

Enrichment Grants

Enrichment Grants enable students in the Frostic School of Art to engage in highly ambitious research and/or creative activities. Applicants may request funding to support research projects and art production. Frostic School of Art Students enrolled full-time (defined as 12 credits) with a first major in any of the degree granting programs in the Frostic School of Art are eligible to apply. <https://wmich.edu/art/scholarships/enrichment-grants>

1. What are you applying for?

Proposals for expenses related to immersive art experiences such as internships with art museums, institutions, and studios; apprenticeships with area artists; or attendance at selected lectures, exhibitions, art collections, libraries, artist residencies, workshops, or conferences are reviewed under the DeVries Professional Immersion Grant. <https://wmich.edu/art/scholarships/professional-immersion>

2. Have you submitted all final reports for previously awards funds that require a final report?

FSoA Students who have outstanding final reports from previous FSoA awards are ineligible to apply. Awards that require final reports; Frostic School of Art Enrichment Grants, DeVries Professional Immersion Funds, Hallock Educational Enhancement Award For Painting and Photography, Keaveny Family Art History Travel Award, and the Rensenhouse Travel Fund for Art Education.

3. Will you graduate before your proposed activity is complete?

The proposed activity must be completed before students graduate.

4. Nature of Project

Describe the nature of the project/activity in this statement. What is the idea(s) or concept(s) behind your proposed project? What are the goals? How are these goals related to your development as an artist/designer/scholar?

5. Timeline

Create a timeline for your project. This should include the beginning and ending dates of each action you will take in order to complete the project described in the Nature of the Project, Tangible Outcomes and Dissemination of Results statements in your grant proposal. Refer to the application guide on the FSoA Student Enrichment Grant webpage for more information on how to write a proper timeline at <https://wmich.edu/art/scholarships/enrichment-grants>

6. Budget

Your budget should include an itemized list of all proposed expenditures and costs associated with your proposed project/activity, and should include the total cost of the entire project. If the total cost for your project exceeds the \$750 maximum of this grant, describe how you will finance any expenses beyond the \$750 maximum. Refer to <https://www.gsa.gov/travel/plan-book/per-diem-rates> for daily rates for food and lodging as applicable.

Note: equipment purchases may not make up more than \$400 of the amount requested. Refer to the application guide on the FSoA Student Enrichment Grant webpage for more information on how to write a proper budget at <https://wmich.edu/art/scholarships/enrichment-grants>

7. Amount Requested (\$750 maximum)

Enter the total amount of funds that you are requesting.

8. Artist Statement

This statement should describe materials and ideas of the 5 images you are submitting with your application. Here is a website if you are not sure where to start. <https://www.gyst-ink.com/artist-statement-guidelines>

9. Resume

Paste in your artist resume. Need help compiling your artist resume? see <https://www.collegeart.org/standards-and-guidelines/guidelines/resume>

10. Tangible Outcomes

What will result from the project/activity? Describe specific research projects, creative projects and relevant experiences.

11. Plan for Dissemination of Results

Provide information about proposed publications, exhibitions, performances, etc.

Writing Sample: Enrichment Grants

If you are applying as an Art History student, please use the space below to provide a sample of your writing.

REFERENCES

Applicants are responsible for familiarizing your selected faculty recommender with the specifics of your proposal. Ask a faculty member to review your proposal

before asking for a recommendation. Be sure to contact your faculty recommender 1-2 weeks before your application is due.
Provide 1 reference.

PORTFOLIO

Provide 0-5 items. Images (up to 5MB each), Video (up to 250MB each), Audio (up to 30MB each) and PDFs (up to 10MB each)