



Getting Noticed

When you enter The Artist's Magazine's Annual Art Competition, you win, even if you don't take home a prize.

WE SO LOOK FORWARD to judging the entries in our three competitions (the Annual, Over 60, and All Media)! We often fall in love with artists whose works we'll go on to feature in the coming year, and from the ranks of the Annual's finalists, we find, too, the 35 pictures that will grace nine Competition Spotlight articles, or become the 12 Artist of the Month website articles (www.artistsnetwork.com/artist-of-the-month), or the 14 pages of *The Artist's Magazine's* calendar (available at www.zazzle.com/giftsforartists). We sincerely thank you for entering our contests and sharing your work with us. And don't forget, there's always next year! Check the deadlines at www.artistsnetwork.com/competitions.

SEE THE RULES TO OUR ANNUAL COMPETITION ON PAGES 32-33.



Competition Spotlight

For the last page of *The Artist's Magazine*, we choose a picture from the pool of finalists in the Annual Art Competition and then ask the artist to explain her process and tell the picture's story. Here is Rexanne Chadwick's Self Image (charcoal, 13x14).



2014 Calendar
On the cover is Anna in Red Hat (oil, 30x30) by George Thompson; on the April page is Twin Fawns (pastel, 10x18) by Rita Kirkman.



Artist of the Month

Every month we show a finalist's work (here is Amy Roy's) at www.artistsnetwork.com/artist-of-the-month.