



**SOKO - South Kona Artists Collective.** We are a group of professional artists living in South Kona. The collective brings together painters, photographers, potters, sculptors, woodworkers, assemblage, mosaic artists, jewelers, printmakers and textile artists to generate opportunities for all. We share events such as our yearly artist studio tour plus group exhibitions.

Our website is [www.sokoartists.com](http://www.sokoartists.com), and our Facebook page is [www.facebook.com/SOKOSouthKonaArtistsCollective](http://www.facebook.com/SOKOSouthKonaArtistsCollective).

New members will be posted on Facebook after they accept membership & pay their membership dues.

We are accepting applications for review to join our group and to participate in our upcoming events, specifically the **Artists Open Studio Tour on February 22 & 23, 2020**, and other events, including a preview exhibit at SKEA in January. Artists are required to participate in the Artists Tour, with other events being optional. Artists must live in the South Kona area and be able to show in South Kona (sharing a studio is encouraged when possible for ease of the visitors).

### **SOKO Artist Membership Application**

***Deadline for entry form to be submitted no later than June 1, 2019 to participate in the SKEA Membership Show and the Artists Studio Tour on February 22 & 23, 2020, from 9am - 4pm each day.***

***All applications will be reviewed by the jury committee, and you will be notified of acceptance by June 15, 2019 at the latest.*** Membership requires payment of \$125, and a commitment of 12-15 volunteer hours (or \$150 additional fee in lieu of work).

(please print clearly)

Artist Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Medium(s) you work in \_\_\_\_\_

Professional Website \_\_\_\_\_

FaceBook Artist Page or other \_\_\_\_\_

Art experience (*attach additional info at end if needed*)

Home, studio or exhibit space in South Kona for studio tour or need to share? \_\_\_\_\_

Any computer or marketing skills? \_\_\_\_\_

If you don't have a website or Facebook/other page showing your art, please attach 8-10 low- res jpeg images with the application via email.

Choose committees that you would like to join in order of preference (1, 2, 3):

\_\_\_ Online Marketing \_\_\_ Print Publicity \_\_\_ Advertising \_\_\_ Facebook Page \_\_\_ Exhibits

***Please submit this form to:*** sokoartists@gmail.com

***or mail to:*** SOKO, PO Box 335, Honaunau, HI 96726

**If your application is accepted**, you will need to submit the \$125 member fee (check to SOKO), a 5x7 horizontal 300ppi jpeg of one representative art piece for the color brochure, poster and website, plus a bio/artist statement. Instructions will be provided in the welcome letter.