



*Call to  
Latina  
Artists!*



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Leadership Training  
Conference & Mujer  
Awards Gala Poster  
Artwork Contest



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The National Hispana Leadership Institute (NHLI) invites Latina artists nationwide to submit artwork (in all media including paintings, sculptures, photography, etc.) that celebrates Latinas/Hispanic women. NHLI – a national 501 (c)(3) organization based on Washington, DC – was established in 1987 to address the underrepresentation of Latinas in the corporate, non-profit and political arenas. NHLI will use the winning image to promote the 2010 Executive Leadership Training Conference and Mujer Awards Gala to be held November 4-5, 2010 at the Hyatt Regency Miami 400 SE Second Avenue Miami, FL 33131. The Conference Theme is *“The Latina Mosaic: Strength in Diversity”*. NHLI will credit the artist in promotional materials during and after the conference including but not limited to: 2010 Mujer Award poster, award certificates, program cover, bags, mouse pads, annual report, and NHLI note cards.

## REQUIREMENTS

- The call is open to Latina artists 18 years and older from across the United States.
- Entries will be juried from jpg entries submitted electronically or via CD. No other formats will be accepted.
- The submitted images will have a minimum of 200 dots per inch (dpi). Image must be able to be reproduced at 300 dpi at a minimum 18x24 inches, for printing purposes.
- Each file should be named with entrant’s last name, first name and number (i.e. lastname\_firstname\_1.jpg, lastname\_firstname\_2.jpg and lastname\_firstname\_3.jpg).
- Original work cannot exceed 3 feet in any dimension or weigh more than 50 lbs.
- No frontal nudity or inappropriate images will be accepted.
- Image should be in line with NHLI brand (positive image of Latinas) and preferably reflect the conference theme *“The Latina Mosaic: Strength in Diversity”*.

The deadline for submissions is March 31, 2010, 5:00 pm EST. Artists will be notified of the decision by May 3, 2010.

## PRIZES

**1st Prize:** \$1,000 (U.S.) and the opportunity to showcase and exhibit original artwork at the Mujer Awards Gala evening art reception on Friday November 5, 2010. The artist will be able to showcase up to 5 pieces at the art reception including the winning entry. The artist will also receive up to 2 nights hotel accommodation. If the artist is local and does not require lodging, NHLI will provide a stipend of \$400 to assist with conference participation. In addition, NHLI will provide an exhibitor’s table for the artist to promote and sell her work during the conference and tickets to all conference meal events, and sessions. NHLI will also provide a full-page advertisement in the conference program for further promotion of the artist and

the selected piece. Please note NHLI reserves the right to keep the original artwork. (It is expected that part of the prize money should cover transportation expenses for the artist and art)

**2nd Prize:** \$700 (U.S.) and the opportunity to showcase and exhibit original artwork at the Mujer Awards Gala evening art reception on Friday November 5, 2010. The artist will be able to showcase up to 3 pieces at the art reception. The artist will also receive up to 2 nights hotel accommodation. If the artist is local and does not require lodging, NHLI will provide a stipend of \$200 to assist with conference participation. In addition, NHLI will provide an exhibitor’s table for the artist to promote and sell her work and tickets to all conference meal events, and sessions. (It is expected that part of the prize money should cover transportation expenses for the artist and art)

Please note artists are responsible for transporting the art pieces (including any insurance and handling costs) and themselves to the Conference and Mujer Awards Gala November 4-5, 2010 in Miami, FL.

The entry fee is \$25.00 for up to 3 jpgs. Checks will be accepted by mail, please make checks payable to NHLI. The fee will cover administrative costs associated with the contest. Jpg submissions will not be returned and will remain property of NHLI (please refer to release and rights form attached).

For electronic submissions, e-mail [contests@nhli.org](mailto:contests@nhli.org) or mail your application/release form attached, CD, and your check payable to the National Hispana Leadership Institute: NHLI 2010 Mujer Awards Art Call for Entries 1601 N. Kent Street, Suite 803, Arlington, VA 22209 For more information visit [www.nhli.org](http://www.nhli.org) or call 703-527-6007.



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\*For undergraduate students entry fee will be waived if a current enrollment verification letter from the college/university registrar's office is submitted with completed paperwork and entry/(ies). Please note all other terms and conditions of the 2010 artwork contest apply.

*Please type or print clearly*

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email \_\_\_\_\_

Title	File name	Original Size	Media

By submission of this form, I agree that I have read and will abide by all the rules of the Call for Artwork Submission. Jpg submissions will not be returned and will become property of NHLI. NHLI agrees to handle all winning artwork with extreme care, but will not be held responsible for theft or damage during shipping or handling of submitted work. If I desire to insure my work, I will make my own arrangements.

### Liability Release Form

I agree to release, hold harmless, and forever give up any claims against NHLI, or the Hyatt Regency Miami for any damages to or the loss of my artwork arising in any manner out of my participation in this exhibit. I understand that by signing this form, I have waived my legal rights to attempt to hold NHLI responsible for such damage or loss.

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_

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