italian text shall prevail. Participation in the 28th International Biennial Exhibition of Humour in Art implies unconditional acceptance of all items contained herein.



## ENTRY FORM

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

SURNAME \_\_\_\_\_

PSEUDONYM \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: F  M

E.MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

WEBSITE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

PHONE/MOBILE PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

CONCISE C.V. (*to be attached*)

applies to take part in the

### **28<sup>th</sup> International Biennial Exhibition of Humour in Art**

#### **“City of Tolentino International Award”**

for satirical art on the theme of “Die laughing”

with below works

1. TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

2. TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

3. TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

#### **“Luigi Mari Award ”**

for caricatures of illustrious figures

with below works

1. TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

2. TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

3. TITLE \_\_\_\_\_



The undersigned declares:

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- to authorise the Municipality of Tolentino to reproduce any of the selected works free of charge for publication in the official catalogue of the Exhibition, in as many copies as the Municipality shall deem appropriate, including publication on the website and any other form of communication and promotion. The Municipality is authorized to publish the works in any way it deems appropriate and on any support, even for commercial purposes. In case of reproductions, the author will be mentioned in the habitual ways. The author allows free use of their work for popularisation, cultural and recreational purposes, as well as for public enjoyment, expressly renouncing any compensation;
- to accept every point, with no exception whatsoever, **the Regulations for participation in the contest of the 28<sup>th</sup> International Biennial Exhibition of Humour in Art** convened and organized by the Municipality of Tolentino.

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date

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Signature



**COUPON** *(to be attached to each competing entry)*

**Section "City of Tolentino International Award"**  
for satirical art on the theme of "Die laughing"



**WORK NO. 1**

AUTHOR'S NAME AND SURNAME \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

TECHNIQUE \_\_\_\_\_ SIZE \_\_\_\_\_

The work is donated to the International Museum of Humour in Art

- YES and the Museum is entitled to make whichever use of it  
 NO and I shall arrange for collection from the MIUMOR personally  
 NO and I hereby demand restitution of my works



**WORK NO. 2**

AUTHOR'S NAME AND SURNAME \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

TECHNIQUE \_\_\_\_\_ SIZE \_\_\_\_\_

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**WORK NO. 3**

AUTHOR'S NAME AND SURNAME \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

TECHNIQUE \_\_\_\_\_ SIZE \_\_\_\_\_

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**Section "Luigi Mari Award"**  
for caricatures of illustrious figures



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INFO:

**Segreteria**

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