Intern Scholarship Opportunities

Fine Arts Careers Services (FACS) and the College of Fine Arts (COFA) are pleased to announce two intern scholarship funds: The Meredith and Cornelia Long Internship Fund and the Becker Intern Scholarship. These need-based scholarships offer undergraduate and graduate fine arts majors the opportunity to professionalize their artistic and entrepreneurial ambitions. Students must demonstrate significant financial need in order to receive a scholarship.

Students may apply for up to $2,000 of funding to support their internship experience. Students who are traveling outside of Austin for their internship may apply for an additional $1,000 to use towards travel and lodging.

Eligibility

- Be an undergraduate or graduate student with a major in COFA.
- Demonstrate financial need.
- Have identified an acceptable internship (students who are awarded a scholarship will need to provide documentation of the internship offer before funds are disbursed). **You do not have to have an internship secured at the time of the scholarship application.**
- Please note that student teaching positions are not eligible for the Intern Scholarship.
- As of Spring 2018, students may only receive the Intern Scholarship once during their time at UT. Students who received the Intern Scholarship prior to 2018 are eligible to receive the scholarship twice during their time at UT.

To Apply

- You will need to sign-in with a google or utexas account in order to complete the application
- As part of the application you will be asked to:
  - Upload an updated resume
  - Upload the completed budget form, which can be downloaded at [http://www.bit.ly/internbudget](http://www.bit.ly/internbudget)
  - Write a 250-300 word statement demonstrating the opportunity’s professional significance
  - Write a 250-300 word statement demonstrating the student’s financial need
  - Statements that are under or over the word count will be disqualified

Students who are awarded a scholarship must:

- Provide written documentation of an offer from the employer
- Enroll in an approved Fine Arts internship course: FA 140, FA 340, DES 360, AET 368, AET 369 and successfully complete all assignments on time. Graduate students please contact FACS about course options.
- Complete at least 150 hours of internship work hours during the funded semester
- Write a thank you letter to the donor