

EKPHRASIS 4.0

Call for Submissions

where visual art meets the written word...

Mulgrave Road Theatre is seeking ten writers who are based in the Guysborough/Antigonish/Cape Breton region to take part in the fourth rendition of Ekphrasis. Based on ekphrastic literature, each writer will take inspiration from a perspective or action within a piece of visual art; and then create a poem, a monologue or a short prose piece.

Guysborough County's ArtWorks East will hold an exhibit of original works in July and August 2024; to take place at the Guysborough Marina. Each writer will choose a piece of art from the collection and expand on its meaning. The written pieces will be shared at a public reading on July 20, to take place at the Wesley United Church, accompanied by the visual art.

Each writer will receive a \$200 honorarium for their work. To apply please submit a brief cover letter, resumé and a short sample of writing by 12:00 noon, June 7, 2024.

Send to emmy@mulgraveroad.ca

Mulgrave Road Theatre is committed to equity and inclusion and encourages applicants from the IBPOC communities as well as those who identify as 2SLGBTQIA+ and/or persons with a disability.