



## Art Business Incubator South Padre Island

### Under the Direction of the South Padre Island Economic Development Corporation

To apply for the Art Business Incubator South Padre Island, complete and submit the following items to Darla Lapeyre, SPI Economic Development Corporation Director. Email application materials to [southpadreislandedc@gmail.com](mailto:southpadreislandedc@gmail.com). Do not forget to submit the online application (Step Two) as well.

1. **Artist Statement Cover Letter:** Introduce yourself and outline a description of your conceptual plan for an art-related business that you want to establish on South Padre Island OR how you would contribute to the art scene and economy after completing the program.
2. **Resume** containing a summary of your art-related experience. This is a great time to highlight your formal training in your art field, and/or professional work experience in an art-related business.
3. **Two letters of reference** that attest to the quality of your artwork and your work ethic.
4. **Portfolio** of 6 -10 pieces of your best work that evidence the quality of your artwork and your readiness to become a "working artist with a saleable product or service."
5. **Links** to your website and online presence.

#### Selection Process:

Applications will be reviewed by the ABISPI Board of Directors. Applicants selected as semi-finalists will be notified and scheduled for an interview with a panel of judges. Please allow up to 4 weeks for us to evaluate your application.