

Santa Fe Art Institute

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The **Santa Fe Art Institute** is pleased to announce the first round of 2007 residency selections. The SFAI offers a year-round residency program in the stunning, Ricardo Legoretto designed facility in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Accepted artists and writers are eligible for one to three months of residency in this geographically and culturally rich region of the Southwest. The jurors for this round of applications were universally impressed by the quality of the applications.



Santa Fe Art Institute's Richard Legoretto designed facility

January is one of two traditional residency deadlines per year for the SFAI; the other is in July. The residency review committee is split into a visual artist review committee and writer review committee. The members of the visual artist review committee were: Harmony Hammond, Gerry Snyder, Diane Karp, Lucy Lippard, and Steven Deo. The meeting was facilitated by Sheilah Wilson, and occurred on February 5, 2007. The SFAI received more applications for the January deadline than any other previous residency application deadline. Thirteen applications were selected for the SFAI visual arts program. They are; Sarah Hardesty (MA) sculpture and installation, Marguerite Kahrl sculpture, Udo Klappf (Austria) installation drawing, Jingjin Lee (Korea) photography, Doreen McCarthy (NY) sculpture, Michael Schall (NY) drawing, Shigeki Yoshida (NY) photography, Chris Zerendow (MN) painting, Jillian Conrad (NY) sculpture, Ajean

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Ryan (NM) painting and sculpture, Andy Webber (OR) drawing, Lina Giraldo (Colombia/MA) video, Sandro de Rosario (Italy) video.

The writer review committee was composed of Dana Levin, Mark Behr, Jimmy Santiago Baca, Levi Romero and Gabriel Gomez. Those selected from this round were; Julian Rubinstein (NY), Catherine Chung (NY), David Levinson (NY), Victoria Hagbloom (CA), Douglas Basford (MD), Ashley Makar and Waiel Abdel Wahed (NY), Zelda Alpern (VT), Arabella Grayson (CA), Lemi Zumas (NY) and Casandra Ioan (Alba).



Santa Fe Art Institute interior hallway

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