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echo Art Fair 2016 Launches Submission Period for Artists and Galleries

October 5, 2015 *Buffalo, NY* — The organizers of echo Art Fair, <u>www.echoartfair.com</u>, are pleased to announce the launch of the Submission Period for echo Art Fair 2016. Submissions will be accepted until Friday, January 8 (11:59pm EST), and late submissions will be accepted until Friday, January 15 (11:59pm EST) (but will be subject to a late fee).

Complete information on the submission guidelines can be found on the echo Art Fair website: www.echoartfair.com/submission-info/

echo Art Fair 2016 will take place May 13-15, 2016 at OSC Manufacturing & Services Inc. on East Delavan in Buffalo, NY.

echo Art Fair proudly announces its jury lineup for 2016. Jurors participating in the selection process determining the artists and galleries presented at the next fair are: Eric Shiner, Executive Director, The Andy Warhol Museum, Scott F. Propeack, Burchfield Penney Art Center, Michael J. Beam, Castellani Art Museum of Niagara University, Michael Tomor, PhD, Executive Director, Tampa Museum of Art, Shirley Verrico, Curator, Buffalo Arts Studio, and Eric Jones, Public Arts Coordinator, Albright-Knox Art Gallery.

As in previous years, there will be a site-specific component to echo Art Fair 2016, wherein artists of all media will be selected to create interactive, temporary displays that respond to and engage public areas surrounding OSC. Rachel Adams, Associate Curator, UB Art Galleries will serve as the Site-Specific Project Curator. The Submission Period for this portion of the fair begins on November 2, 2015.

About echo Art Fair:

echo Art Fair, a juried fine art exposition, provides a platform for independent artists and galleries to present their work to a jury of contemporary art experts, and to showcase and sell their work. echo Art Fair 2014 featured more than 130 artists and galleries from WNY, the United States, and Canada. echo Art Fair connects experienced collectors and first-time buyers with established and emerging local, regional, and international artists in a centralized, creative environment, showcasing a broad array of fine art disciplines, including painting, photography, sculpture, prints, works on paper, video and mixed media.