

## SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS: ART HISTORY

The UA Department of Art and Art History is accepting applications for 2021-22 Art History scholarships.

- Applications are due by noon on **Friday, January 22, 2021** via email to the following address [uaartscholarship@ua.edu](mailto:uaartscholarship@ua.edu).
- Submit application components as a **single pdf** saved as **lastname\_firstname\_arh.pdf**

Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.

### Checklist:

Completed PDF application packets should include:

- Application form**
- Statement of Application**
- Transcript from Degree Works**
- Art History Writing Sample with assignment guidelines from professor**
- Combine all files into a single PDF, saved as lastname\_firstname\_arh.pdf**

**1. Application Form** - Complete and sign form

**2. Statement of Application** - In 1 page or less, describe your accomplishments and goals in art history or related fields and explain how a scholarship will support your continued work.

**3. Transcript from Degree Works** – Save or Print to PDF your entire Degree Works profile and include in your application.

**4. Art History Writing Sample** - Include a writing assignment produced in a UA ARH class along with the assignment guidelines from the professor. A Writing sample from a course in progress may be submitted. Length requirements are as follows based upon your completed ARH credits hours:

3-12	ARH credit hours---	3 or more pages
13-24	ARH credit hours---	5 or more pages
24+	ARH credit hours---	6 or more pages

Label writing sample with:

- student's name
- essay title (optional)
- course and semester in which the work was completed
- instructor's name
- assignment guidelines from professor

Transfer students will compete in the appropriate category regarding total art history hours, but the writing sample must have been completed in this department (or approved by the faculty if produced outside the University). Contact Dr. Feltman if this applies to you.

### **Important Scholarship Policies:**

- Awards are given as monetary scholarships toward tuition for the 2021-22 academic year only.
- Awards may not be applied to Summer 2021 courses.
- Students planning to graduate in December 2021 may receive a 50% award level to fund a single semester (fall) of the 2021-2022 academic year.

### **Eligibility requirements**

- Declared ARH major with at least 3 credit hours completed in the major at the University of Alabama.
- Minimum 2.5 overall cumulative GPA and a 3.0 GPA in all ART/ARH courses.
- Full-time enrollment at UA as an ARH major for at least one semester of the 2021-2022 academic year (Fall 2021, Spring 2022, Summer 2022)
- Previous scholarship recipients are eligible.

### **Evaluation Process and Criteria**

- Faculty of the Department of Art and Art History will review scholarship applications.
- Students will be assessed on overall performance including the statement of application, writing sample, cumulative GPA, and departmental GPA.
- Student accomplishments, professional development, potential, and need will also be considered.

Applicants are grouped in categories relative to their completed credit hours and will compete against other majors at the same level.

Group A: ARH major with 3-12 completed ARH credit hours

Group B: ARH major with 13-24 completed ARH credit hours

Group C: ARH major with 25+ completed ARH credit hours

### **April 9: Honors Day Reception**

Students will be notified by email of their scholarship award status by March 8, 2021.

Awards are given as monetary scholarships toward tuition for the 2021-22 academic year (Fall 2021, Spring 2022, Summer 2022). Details of individual awards will be announced at the department's honors day reception. Friends and family are invited to attend. If COVID restrictions are still in place, the reception will be held virtually.

### **Questions regarding Art History Scholarship may be directed to:**

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