

INSTITUTE OF CREATIVE AND COLLABORATIVE ARTS
EKU School of Art & Design
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Name: _____ **Student ID #** _____

Address: _____ **GPA Overall** _____

_____ **GPA Art Area** _____

_____ **E-Mail** _____

Your Major _____ **Phone** (_____

If BFA – Emphasis _____

(Please note: If your address will change after the end of the spring term, please provide summer contact information.)

Awards:

Please indicate the award or awards for which you want to be considered. See the attached pages for the criteria that apply to each.

Antoniou Memorial Fund _____ Richard Deane Scholarship _____

Castillo Memorial Art-Service Award _____ Louise G. Erekson Scholarship in Art Fund _____

Thurman-Lynn Memorial Scholarship _____ Creighton Endowed Scholarship _____

Those awards which require financial need to qualify also require that a student Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) be on file each year with the ECU Financial Aid Office.

Did you complete a FAFSA for next school year? YES _____ **NO** _____

Checklist: (Refer to the criteria for each award to determine what you need to submit.)
Committee confirmation

1. Completed application form. _____
2. Essay/letter describing the candidate’s qualifications / plans. _____
3. A letter of support from an academic reference. _____
4. Digital images on CD or USB Drive of original studio work. _____
5. A resume of work/service activities and leadership. _____
6. Proofs of citizenship and employment. _____

Applicants must be full-time students majoring in Art and Design at ECU at the time of the award. If the student fails to maintain good academic standing, or changes to a major not included under the agreement during the award period, she/he will forfeit any funds not yet credited.

Procedure

The Scholarship Committee and/or Department Chair will review all completed application packets and select recipients for any awards by the end of April of each year. *Application packets are due April 1.* They must be clearly marked and addressed to:

**EKU Art & Design Scholarship Committee
309 Campbell Building
521 Lancaster Avenue
Richmond, KY 40475-3102**

JENNIFER ANTONIOU MEMORIAL ART FUND:

This award is to honor the memory of Jennifer Antoniou and is made possible by generous donations to ECU in her name by her family and friends. It is a materials award intended to defray the cost of a student's supplies for a studio project(s) during fall semester.

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

1. A BFA major with a minimum of 60 credit hours earned toward degree.
2. Demonstrated net financial need.
3. Minimum 3.0 overall GPA
4. The committee request an essay of no more than 500 words explaining the project(s) to which the funds will be applied. Student should include images of previous projects.
5. Recommendation by ECU Art faculty through the Department Chair.

THE DANIEL RICHARD DEANE JR. ART EDUCATION ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP:

This award is to pay tribute to Emeritus Faculty Richard Deane's dedication and service to Art Education at ECU and in Kentucky. It is made possible by generous donations to ECU in his name. Criteria for consideration include proof of the student's dedication to Art Education as a major. The award for the coming academic year is for tuition and fees, divided evenly between each semester.

Applicants must meet the following requirements-

1. A letter from the student explaining, in narrative form, why he/she would be a good candidate. The committee suggest an essay of 500 words or less.
2. A letter of support on stationary, from an art teacher, or professor, or other school official of the student, who is willing to speak to the student's positive character, artistic potential in visual art, and leadership qualities.

3. The committee request scanned images of the student's artwork but this is not required. No original artwork will be accepted.

AYMARA CASTILLO ART-SERVICE AWARD:

This award is to honor the memory of Aymara Castillo (posthum. BA '01) and the contributions she made in the lives of her family and friends. This perpetual tribute illustrates her commitment to and belief in helping others and goes to assist people who exemplify those same traits that made Aymara so special. It is made possible by a generous donation from Mary Lois and Cecil Simmons. The award for the coming academic year is for tuition and fees, divided evenly between each semester.

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

1. An Art Major with a minimum of 90 credit hours earned toward a degree.
2. Minimum 3.0 overall GPA
3. Document your comparable level of service within the University community and/or the Richmond community. The committee request this in resume form.
4. The committee request letters of support from others who can speak to the applicant's service record and exemplary leadership qualities.
5. The committee request an essay of no more than 500 words explaining why the candidate feels she/he is deserving of the award.

CREIGHTON ENDOWED ART SCHOLARSHIP:

This award is made possible by a generous donation from Elizabeth and Peter Creighton of Richmond. The award for the coming academic year is for tuition and fees, to be used in either the Fall or Spring Semester.

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

1. An Art Major with a minimum of 36 hours at ECU, with no more than one course repeat for an unsatisfactory grade; a minimum of 9 hours in Art subjects.
2. Minimum overall GPA of 3.0.
3. Minimum GPA of 3.0 in the 9 hours of Art subjects combined.
4. Demonstrate net financial need.
5. Provide a letter addressed to the chair of the Department of Art and Design that identifies his/her career goals.

CHRISTINA THURMAN-LYNN MEMORIAL ART SCHOLARSHIP:

This award is to honor the memory of Christina Thurman-Lynn (BFA '02) and the contributions she made in the lives of her family and friends. It is made possible by generous donations to ECU in her name by Rob Lynn and Linda Thurman, and other family and friends. The award for the coming academic year is for tuition and fees, divided evenly between each semester.

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

1. An essay of no more than 500 words on what art means to the applicant, and what the applicant's plans are after graduation.
2. Be a full-time student with good academic standing and a minimum of 56-60 overall hours earned or in progress at the time of application toward a BFA in Photography (first preference), Jewelry (second preference).
3. Must be admitted to the BFA program with a minimum 3.0 GPA in all art subject classes.
4. Be a natural-born US citizen, and currently employed either on- or off- campus.

HOUSE OF ONYX FUND FOR EXCELLENCE IN JEWELRY & METALS

This award is for a student majoring in the Jewelry-Metals area for the expressed purpose of purchasing tools and materials necessary for his/her jewelry/metals classes and in cooperation with the jewelry/metal's faculty. Application will be made to the faculty member in charge of the jewelry/metals program and a committee comprised of two professionals in the jewelry/metals field and the EKU jewelry/metals faculty will select the award recipient. A student may receive this award only once in any academic year but may reapply yearly for a maximum of three awards.

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

1. A 3.0 GPA in Jewelry/Metals classes. Submit an official transcript.
2. Submit a portfolio of work (3-5 digital images on a CD) and sketches completed in Jewelry/metals classes at Eastern Kentucky University.
3. Must demonstrate excellence in craftsmanship, innovation in design and show strong interest in the jewelry industry or jewelry education through participation in field trips, lectures, or jewelry studies projects.

LOUISE G. EREKSON SCHOLARSHIP IN ART FUND

This scholarship is awarded to a student in the Art and Design Department, preference given to a student who is studying painting. Student recipients must be admitted to the University in accordance with the Standard University procedures and admissions criteria and be pursuant of a degree. In awarding the scholarship, preference shall also be given to a married student. Applicants must demonstrate financial need.