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## Artist Submission Policy

BKB & Company, the Tacoma gallery of wearable art and contemporary craft, is primarily interested in representing wearable art, jewelry, and functional or decorative art in any medium. Our space is designed to show works in an intimate setting with knowledgeable staff. **At this time, we are unable to accept submissions for beaded jewelry or two dimensional work including paintings and photography.**

BKB & Company juries new artists, **by appointment only**, on a regular basis. We are interested in professional artists working in, but not limited to, the Pacific Northwest. You may show us your work by submitting the following:

1. Current artistic resumé
2. Samples of your work, catalog, slides, or photos. **Digital images are preferred** and can be emailed without expense.
3. Retail/wholesale price list

Work is most commonly accepted on consignment. A **50% commission** is retained by the gallery. Artist will be required to:

1. Sign our Consignment Agreement (copy is available upon request). This agreement includes terms and payment schedule.
2. Deliver and pick up work at Artists' expense
3. Provide a complete inventory of consigned work with retail prices at the time of delivery
4. Provide hang-tags and/or promotional material, including business cards, to enhance display and sale of your work

BKB & Company reserves the right not to exhibit work due to size or quality variation of photos/samples of work. All artwork is insured by the gallery for the duration of the consignment agreement and it is required that the artist carry their own insurance as well (for delivery and pick up to/from the gallery). We look forward to seeing your work! Please make an appointment soon!

Contact co-owners: Corky Brown and Victoria Brown

## Featured Artist Program

Artists may also be interested in participating in our Featured Artist Program:

### What is it?

Featured Artists are new or existing Artists at BKB & Company that are "featured" in a special section of the gallery. The Program usually lasts two months, from its opening on a 3rd Thursday ArtWalk (for more info visit [www.artwalktacoma.com](http://www.artwalktacoma.com)), through the next ArtWalk, and concludes at the end of the 2nd month. Based on sales and/or customer reaction from the show, artists may be asked to show their work for a longer period of time. It's a great way to get started and generate excitement for your work!

**Featured Artist Program Benefits** -You get 2 chances for your customers to Meet-The-Artist during two ArtWalk nights!

- Wine and snacks provided by the gallery during ArtWalk

-Listings of your event in *The News Tribune* (ArtWalk,Calendar), *Art Access*, and other local publications

-Email announcements will be designed and sent to our emailing list and the *Tacoma Arts Listserve*. (Printed postcards may be available -please ask us for details)

### How Can You Participate?

Calendar dates fill up fast, and we may have to schedule Featured Artists a year or more in advance. If you have never shown with BKB & Company before, jury your work and once accepted, choose an available ArtWalk date for your opening!