



REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

RFQ AT A GLANCE

COMMISSIONED BY:

UW Health

COMMISSION BUDGET:

**\$40,000 Each for Two Sculptures-
\$80,000 Total**

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

June 16, 2023

23:59 PM Central Time Zone

INSTALLATION TARGET:

Fall 2024

LOCATION:

Madison, WI, USA

MEDIUM

**Durable Materials Suitable for Year
Round Outdoor Display in Wisconsin**

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Two Sculptures for UW Health Eastpark Medical Center

UW Health is looking to commission artists or artist teams for two new sculptures at the new Eastpark Medical Center in Madison, Wisconsin.

UW Health acknowledges that the Eastpark Medical Center site occupies ancestral Ho-Chunk land. It is UW Health's intent to commission at least one of these sculptures by an artist from the Ho-Chunk Nation.

These two sculptures will be installed on or near the grounds as shown in the references to this document. The final installation locations may vary.

The Eastpark Medical Center will be a state-of-the-art, seven-story outpatient facility delivering cutting edge care, with emphasis on women's specialties and cancer treatment.

UW Health would like the artwork to embody the spirit of diversity, equity, and inclusion.

Artist Eligibility

All artists are eligible. Members of the Ho-Chunk Nation and women with a particular emphasis around intersectionality are encouraged to apply.

Budget and Funding

UW Health has made a total of \$80,000 available, \$40,000 for each, to fund fabrication and installation for the courtyard sculptures. **Artists selected by UW Health to present art proposals will receive an honorarium of \$750.**

RFQ KEYWORDS

Wellness

Healthcare

Healing

Whole Health

Meditation

Hope

Love

Serenity

Calm

Support

Strength

Emotion

Qualifications

For this commission UW Health is seeking artists with the following qualifications:

- Artists who have experience creating large-scale outdoor sculpture.
- Examples of your sculptures in the healthcare setting are helpful but not required.

Media

Sculpture materials must be durable and able to last in the seasonally varied climate of southern Wisconsin. Metal, stone or other materials that can withstand year round changes in temperature, humidity and wind. The location may be in a marsh grass area, so the sculpture base may need to be raised and should be able to withstand water.

Proposed Timeline

Applications Accepted	Friday, May 26, 2023
Deadline to Apply	Friday, June 16, 2023
Artist Interviews	Week of June 26, 2023
Artists Selected for Proposals	Friday, June 30, 2023
Proposal Presentation and Finalist Selection	Thursday, July 27, 2023

Submission Instructions and Materials

Applications accepted through the CODAworx RFP Portal:

<https://www.codaworx.com/commision-view-details/?key=MjE0MTk3&rfp=1>

1. To apply for this opportunity, sign up for a free account at www.codaworx.com/register or log into your account at www.codaworx.com/login. **Compatible browsers: Chrome, Safari, and Firefox.**
2. You may save and return to your application before submitting it. Log into your CODAworx account, click the person icon in the top right, and select My Account. Click RFP Applications to view a list of applications in progress. Click to edit your application.

Required information for this application:

Résumé/CV

Submit a brief, current résumé or CV, including:

1. Contact information including website
2. Previous relevant art commissions
3. Exhibitions, awards, grants

Letter of Interest

Submit a targeted letter of interest.

Required information:

1. Your name, address, telephone, email, and website for all artist/design team members.
2. Your interest in this project and your experience working on comparable projects,
3. Please describe your eligibility with the multiple criteria for this project.

Submission Instructions and Materials Continued

Artwork Images

In the “Images of Your Work” section of your application on CODAworx, please submit at least three (3) and up to five (5) different completed artworks or past commissions. For each completed artwork, you will be prompted to upload a single, main image and specify the title of the artwork, location, budget (USD), year completed, medium, and dimensions. Images must be JPG or PNG file format with a minimum of 620px width, a maximum of 1500px, and maximum file size of 5MB.

You have the option to provide more images and information for your completed artwork by publishing a CODAworx “project.” Log in to your CODAworx account, click the person icon in the top right, click My Account, and click Projects. Scroll down the page and click Create a New Project. Learn more about how to publish a project here: <http://bit.ly/CODAworxProject>

You can upload an unlimited number of projects. Published and unpublished project links can be added to your RFP Toolkit application by grabbing the project’s URL.

Slides, prints or any physical submissions of artwork will not be accepted.

This RFQ is administered and managed using the CODAworx RFP Toolkit, an innovative platform that streamlines the commissioned art process. Questions about the project or applying on CODAworx may be addressed to CODAworx at team@codaworx-rfp.com or by calling the office at (608) 467-3040 - Option 1.

CODAworx is a global online platform to showcase design projects that feature commissioned artwork in interior, architectural, and public spaces. The CODAworx RFP Toolkit is designed to aid commissioning bodies in the process of promoting Requests for Qualifications and Proposals and to guarantee an applicant pool containing top artists and designers in the industry.

References

Aerial Landscape Rendering of Eastpark Site



A and B Grounds Sculptures (Location may vary. Marsh grass area. Sculpture base may need to be raised and should be able to withstand water.)

Closeup Rendering of Courtyard at Eastpark Site



Renderings courtesy of HKS Architects