



2011 FALL FESTIVAL AWARD WINNERS ANNOUNCED

The jury for the 2011 Fall Tempe Festival of the Arts has announced category winners, along with Best of Show. The jury considered three criteria: the quality and skill of the artisan, the excellence of his/her merchandising and presentation, and the ability of the artisan to actively engage the Festival's customers who visit the booth. Here are the winners of the 2011 Fall Tempe Festival of the Arts Artists' Awards:

BEST OF SHOW

Ryan Myers – Clay
Stoddard, WI (Booth 5548)

2D MIXED MEDIA

Hitomi Johnson
Hitomi's Washi Craft
Pullman, WA (Booth 1242)

3D MIXED MEDIA

Betsy Roberts, Jill Walker & Betty Finch
Galaxy Gourds
San Diego, CA (Booth 1209/11)

CLAY

Donna & Jeff Tousley
Tousley Ceramic Design
Rio Rico, AZ (Booth 1133)

COTTAGE EDIBLES & CRAFTS

Jane & Erin Jones
Sweet & Saucy, Inc.
Centennial, CO (Booth 6216)

DIGITAL ART

Franco & Fiona Forte
Forte Fine Arts
Las Vegas, NV (Booth 6028)

GLASS

Paul Counts
Paul Counts Art Glass
San Marcos, CA (Booth 1219)

JEWELRY

Carol Martin
Carol Martin Jewelry
Durango, CO (Booth 1434)

LEATHER

Jean & Barry Anderson
Sundance Sheepskin & Leather
Guffey, CO (Booth 1240/1241)

METAL

Jennifer Ernst
Half Past Clocks
Mayer, AZ (Booth 5502)

OTHER ART

Lucy & Mel Mendez
Mendez Rugs
Prescott Valley, AZ (Booth 1420)

PAINTING

Mario Cespedes
La Quinta, CA (Booth 5534)

PHOTOGRAPHY

S. Brian Berkun
Sacred Spaces & Other Places
Centennial, CO (Booth 5517)

PRINTMAKING

Steve & Bonnie Harmston
Harmston Arts
Sammamish, WA (Booth 1130)

SCULPTURE

Barry Ferich
Ferric Creations
Las Vegas, NV (Booth 1412)

WEARABLE ART

Jodi Mullen
YeahYeah! Block Printed Clothing
San Francisco, CA (Booth 5568)

WOOD

Carolyn & David Levy
Davis, CA (Booth 1323)