



The International Salon of Metal – 2024, which aims to continue the previous manifestations dedicated to the Art of Metal, will be focussed in two sections: *Sculptural Shapes* and *Jewellery*. The exhibitions will be held simultaneously: the works of the *Sculptural Shapes* Section will be displayed at the Orizont Gallery, and those of the *Jewellery*, at the Galateea Gallery.

#### **Participation Rules**

The Salon can be attended by members of the Visual Artists' Union of Romania, by professional artists based in Romania and abroad, by graduates and master students of universities / academies of art.

## Participation conditions

For the *Sculptural Shapes* Section, the artists may submit at most two metal works, of which only one is selected. There are accepted works achieved by means of expression specific to the material, except those obtained via the casting technique.

- The height of the work should not surpass 120 cm, and the weight, 40 kg.
- The works made of several pieces should present an assembling system.
- Parietal and three-dimensional works are accepted only if they fall under the participation conditions.

For the Jewellery Section, the artists may submit at most 10 (set/s or standalone) metal jewels.

- The pieces can be made of metal or combinations of metal and ceramic materials, glass, (semi) precious stones and other materials.
- The works realized of several pieces should present an assembling system.

### **Selection of Works**

Selection of works will be made by a specialized jury in the period August 15 –28, 2024. The results will be communicated via email until September 7, 2024.

The members of the jury, made up of professional artists active in Romania and abroad, will be published later on.

For registration, the artists will send, to the email address **salonulmetalului@gmail.com**, the following documents:

- Images of the work in jpg format and 300 ppi resolution. The background of the images should be neutral, in order to allow their clear reproduction in the catalogue.
- The filled in participation form should include details of the work and a short Curriculum Vitae. The data in the registration form will appear in the catalogue in the version edited by the author.





- Artist's photo in jpg format and 300 ppi resolution.
- A document certifying the payment of the 2024 membership fee (for the members of the Visual Artists' Union of Romania).

The deadline for submitting the applications is August 9, 2024, 11:59 p.m., with the mention: Salonul International Metalul – 2024 / International Salon of Metal – 2024. The applications sent afterwards will not be taken into account.

The selected artists will pay a contribution of 150 lei for the project (catalogue, poster, promotion, protocol); the money will be deposited into the account of the Visual Artists' Union of Romania, **RO83BACX0000003005108002**, opened at the UniCredit Bank, with the mention: Salonul International Metalul – 2024 / International Salon of Metal – 2024. The artists can pay the contribution in the period September 7 – October 7, 2024. The participation fee is paid only after the work was selected.

Each participant in the exhibition will receive a catalogue.

### Transportation of the Works

The parcels will be sent with express delivery service (the return address should figure on the package) to:

Bogdan Hojbotă

Universitatea Națională de Arte din București / National University of Arts in Bucharest

Calea Griviței, nr. 28, Sector 1, București / Bucharest, (RO –) 010733 (ROMANIA), tel. / phone 0722209984

The parcels should reach the destination in the period October 6 - 11, 2024.

The Bucharest participants in the Section *Sculptural Shapes* can deposit their works at the Orizont Gallery (Bd. Nicolae Bălcescu, nr. 23A) in the period October 11 – 14, 2024, between 2:00 and 6:00 p.m.

The Bucharest participants in the *Jewellery* Section can deposit their works at the Galateea Gallery (Calea Victoriei, nr. 132) in the period October 11 – 14, 2024, between 2:00 and 6:00 p.m.

The artists who send their works with express delivery service should make sure they are packed appropriately, in order to avoid their deterioration during transportation. The organizers do not assume any responsibility in case the works suffer damages or are lost during transportation. The artists can insure their works individually.

# Return of the Works

The artists who want to pick their works personally from the Orizont Gallery can recover them on November 12, 2024.

The artists who want to pick their works personally from the Galateea Gallery can recover them on November 12, 2024.

The parcels belonging to the members of Union's country branches will be shipped (back) in





max. 30 days after the exhibition is finished.

The artists based outside Bucharest (in Romania or abroad) will support the (to & fro) expedition of the parcels.

# Exhibition Development

The exhibitions of the two sections will take place in the period October 16 – November 11, 2024.

The vernissage of the *Sculptural Shapes* Section will be held on Wednesday, October 16, 2024, at 6:00 p.m., at the Orizont Gallery.

The vernissage of the *Jewellery* Section will be held on Tuesday, October 22, 2024, at 6:00 p.m., at the Galateea Gallery.

For more information you can contact us at the email address salonulmetalului@gmail.com.

Thank you for participation.