

# Application Form

## Jackson Art Center Lisa Neher Memorial Studio

Please scan and email completed application to Jackson Art Center artist Erika Cleveland:  
[erikaclevel@gmail.com](mailto:erikaclevel@gmail.com)

Artist's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Website URL (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Current occupation/employer (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Is primary income derived from art sales? Y/N

Do you currently have an art studio outside of your home? Y/ N If so, where \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle to acknowledge your understanding of Jackson Art Center bylaws:

- I am willing to participate in JAC's sweat equity program by contributing at least 40 hours a year to the operations of the art center
- I am willing to display my artwork and assist with event preparation for JAC twice yearly open studios (two Sundays, noon to 5 pm)
- I am willing to join other JAC artists in conducting 1-2 art workshops a year around the city

**Art Medium:** Artists working in all media are invited to apply. JAC cannot support use of hazardous materials requiring specific ventilation requirements. You will be in a large room sharing space with other artists. Please check all media that you intend to use in the studio:

/ / drawing / / painting, oils / / painting, acrylic or watercolor / / mixed media / / pastels

/ / printmaking / / fibers or weaving / / other \_\_\_\_\_

Note: JAC is located in an old public school, and the free studio being offered is ill-suited for ceramics, photography, sculpture, performance art, metalworking, or large scale art installations.

In addition to the application form, please attach:

- **Artist's Statement:** 1-2 page description of why you would be a good candidate for this memorial studio. Include the specific body of work you plan to accomplish and the main

project(s) you plan to work on. Please state if, and how, your art would reflect or engage the DC community. Video response is encouraged.

- **Resume** including list of exhibits and awards
- **5-10 images of work produced during the last 3 years.** High resolution jpg or videos
- **2-3 references:** Name, email, and phone number of people familiar with your art and character

Upon signing this application, I understand that the Jackson Art Center’s Lisa Neher Memorial Studio is designed to allow a developing artist to pursue personal creative work and growth as an artist and to share in the collegial interaction of the community of artists who have studios in the old Jackson School. If accepted, I agree to abide by the “Jackson Art Center Rules and Operating Procedures” dated September 2009, and to contribute at least 40 hours per year to JAC’s outreach programs to benefit the arts in Washington, DC as outlined in this application. I understand that, if chosen, I must join the Jackson Art Center, to use the studio regularly (at least 3- 4 times a week), and to pay monthly dues to JAC (currently \$45.00/month). Also, if I exhibit any work in an outside gallery or show that I produce during the time I occupy the free studio, I must identify myself as a member of the Jackson Art Center.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please email your completed application to Jackson Art Center artist Erika Cleveland:**

[erikaclevel@gmail.com](mailto:erikaclevel@gmail.com) Email is strongly preferred. However, if not possible, mail application to:

Erika Cleveland, 3048 P Street NW, Washington, DC 20007. Questions? Erika Cleveland 203-815-3827

Application checklist

// completed and signed application

// 1-2 page artist’s statement of intent

// 5-10 artwork samples

// resume

// 2-3 references