

The Monte L. Bean Life Science Museum at Brigham Young University Announces

Nature Photography

Competition & Exhibition



2016 Museums Choice by Kelly Thurgood

February 9th - March 4th

ELIGIBILITY: Both amateur and professional photographers are invited to participate.

REQUIREMENTS: Entries must be mounted and matted. Entries may not be double matted. Image must be at least 8" on all sides and may not exceed 18" on any side. Matted entries may not exceed 24" on any side nor be over 3/8" in thickness. Prints framed or covered with glass/Plexiglas will not be accepted. Entries must be submitted on Saturday, February 4th, between 10 AM & 5 PM at the Monte L. Bean Life Science Museum at 645 East 1430 North, Brigham Young University Provo, Utah 84602. Each entry must have its title and the photographer's name on the back.

For more information on matting see:
matboardandmore.com

AGREEMENT:

The photographer must agree that:

- Accepted entries will remain at the Museum until March 6th.
- The Museum is not responsible for theft or damage.
- Photos may not be digitally altered beyond standard

optimization, i.e., removal of dust, cropping, adjustments to contrast or color, etc.

- The Museum has the right to refuse any entry and there will be no refunds for photos which are not put on display.
- At the conclusion of the show entries will be made available at the main office (room #2103) from Monday, March 6th through Saturday, March 11th, between 10AM & 5 PM. Photos not claimed by March 11th become the property of the Museum unless special arrangements are made prior to March 11th.
- Entries may be used in future photography show promotions and on the museum's website.
- Photos entered in previous museum shows will not be accepted.
- Any photograph of trained or captured animals, must be labeled as such.

ENTRIES & FEES:

Photographers may enter up to two photos for a non-refundable fee of \$20.00 each.

JUDGING:

A panel of three professional photographers will select the winners.

AWARDS

- Best of Show
- Museum's Purchase Award
- First, Second, and Third place in each category.
- Allen's Camera Excellence Award
- Peoples Choice Award

CATEGORIES

- **LANDSCAPE**
Must show horizon line.
- **NATURE**
Without horizon line.
No domesticated plants or animals.
- **MACRO/CLOSE-UP**
No domesticated plants or animals.
- **WATER**
Any natural water scene.
- **MAN & NATURE**
Showing interactions of man with nature.
- **ANIMAL WILDLIFE**
No domesticated animals.
- **BIRD WILDLIFE**
No domesticated birds.

Winners will be announced at the opening reception held on Thursday, February 9th, 2017 at 7:00 pm in the auditorium of the M. L. Bean Life Science Museum, Brigham Young University.

Everyone is welcome to attend. Refreshments will be served.

If you have any questions please contact Randy Baker at (801) 422-3811 or call (801) 422-5052

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2103 MLBM - Brigham Young University
Provo, Utah 84602

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ENTRY FORM:

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(Filled out by museum)

February 4, 2016

Check #
Paid in Cash
Credit Card

Name _____

Address _____

E-mail _____

Phone # () _____

<u>Photo Title</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Location</u>	If wildlife, was it in captivity or trained? Y/N Y/N	Is this photo for Sale? Y/N Y/N
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Total Entry Fee \$ _____ (\$20.00 per entry)

I certify that I have read and comply with all of the rules of this contest, namely: •Accepted entries will remain at the Museum for the duration of the exhibit. •The Museum is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged photos. •The Museum has the right to refuse any entry. •The Museum has the right to use any entries in future photo show promotions.

<http://mlbean.byu.edu>

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