

Le Arti Orafe is glad to announce the fifth edition of PREZIOSA, annual contemporary jewellery exhibition and the

Third edition of

PREZIOSA young

the collateral exhibition of young goldsmith/artists selected for their individual research and for the originality of their creations.

The exhibition does not have a predetermined theme but the works put forward must be outstanding in terms of research into form and technique and display continuity and coherence in that research.

The items of jewellery may be created in any material and the designers and artists involved must attach a personal statement to the application form.

Participants Worldwide goldsmiths, designers, artists, may submit their candidature for **PREZIOSA young**, provided that they are **not older than 35 years at the end of 2010**.

Deadline for application: The application must arrive by regular mail on **February 28th 2010, at latest**.

Candidates must send to the school's address a CD with:

- Application form (see attachment);
- Five images of their works
- **Detailed description** of the pieces (material, technique, size.....)

IMAGES

Each image must be sent in two format:

at 300 DPI resolution, in "TIF" format **and** at 150 DPI, in "JPG" format

→ **Image's size: cm 20x15 at least**

Selection of participants

The jury will announce the results of the selection by mid of April 2010.

Selected artists will send their jewels, following the instructions they will receive.

Each participant must present 5 pieces for the exhibition.

NOTE:

The shipping costs for the selected pieces from the origin to Firenze must be paid by the submitter. It is up to the artists to decide whether to insure and/or send their pieces by registered mail. Shipment from Firenze back to the origin will be paid by the organization.

Entries from non-EU countries

We will not accept any shipments for the receipt or return of which customs, taxes or other charges must be paid. To send pieces customs-free from non-EU countries, we suggest to use a Carnet A.T.A., which you can obtain from the Chamber of Commerce in your country. Please note that it may take some time for the Chamber of Commerce to issue this Carnet A.T.A.

All the pieces will be insured by the organization during the stay in Italy.

Address for application:

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Please mark "PYoung" on your envelope.

Applications could also be sent in advance by at gio@artiorafe.it (please, small size images), and then by post.

For further information please contact Giò Carbone: gio@artiorafe.it, tel +39 335 62 62 183

PREZIOSA 2010 and PREZIOSA young : Exhibition's calendar

WHERE: Florence, Leopoldine old Cloister, Torquato Tasso Square

WHEN: 22nd of May—20th of June, 2010 – **OPENING:** Friday 21st of May, at 6.00 PM

Updated information, reservation for the conferences the Catalogue: www.preziosa.org

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