

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



All submitted images - winners appear at the end.



Bird Rock at Rocky Shores
Brooks Leffler
STAR RATING 5

Beautiful, simple composition, lovely!



Cruising.jpg
Fernando Ibanez
STAR RATING 2

Using grid lines, rotate image .5 CCW for less skewed horizon line.



Harbor Sunset Xmas Eve-Moss Landing
Gerry Gifford
STAR RATING 2

Gorgeous sunset colors, perhaps composition would be more interesting if not perfectly in halves.



Knotted Fan Coral on Tubbataha Reef, Philippines
STAR RATING 4
Karen Schofield

Beautiful colors, lights vs darks, beautiful vertical composition



Monterey Harbor Sunny Day, May 2013
STAR RATING 3
Christina Parsons

A beautiful marinescape except for (arbitrary?) partial cropping of poppies- would like to see more of the plant to complete the background vs. foreground composition.



Moonrise, Cape May, NJ
STAR RATING 5
Carole Gan

Beautiful composition! Black and white is wonderful.



Osa Peninsula Sunset-Costa Rica
STAR RATING 2
Karen Schofield

The different and interesting textures guide one's eye around the composition until it drops off a bit on the lower right (possibly use perspective correcting?).



Peaceful Harbor
STAR RATING 2
Charlie Gibson

Nice composition with dark trees and dark boat framing the scene. I rotated the image CW 1 angle for less



Penguin Rafter
STAR RATING 4
Fernando Ibanez

Beautiful iceberg/penguin balance in composition (sad emotional reaction to penguins plight due to global warming).



Rocky Shores - PG's Only Waterfront Homes
STAR RATING 2
Brooks Leffler

Rotated image CCW 1 angle, rocky shore might be given more importance for marinescape theme.



Treasure Island gets winter rain!
STAR RATING 5
Gerry Gifford

Beautiful composition, all elements important to marinescape- marina with boats, sky, bridge, city..Bravo!



Venice Grand Canal
STAR RATING 3
Dick Light

Looks like a painting! Although you would lose the wonderful gondola- one option you might try would be to crop off a bit of the right side of image (hard leaning buildings) to create less skew.



Winter Storm in Monterey
STAR RATING 5
Dick Light

Beautiful capture of waves, exquisite composition.



Wrong Way on Monterey Bay
STAR RATING 5
Charlie Gibson

Composition beautiful and playful, shields are an elegant sailing vessel! Love the contrasting darks and lights.



Western Gull's View of Monterey Marina
STAR RATING 2
Christina Parsons

Wonderful gull's view of the harbor, but I'd like to see the whole gull, feet and all, to complete the composition.



Refinery Reflections in Stockholm Harbor
STAR RATING 5
Don Eastman

Beautiful marinescape with industrial shapes, forms and color in perfect reflection...I cropped half the sky for different compositional possibility.



Sand Shell Beach, on 17 Mile Drive

STAR RATING 3

Don Eastman

Beautiful color balance of local landscape/marinescape, breaking wave a nice focal point, car is a bit distracting.

Winning Images Honorable Mentions



Wrong Way on Monterey Bay
Charlie Gibson



Refinery Reflections in Stockholm Harbor
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Moonrise, Cape May, NJ
Carole Gan

Winning Images - Group Red



1st Place

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2nd Place

Winter Storm in Monterey
Dick Light



3rd Place

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Karen Schofield