

VIRTUAL SEAPEX 2021 Exhibit Prospectus

This prospectus is for virtual exhibits to be displayed online. For standard exhibits, see the SEAPEX Exhibit Prospectus.

September 24-26, 2021

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Virtual SEAPEX exhibits will be evaluated by WSP judges using WSP standards

Important Dates

August 2, 2021 Deadline for exhibit applications and revised title and synopsis pages August 16, 2021 Deadline for receiving exhibit images

1. Eligibility

- Any collector, regardless of residence or club affiliation, is eligible to enter a competitive exhibit by conforming to the requirements of this prospectus.
- All material shown must be the property of the exhibitor, or of immediate family members living in the same household.
- An exhibit that has won the Champion of Champions event, a Grand Prix National, or a Grand Prix International, or three or more Large Gold Awards in international exhibition, or which has been exhibited in the FIP Championship Class, is ineligible to compete.
- An exhibit that has been purchased intact may not be exhibited for two years from the date of purchase unless at least 30 percent of the exhibit has been altered with new material.
- Exhibitor's name shall not appear on the pages, although names and addresses are permissible on covers included in the exhibit.

2. Exhibit Classes and Types

- General Open Class is open to any competitive exhibit from two to ten frames.
- One Frame Class is open to any competitive single frame exhibit.
- Youth Class open to exhibits by persons age 21 and under (as of 1 January 2021). The exhibits will be judged by youth standards.
- Exhibit Types are shown on the entry form. To aid in judging, select one or more of types when filling out the form.

3. Entry

- An exhibitor may submit one or two exhibits.
- All exhibits must be entered by class on the official Virtual SEAPEX entry form. Use the form for Virtual Exhibits rather than the form for standard exhibits.
- A copy of the title page and exhibit synopsis must be provided with the completed entry form, except that the synopsis is not required for Youth Class exhibits. These pages may be preliminary and updated in subsequent correspondence.
- Entries will be accepted up to August 2, 2021, but the show may be full before that date. We will
 accept a maximum of 50 exhibits.
- Receipt of entries will be promptly acknowledged.
- Signing the official entry form denotes acceptance by the exhibitor of all requirements set out in this
 prospectus.

4. Sending the exhibits

- Exhibit page images should be scanned on a flat-bed scanner. Scans made on phones cannot be accepted.
- Exhibits will be displayed in frame views as 16-page frames, and page views. There are four rows
 of four pages per frame. For examples, see the Virtual PIPEX 2021 website.
 http://www.pipexstampshow.org/exhibits.html.
- Page sizes.
 - Single or double page size may be sent.
 - Single page: 8½ by 11 inches or A4 (8¼ by 11¾ inches, 21.0 by 29.7 cm).
 - Double page: 17 by 11 inches or A3 (16½ by 11¾ inches, 42.0 by 29.7 cm).
 - Single pages may be somewhat wider than 8½ inches.
 - Pages cannot be taller than 11¾ inches.
 - A mix of single and double pages may be sent, but each row must contain the equivalent of four single pages. If you are sending mixed size pages, please email a list of non-standard size pages to the Exhibit Chair when you send the exhibit.
- Exhibits should be sent as image files of the pages, with one page per file, preferably .jpg format, scanned at 300 dpi.
- Send the exhibit page images in a single folder by WeTransfer to dicksonphd@gmail.com.

5. Exhibit fees

- General Open Class exhibits: \$20.00 per entry.
- Single Frame Class exhibits: \$8.00 per entry.
- Youth Class exhibits: \$5.00 per entry.

6. Judging

- The panel of APS accredited judges will make decisions by deliberation and consultation among themselves. The decisions of the jury will be final.
- Judging will be in accordance with the APS Manual of Philatelic Judging and Exhibiting, 7th Edition.

7. Awards

- SEAPEX Large Gold, Gold, Large Vermeil, Vermeil, Large Silver, Silver, Silver-Bronze, and Bronze ribbons and certificates will be awarded at the discretion of the judges.
- SEAPEX Grand Award, Reserve Grand Award, One-Frame Grand Award, and Best Youth Exhibit will be available. Various society awards will also be presented.

8. Entry Form Submission and Payment

- Submit Entry Forms, Title Pages, and Synopses via email (preferred) to the Exhibits Chair at <u>dicksonphd@gmail.com</u> or by post to Dickson Preston, 2102 Montvale Court West, Seattle, WA 98199, USA.
- Entry Fees can be paid at PayPal: seapexexhibition@gmail.com or by check made payable to SEAPEX and mailed to Dickson Preston.

9. Ruling Authority

 Any and all questions that may arise concerning the exhibition which are not provided for by the requirements of this prospectus will be decided by the SEAPEX Committee in its sole and absolute discretion.