

MCAS 2023



Instructor Information

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The fourth Metal Clay Artists Symposium, MCAS 2023, will be held at Sawtooth School for Visual Art located in the Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts in the heart of downtown Winston-Salem, NC on Thursday, August 24th through Sunday, August 27th, 2023.



MCAS 2023 will feature a mix of one-day and two-day hands-on workshops, 45-minute presentations, and 2-hour Technique Discovery Workshops on Sunday. The popular opening day Torch Trials will return and the Metal Clay Expressions Exhibit will be on exhibit in the Davis Gallery.

Teaching opportunities

One-Day Workshops meet from 9:00 am- 5:00 pm Friday, August 25 and 9:00 am- 5:00 pm Saturday, August 26. Instructors may teach workshops both days and are encouraged to find topics that complement each other!

Two Day Workshops meet from 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Friday and Saturday, August 25 & 26.

Technique Discovery Workshops meet 10:00 am – 12:00 noon, Sunday, August 27. These short demonstration-type workshops give MCAS participants another way to experience an MCAS instructor. These workshops are offered FREE to MCAS attendees. Registration is required and space is limited in each workshop.

We are looking for NEW unique, metal clay focused workshops or other topics that would enhance a metal clay artist's skill. Workshop sizes are limited to 10-15 students. New tools, skills and techniques will be a primary focus. When proposing your workshops, please note that these are primarily experienced metal clay workshop attendees.

Three 45-minute presentation slots are identified in the MCAS schedule. All attendees will be invited to these presentations. Presentation topics include:

- Incorporating alternative mediums with metal clay
- advances in tools and materials
- industry and community happenings

If you're interested in participating in these 45-minute presentations, please contact metals@sawtooth.org or Carrie@clayrevolution.com

Compensation

Instructors will set their compensation for presenting hands-on workshops. Suggested compensation is \$75 - \$100 per student per day for one-day or two-day workshops.

To the hands-on workshop fee, SSVA will add \$95 per student per day to arrive at total workshop tuition. Technique Discovery Workshops are offered free to attendees, registration required and space limited.

Instructors will receive \$100 compensation for presenting a 2-hour Technique Discovery Workshop.

SSVA will register all attendees and collect all workshop fees. Instructors will be paid by SSVA via direct bank deposit in the pay period after the event.

Instructor perks!

Each instructor will be given the opportunity to participate in the Meet and Greet on Saturday from 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm. During this time instructors may have any jewelry or other wares on display for sale. Meet & Greet will take place in the instructor's classroom or the Vendors Marketplace.

Instructors should submit one or two pieces to be displayed in the month-long Metal Clay Expressions exhibit. Works may be for sale. SSVVA retains 40% commission from exhibit sales.

Instructors will receive complementary MCAS registration, a \$75 value.

Instructors will receive box lunches on the days they teach.

After applications are received, a Featured Instructor will be selected. This instructor will be highlighted in marketing efforts. Travel and hotel costs will be paid for this instructor only. The Featured Instructor will be selected based on the uniqueness of the workshops offered and mastery of techniques.

Schedule

Thursday, August 24

2-6PM - Registration

2-6:30PM - Vendors Marketplace open

2-5PM - Product Playground open

3-4PM - Torch Trials

5-5:45PM - Presentation

Friday, August 25

9AM-5PM - Hands-on Workshops, with a lunch break

8AM-6:30PM - Vendors Marketplace open

5:30-6:15PM - Presentation

6:30-7:30PM - Gallery Reception and Awards

Saturday, August 26

9AM-5PM Hands-on Workshops, with a lunch break

8AM-6:30PM Vendors Marketplace open

5:30-6:15PM - Presentation

6:30-7:30PM - Meet the Teachers

Sunday, August 27

8AM-12PM - Vendors Marketplace open

9-10AM - Charm Swap, coffee, and donuts

10AM-12PM - Technique Discovery Workshops

12PM - Event concludes

ANASTASIA PRIBELSKAYA
2016 FEATURED INSTRUCTOR



CINDY POPE
2018 FEATURED INSTRUCTOR

ROBERT LOPEZ
2021 FEATURED INSTRUCTOR



*PLEASE USE THE ONLINE 2023
MCAS INSTRUCTOR APPLICATION
AVAILABLE HERE.*

DEADLINE FOR INSTRUCTOR APPLICATION
SUBMISSION IS SEPTEMBER 15, 2022

QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT:
SARA SLOAN STINE - METALS@SAWTOOTH.ORG OR
CARRIE STORY - CARRIE@CLAYREVOLUTION.COM



THANK YOU

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