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RBC Award for Glass



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The Canadian Clay & Glass Gallery is thrilled to announce the return of the RBC Award for Glass in 2022, supporting the best emerging Canadian glass artists.

“The RBC Award for Glass is an ideal complement to the Gallery’s Winifred Shantz Award for Ceramics, an award that has been supporting emerging Canadian ceramic artists for nearly 25 years. Together with the Gallery’s Emerging Talent Series of Exhibitions, these awards demonstrate the Canadian Clay & Glass Gallery commitment to supporting and fostering emerging talents in ceramics and glass, and our desire to encourage the innovative and creative development of these mediums in Canada.” Executive Director & Chief Curator, Denis Longchamps,

The \$10,000 prize makes it possible for an emerging artist to undertake research, residencies, or creative exploration to advance their artistic and professional practice at a critical point in their career.

Additional prizes of \$1,000 will be awarded to up to 5 finalists to support the development of their practice.

The Canadian Clay & Glass Gallery will exhibit prize winners alongside the winner and finalists of the Winifred Shantz Award for Ceramics—a rare opportunity for emerging artists to share their work with the public on a larger scale while helping to build their careers.

Details about the submission process for the 2022 RBC Award for Glass will be announced in the coming weeks.

To schedule a media interview, or for more information, contact Denis Longchamps, Executive Director and Chief Curator, at 519-746-1882 ext. 231 or director@theclayandglass.ca.

For more information, go to www.theclayandglass.ca/rbc-award/

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