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## PRESS RELEASE

### CALL FOR ENTRIES TO ALL TOP CRAFTERS WORKING IN THE EASTERN CAPE

The Nelson Mandela Metropolitan Art Museum is looking for crafters working in the Eastern Cape Province to submit unique craft to be bought for the museum's shop.

#### Closing date for digital online entries: 10 March 2022

The call-out is open to all crafters 18 years or older as of 1 January 2022.

Craft groups, projects or collectives may enter individual craft works provided that all the crafters responsible for making the work are clearly listed on the entry form. The same conditions of entry apply to collectives.

Only crafters resident in the Eastern Cape province may participate.

Only craft works executed in the last 24 months will be accepted. Entries must be the ORIGINAL WORK of the artist. No reproductions will be accepted.

The value of the Products entered must be between R20 to R 1000 per product.

#### WE ARE LOOKING FOR CRAFT FALLING IN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES:

Homeware: Ceramics, wood-ware, table cloths, napkins, cushion covers, candle holders, lamp holders, ornaments, leatherwork (journals) etc.

Contemporary accessories: Jewellery, shawls, scarves, hats, etc.

Traditional accessories: Doeks, beadwork, pipes, sticks etc.

Sets of products, Fashion, clothing items and shoes will not be accepted.  
Large products will also not be accepted due to limited space.

## **SELECTION CRITERIA**

The selection committee will be looking for high standards of technical skill and workmanship. Craft objects must be innovative and showcase local Eastern Cape creative spirit.

A selection team made up of art and craft professionals will adjudicate the digital submissions. The selectors' decision is final.

## **DIGITAL SELECTION:**

The closing date for digital online entries is **10 March 2022**. Crafters are to scan or photograph a completed entry form and Whatsapp or email the form along with digital pictures of the products to the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan Art Museum. Your entry can be emailed to [nmm.artmuseum1956@gmail.com](mailto:nmm.artmuseum1956@gmail.com) or sent on Whatsapp to 079 490 0690.

Please note that by completing the online form you are agreeing to the terms and conditions.

Entry forms are available on the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan Art Museum website [www.artmuseum.co.za](http://www.artmuseum.co.za) or on request.

Crafters will only be able to submit a maximum of ten (10) individual products for consideration. Crafters can submit a maximum of 3 photographs per proposed product.

## **DELIVERY AND PAYMENT**

If your product is selected, you will be informed and you must email or Whatsapp an invoice to the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan Art Museum. Payment will be processed on delivery of completed and correct products to the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan Art Museum.

If you out of town, support will be provided to transport your selected products to Nelson Mandela Bay.

To find out more information about this great opportunity, interested crafters can contact the Art Museum on 041 506 2000 or 079 490 0690 or email [nmm.artmuseum1956@gmail.com](mailto:nmm.artmuseum1956@gmail.com). Crafters can also contact Luyanda on 041 506 2001 and Amanda on 041 506 2015 for more information.

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