

Eleanor G. Jones Marion College Fine Arts Scholarship – Art History Area
Application and Guidelines for Selection

The Eleanor Jones Scholarship shall be used to enhance the experiential learning opportunities of students in the fine arts via research, internships, service-learning, study away, and creative/artistic works. Income from this fund is awarded to students majoring in Fine Arts. The Jones Scholarship in the area of Art History must be used for an art history research or experiential project. Typically, the scholarship will defray travel costs to museums, archives, and libraries outside of the Roanoke Valley or other expenses associated with experiential learning in art history.

The Eleanor G. Jones Marion College Fine Arts Scholarship in the area of Art History will be evaluated and awarded based on the below criteria:

- Strength of project proposal
- Project must contain an experiential component
- Junior or Senior status preferred
- GPA

Grant amounts vary but typically range from \$300-\$600. Grants may be awarded to multiple students based upon quality of projects and applications received. In order to apply, a student must be enrolled in an Art History course at the time of application. For funding to be awarded, the student must be a declared major. The project must be completed by the semester following the scholarship's granting.

Application due dates: 2nd Friday of each September, November, January, and March. Funded applications will be selected by a committee of the Art History faculty. *Monies cannot be guaranteed for any term. If you are thinking of doing an experiential project, please talk to any of the Art History professors as soon as possible to discuss funding and the application process.*

Students will learn if they have received funding through a letter from the Art History Faculty. For research projects, half of the grant monies will be awarded immediately to help fund the project; the remaining half will be awarded upon receipt of a final report, due by Reading Day the semester in which the project is completed. Approved applications for May Term will be funded fully up front.

To apply, please fill out the following form.

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Name:

Major:

Minor/Concentration:

GPA:

Project Title:

Scope of Project. Brief description of project, including aims and goals. This should take $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ of a page.

Expected results (the skills and knowledge you expect to gain from the experience). Make sure to discuss the benefits of your research travel or other experiential learning:

There are many opportunities at Roanoke College to present the results of experiential learning. Examples include poster sessions every semester in Fintel Library ('The Showcase of Experiential Learning'), regional and national undergraduate conferences, etc. Feel free to discuss venues with the Art History faculty.

Will you be presenting the results of your learning experience:

On campus? *Yes* *No* Off campus? *Yes* *No*

Intended venue(s):

Amount requested:

Budget:

If you have applied for other sources of funding, please list source, amount, and grant status. *Good places to look include the office of experiential learning (Pathways) and the Summer Scholar program.*

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please print out and submit by the deadline to any Art History faculty member.