



# EXPRESSIONS OF KING'S LEGACY WEEK AT ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

## CALL FOR ENTRIES

**Deadline: December 18, 2011** \*work postmarked or submitted after this date will not be eligible\*

Posted: 11/1/11

**Exhibit Dates:** January 9 - 20, 2012

**Title:** Expressions of King's Legacy Artwork

**Sponsor:** RIT Office for Diversity & Inclusion

**Venue where entries to be displayed:** **Jan 9-20 Eastman Lobby**  
Jan 22 - Java Wally's  
Work will also be displayed online

**\*\*Winners will be selected based on skill level and originality. PLEASE note offensive or inappropriate material will NOT be eligible. ARTWORK will NOT be returned. \*\***

**Details:** In conjunction with the Expressions of King's legacy week events the Office for Diversity & Inclusion is calling for entries for an on campus art contest that celebrates the unique and powerful guests we have as speakers and performers on January 22, 2012. There will be three levels at which you can submit your work:

- *Rochester City School Students Grades 9-12*
- *Rochester Community Members*
- *RIT Undergraduate Students*

Using the attached image by illustrator Louisa Bertman as your guide and inspiration we ask you to illustrate portraits of the speakers/performers for the day: *Joshua Bennett, Dr. Cornel West, and Garth Fagan* in your own unique style and medium. Images and information on each person is also attached. You may submit images of one or all three. Please remember to include your name, college or school, and contact information with your submission. We will then choose the three images (one from each category) that best represent each guest. The winner's whose work is chosen will then present it to the guest, framed, on the day of the event.

**Rochester City School Students Grades 9-12:** Open to all RCSD 9-12 students working in any media. All works must conform to 18" x 18" maximum size. This exhibition/contest will provide students an opportunity to be part of the RIT Expressions of King's legacy event. You must be a current enrolled RCSD student to submit work.

**Rochester Community Members:** Open to all Rochester community members working in any media. All works must conform to 18" x 18" maximum size. This exhibition/contest will provide Rochester community members an opportunity to be part of the RIT Expressions of King's legacy event.

**Campus Eligibility:** Open to all RIT students working in any media. All works must conform to 18" x 18" maximum size. This exhibition/contest will provide students an opportunity to be part of the Expressions of King's legacy event. You must be a current, enrolled RIT graduate or undergraduate student to submit work.

**Mail original entries to:** Morgan Martins, Marketing & Public Relations Coordinator  
Office for Diversity & Inclusion, Rochester Institute of Technology, 2 Lomb Memorial Drive, Rochester, New York  
14623-5604 | **Phone:** 585-475-2781  
**E-mail questions:** [mmmpro@rit.edu](mailto:mmmpro@rit.edu)

***By submitting your entry to us through this competition, you understand that it will NOT be returned to you and that the artwork becomes the property of Rochester Institute of Technology.***

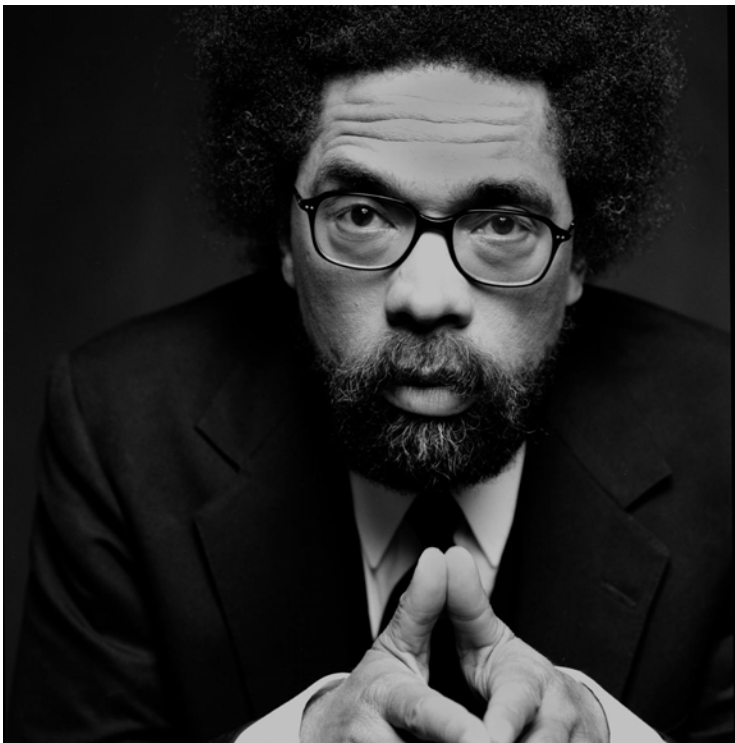
Inspirational Image



Guest Speakers



Tony Award Winning Choreographer,  
Garth Fagan



Dr. Cornel West



Award Winning Poet, Joshua Bennett



<b>RIT's Expression of King's Legacy Artwork Submission Form</b>	
<b>Contact Information</b>	
Name	
Street Address	
City/ST/ZIP Code	
Home Phone	
School/College/Organization	
Work Phone	
E-Mail Address	
<b>Agreement and Signature</b> (By submitting this application, I understand that my artwork will not be returned to me and agree that any artwork that I submit is the property of Rochester Institute of Technology.)	
Name (printed)	Signature (if under 18 parent or guardian must sign)
Date	

Official contest rules:

1. There is no purchase necessary to enter or win the contest. To enter, legibly fill out the registration form and mail to "Office for Diversity and Inclusion RIT, Contest Entry" at 2 Lomb Memorial Drive, Rochester, NY 14623. Entries must be post marked by December 18, 2011. Artwork submissions postmarked or submitted after this date will not be eligible. By submitting this application and artwork, entrants understand that their artwork will not be returned and agree that any artwork that I submit is the property of Rochester Institute of Technology and can be used for any purpose.
2. Contest will run from November 3, 2011 through December 18, 2011. Three prize winners will be selected based on skill level and originality. The selection process will be conducted by professional staff and faculty members of the RIT Office for Diversity & Inclusion, and the RIT College of Imaging Arts & Sciences.
3. To be eligible to participate in the contest, contestants must be 18 years of age or older for current RIT students and Community members not enrolled in the Rochester City School District, or currently enrolled Rochester City School District Students in grades 9 through 12.
4. Winners will be notified through email by January 1, 2011 that they have won, and winners will be posted on the Office for Diversity & Inclusion Webpage, twitter page, and Facebook site and all other applicable media.
5. In claiming their prize, the winner acknowledges that RIT has the right to, without further authorization, to publicize their name, the submitted artwork character likeness, photograph, voice, and fact that they are one of three winners for promotional purposes without financial remuneration.
6. The odds of winning are dependent upon the number of entries.
7. For contest results and/or a copy of these Official Rules, send a hand-printed, self-addressed, stamped envelope to "Expressions of King's Legacy Art Contest, Contest Winner List/Rules" at Office for Diversity & Inclusion, 2 Lomb Memorial Drive, ste1120, Rochester, NY 14623. Requests must be received by December 30, 2011.
8. Winners will be selected based on skill level and originality. PLEASE NOTE offensive or inappropriate material will NOT be eligible. ARTWORK will NOT be returned.