

CALLING ALL ARTISTS!

This is your chance to showcase your artistic talent in a piece that depicts the importance of international exchange programs and mutual understanding.

The Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (CSIET) is hosting an Annual Art Cover Design Contest to give foreign exchange students the opportunity to share their artistic ability. CSIET welcomes any type of medium, so artists are free to be creative with their design. The winner's artwork will be featured on the cover of the 2012-2013 *Advisory List*, which is mailed out to all members including foreign youth exchange programs, international organizations, American high schools, etc. The winner will also receive a \$500 cash prize and have their artwork posted on the CSIET website.



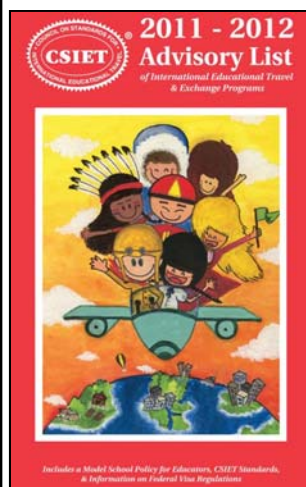
ART CONTEST DETAILS

Complete the Cover Design Contest Entry Form on the reverse side and mail it with a hard copy submission of your artwork to CSIET to the address provided on the back.

The deadline for submission is Friday, March 9, 2012.

Please contact Program Officer, Lindsay Poehlman, at Lindsay@csiet.org with any questions. The winner will be notified in writing by May 11, 2012.

2011 WINNER



Pratipa Wongvaitayakul from Thailand won the 2011 Art Cover Contest. To view previous contest winners please go to the CSIET website. www.CSIET.org



Advisory List Cover Design Contest Entry Form

CSIET is pleased to announce its 10th annual cover design contest. High school exchange students inspired by their experiences are encouraged to submit artwork representing the spirit of youth exchange and how it transforms the lives of young people. The winner's artwork will be featured on the cover of the 2012-2013 *Advisory List* and the CSIET website. The artist's name will be mentioned in the *Advisory List*. In addition, the winner will receive a cash prize of \$500.

MEDIUM

CSIET welcomes a variety of media, both designs produced by hand and computer graphic design. Special consideration will be given to creative and unique designs. CSIET asks that students submitting graphic artwork provide:

1. an electronic copy on disk in the original file format (for instance, if you created the design in Photoshop, do not convert it to a .PDF file - just send the Photoshop file)
2. a printed-out hard copy of the design, in color if possible (unless the design is black and white) - **a graphic design can only be considered if a printed version is submitted in addition to the electronic version.**

RULES & RECOMMENDATIONS

- The book cover will be 6 ¼ inches wide and 8 ½ inches tall.
- There should be no reference to or depiction of **specific exchange organizations, sports, or high school graduation** in the artwork submitted.
- Please avoid emphasis on specific countries in the artwork.
- More than one entry is permitted. Each submission must be accompanied by a completed and signed copy of the entry form.
- Entries received without the application form will not qualify for the contest.
- A short written description of the artwork is welcome, but not required.
- Artwork should not incorporate the CSIET logo.
- Please make sure your name is somewhere on the artwork, either on the front or back, so that it can be identified if it is separated from the application form.
- You may not use photo images or artwork that is not your own unless you have permission to use and publish it.
- Emailed submissions will not be considered for the contest unless a hard copy of the design and signed entry form are mailed separately.

DEADLINE: Entries must arrive at the CSIET office on or before **Friday, March 9, 2012.**

Please print out this page and complete the form. Mail it with your artwork to CSIET, using the address at the bottom of this page. The winner will be notified in writing by May 11, 2012.

Name: _____ Age: _____

U.S.-based Exchange Organization: _____

Mailing Address (where you will be on May 11, 2012): _____

E-mail Address: _____ Phone Number (optional): _____

Home Country: _____ Host Country: _____

When did you study abroad? Fall 2011 semester

Academic Year 2011-2012 Spring 2012 semester (including Calendar Year 2012)

CSIET will retain full, nonexclusive rights to the artwork featured on the cover of the 2012-2013 *Advisory List* of International Educational Travel & Exchange Programs. These rights include but are not limited to the right to print, publish, and distribute the work in all media, including electronic media, related to CSIET and its mission.

CSIET has my permission to use my artwork for the 2012-2013 *Advisory List* cover as well as any other materials related to CSIET and its mission. I hereby certify that CSIET has permission to use and publish all photo images and artwork used in my contest entry design.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return this form along with your artwork to:

CSIET
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