Whitworth University Art & Design Department

Art History Scholarship and Award Application Information

Art & Design Scholarships

- Up to ten scholarships, ranging from \$500-\$3,000.
- Eligibility. Applicants must be a declared art history major and in good standing. GPA requirements vary for different awards. Students must submit the Donor-Sponsored Scholarship Application Form and the FAFSA, WAFSA, or CSS profile. Students with no tuition need (ex: full scholarship or tuition remission) are not eligible.
- Scholarships apply to Whitworth tuition only.
- Scholarships and awards are given for one year only (one-half in fall and one-half in spring), and apply to the following school year.

Art & Design Award

- Eligibility. Applicants must be a declared art history major and in good standing.
- Awards acknowledge excellence in the discipline and are extremely competitive.

COMPONENTS OF APPLICATION:

COURSE CHECKLIST

Please check any course you have completed or are currently taking, indicating the term in which you took the course (example: FA21) and the name of the instructor (example: Shimizu). You may list any college-level art courses you have taken at other institutions at the bottom, and please indicate the name of the school(s) you attended. You do not need to submit a course checklist if you have not taken any AP or college-level courses.

COVER LETTER

Please write a one-page cover *letter* including the following information:

- Clearly state your goal in submitting your application.
- Explain why you are a good match for the award for which you are applying.
- Briefly explain your interest in art history, and highlight any major achievements.
- Conclude with your contact information.

A good letter is clear, concise, thoughtful, and specific. It includes correct grammar and punctuation.

RÉSUMÉ

Your résumé should include any relevant art experiences. Use proper résumé format:

- Personal information (name, address, phone, email, website)
- Education (e.g., high school, college(s); include major(s), minor(s) and GPA)
- Internships and relevant jobs (title(s), location(s), date(s), supervisor, brief description of duties)
- Scholarships or grants (including any previous scholarships, with dollar amount)

A good résumé is professional, complete, clear, and designed well. Each page should be numbered and should include your name. Lists should be chronological, beginning with most recent event/item.

WRITING SAMPLE

Your writing sample should be a 5-7 page essay in art history or a related field.

QUESTIONS?

Contact WUArt@whitworth.edu, 509.777.3258