The Fauvette Loureiro Memorial Scholarship Application Information

Background

The Fauvette Loureiro Memorial Scholarship was established in 1997 through a gift from the estate of Renee Fauvette Erdos, an educator and founder of the History Teachers' Association of NSW. Its purpose is the establishment of a travelling scholarship for artists who have graduated from Sydney College of the Arts (SCA); celebrating the memory of her mother Fauvette Loureiro. Fauvette Loureiro was the eldest daughter of Portuguese painter Arthur Loureiro (1853-1932) who came to Australia in 1885 and established an association with the Heidelberg School in Melbourne.

Scholarships

In 2021, the Scholarship will be awarded in two categories:

Emerging Scholarship ($10,000.00)

- applicants must be five years or less from graduation from their most recent course of study at the SCA, or
- applicants who have graduated from their most recent course of study at the SCA more than five years ago but self-identify as being an emerging practitioner, must provide a justification.

Mid-career/Established Scholarship ($30,000.00)

- applicants must be six years or more from graduation from their most recent course of study at the SCA, or
- applicants who have graduated from their most recent course of study at the SCA less than six years ago but self-identify as being a mid-career/established practitioner, must provide a justification.

The scholarships are open to practising, professional artists working in any discipline and must be used to support a program of professional development through travel.

Important Dates

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<td>23 June 2021</td>
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<td>Midnight 19 July 2021</td>
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<td>Opening and recipient announcements</td>
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Eligibility

Information about who is able to apply for the scholarships is detailed in the ‘Terms and Conditions’.

Assessment
All applications to the Fauvette Loureiro Memorial Scholarship will be assessed against three criteria:  

1. Merit  
   Your application should clearly demonstrate:  
   
   - The artistic and/or academic merit of your proposed project/program of activities; and  
   - A high standard of professional practice as an artist evident in previous work and/or exhibitions.  

2. Potential  

3. Viability  
   Your application should clearly demonstrate:  
   
   - That you have undertaken the required planning to ensure the greatest potential from your proposed program of travel is achievable; and  
   - A budget that is realistic and accurately reflects the costs of realising your project/program of activities.  

**Assessment Process**  

All applications are to be submitted online, and a receipt of application will be sent to confirm it has been accepted. All applications will then initially be assessed to ensure they meet the base eligibility criteria prior to proceeding to the two-stage assessment process.  

**Stage 1**  

Applications will firstly be shortlisted by a selection panel comprising the Sydney College of the Arts Director or their nominated delegate, and a practicing professional artist plus a recognised art critic, gallery director, arts worker, curator or member of an established arts and cultural organisation external to the University of Sydney.  

**Stage 2**  

The selection panel will view the shortlisted applicants' work installed as part of the accompanying Fauvette Loureiro Memorial Scholarship exhibition. This work will be assessed alongside the application, to make the final determination for the allocation of the emerging and mid-career/established scholarships.  

**How to Apply**  

All applications are to be submitted online.  

Your application should clearly demonstrate:  

- Where you are currently at in your career and the potential of this scholarship to benefit your practice and/or future career possibilities.