

Marine Landscape - Group Blue
Returns: June 21, 2023
Judge: Robin Winfield

All submitted images - winners appear at the end.



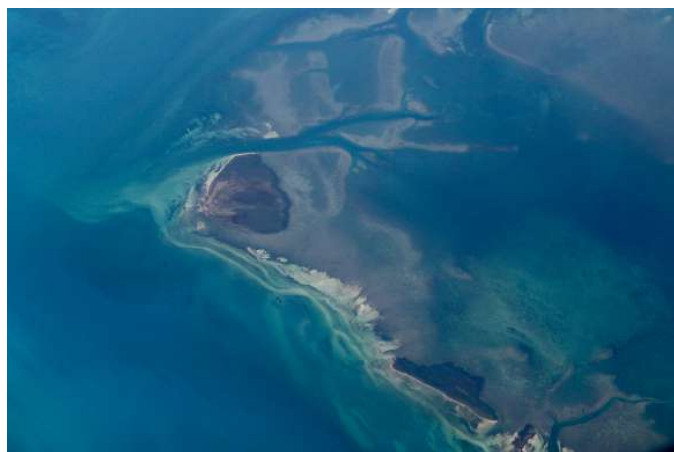
Astoria-Megler Bridge
Bill Brown
STAR RATING:5

Absolutely beautiful! perfect composition.



Coastline Patterns of Rocks and Waves
Margret Cordts
STAR RATING:4

Beautifully captured curve of the wave leading one's eye from foreground to rocks on horizon, nice compositionally with good contrast between water and land.



Eight Miles Over Cuba
Kent Van Vuren
STAR RATING:4

Artistically quite beautiful, looks like a painting.



Fishing Boat Leaving Monterey Wharf
Dennis Giuffre
STAR RATING:4

Beautiful shot- nice shapes of the rigging and boat contrasted with the clouds and smooth patterned water.



Garrapata Rocks
Rick Verbanec
STAR RATING:3

Nice capture of rocks and breaking waves! Try cropping top 1/4 of image for more balance in composition.



Golden Gate Bridge at Dusk
Brian Spiegel
STAR RATING:5

Gorgeous photo! Composition, color, contrast, mood- wonderful!



Homeward Bound
Julie Chen
STAR RATING:3

Lovely composition, the subtle colors and birds are key to making it more interesting. Printed on watercolor paper? Looks like a painting.



Jefferson
Carol Silveira
STAR RATING:4

The black and white makes this image work very well. composition is good, the pilings, reflections, and dramatic sky are wonderful.



Little Sur Rivermouth
Rick Verbanec
STAR RATING:3

Definitely captures a marinescape. Composition works with the interesting shapes of the sand bars and waterways, fence posts framing in the bottom edge- nice touch.



Moonrise over Fishing Boat
Chris Johnson
STAR RATING:4

Love the contrast between the shapes in the boat's rigging and the full moon. Even though the composition is pretty much cut right in half- I think it surprisingly works with the moon leading your eye from rigging to boat and then buoy.

Rainbow over Monterey Bay
Kent Van Vuren
STAR RATING:2

Good capture of nature's beauty. Composition is good- you have to center a rainbow when you can get both ends!





Seacliff State Beach
Carol Silveira
STAR RATING:2

If you rotate the image CW 1 angle I think you'll find it not so skewed feeling. The colors, contrasts and subject give wonderful movement to the marinescape.



Strait of Juan de Fuca
Bill Brown
STAR RATING:4

Wonderful parade of boats- alternating lights and darks add to the balanced composition. Faceted patterned boats vs tranquille water and skies- nice!



Sturgeon Bay Canal
Bill Shewchuk
STAR RATING:2

Simple composition works, artistically-might have wanted the reflections in the water to be more of the story.



Sturgeon Bay Waterfront and Maritime Museum
Bill Shewchuk
STAR RATING:2

The cool Maritime building right in the middle works because the boats and bridge -key to the scene- anchor it nicely. Clear, crisp image.



Sunset over Rocks and Sand

Brian Spiegel

STAR RATING:3

Beautiful capture of a sunset, the water looks surreal in contrast. Good composition with sun rays breaking the horizon line

Sunset Patterns at the Edge of a Sandy Beach

Margret Cordts

STAR RATING:4

Beautiful composition- looks like a weaving. Patterns and colors rich and calming.



Winter in Tromso, Norway

Chris Johnson

STAR RATING:3

Beautiful winterscape, incredibly crisp, clear images contrasted with hazy winter sunlight. Balanced composition. Sunlight on the buildings- perfect touch!



Wooden Boat-2

Julie Chen

STAR RATING:3

Looks like a watercolor! Beautiful soft colors evoke a serene and solitary mood. The whitecaps make the composition more playful and interesting.



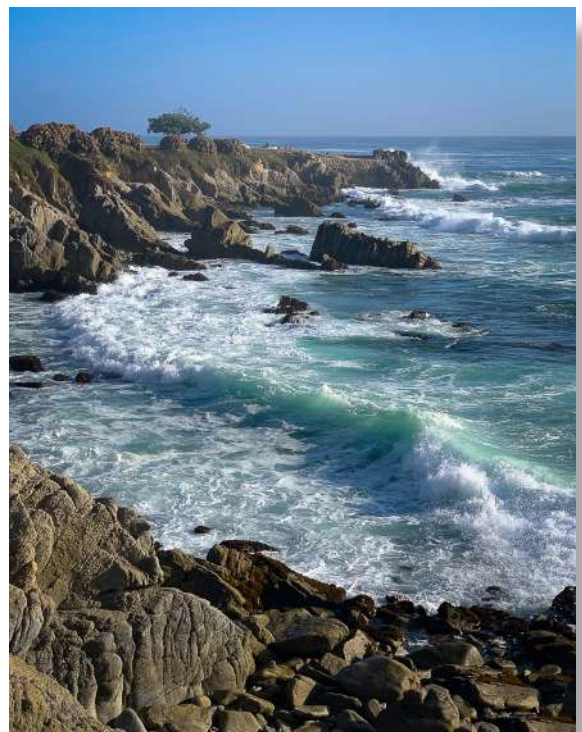
Winning Images Honorable Mentions



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Winning Images - Group Blue



1st Place

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2nd Place

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3rd Place

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