

Division of Teaching and Learning  
Office of Arts and Special Projects  
Paul King, Executive Director

## **MEMORANDUM**

February 14, 2017

**TO:** HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

**FROM:** Karen Rosner, Coordinator of Visual Arts

**SUBJECT:** School Art League Student Scholarships and Awards, 2017

**NOTE:** A *separate memo* will be sent for School Art League Medals.  
Both memos will be posted at [www.schoolartleague.org](http://www.schoolartleague.org) and at  
<http://schools.nyc.gov/offices/teachlearn/arts/initiatives/school-art-league.html>

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The mission of The School Art League, since 1909, is to support art education and career development and to provide recognition and encouragement for our student artists. The Department of Education of the City of New York and the trustees of The School Art League have joined together to provide visual arts scholarships and financial awards.

Below is information regarding these opportunities;

### **School Art League Scholarships and Awards for Graduating Seniors**

- The School Art League/Pratt Institute/Marcia Friedmutter Scholarship (min. \$10,000)
- The School Art League/School of Visual Arts/Henry Wolf Scholarship (min. \$10,000)
- The School Art League/ Renee Darwin/ Art Education Award (\$1,000)
- The School Art League/ Jane Clark Chermayeff/ Design Award (\$1,000)
- The School Art League Trustees Award (\$1,000)
- The Jane Curliano Mazzella/Excellence in Visual Arts Award (\$1,000)
- The Art Directors Club Award (\$1,000)

Scholarship and award winners (*selected through a city-wide competition*) will be honored at a ceremony to be held at:

**The Metropolitan Museum of Art, on Wednesday, May 24, 2017 at 3:00 PM**

Please address any questions to Karen Rosner [krosner@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:krosner@schools.nyc.gov)

Attachments: A. School Art League Scholarships and Awards 2017: Application Guidelines (2 pages)  
B. School Art League Scholarships and Awards 2017: Applicant Labels (4 pages)

c: Anna Commitante  
Paul King  
Naomi Lonergan

# SCHOOL ART LEAGUE SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS 2017

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES

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### ELIGIBILITY:

Each candidate must:

- be a graduating senior
- have demonstrated high achievement in visual arts and academic studies
- intend to pursue the study of art at a professional art or liberal arts college

### CRITERIA:

The following are awarded to graduating seniors through a citywide competition:

- **THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE / PRATT INSTITUTE / MARCIA FRIEDMUTTER SCHOLARSHIP** - to a senior whose exemplary character and talent serves the school and community through art and plans to attend Pratt Institute
- **THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE / SCHOOL OF VISUAL ARTS / HENRY WOLF SCHOLARSHIP**- to a senior who excels in design and/or photography and plans to attend the School of Visual Arts
- **THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE / RENEE DARVIN / ART EDUCATION AWARD**-  
to a senior who demonstrates excellence and commitment to the visual arts, high academic achievement, and will be attending college to become an art teacher
- **THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE / JANE CLARK CHERMAYEFF / DESIGN AWARD** - to a senior who demonstrates excellence in visual arts, service to the community and will be attending college to major in design
- **THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE TRUSTEES AWARD** – to a senior who excels in visual arts and academic studies, will be attending college to major in art, and has demonstrated commitment to school and community service.
- **THE JANE CURLIANO MAZZELLA / EXCELLENCE IN VISUAL ARTS AWARD**  
- to a senior who excels in visual arts and academic studies, and who will be attending college to major in art
- **THE ART DIRECTORS CLUB AWARD** - to a senior who has completed the Saturday Art Career Workshops with distinction, and will be attending college to major in art.

# SCHOOL ART LEAGUE SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS 2017

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES

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### REQUIREMENTS:

Schools must submit a complete application packet for each student, which includes:

- a recommendation from the Assistant Principal/Supervisor of Art or art teacher who has had a strong influence on the student's achievements
- an official copy of the student's transcript
- five (5) color prints, on 8 1/2 x 11 glossy photo paper, showing a variety of student artwork, with student's name, title of artwork, medium and original size, printed on the back of each photograph. Do not laminate photos.
- a one page student essay that addresses the specific criteria of the scholarship and/or award and includes the:
  - a. name/s of the college/s he/she plans to attend
  - b. intended major
  - c. process and media used in creating the submitted artworks

**PLEASE NOTE:** Each scholarship is a minimum of \$10,000.00 and each award is \$1,000.00.

- students applying for more than one scholarship or award must submit a separate application packet for each.
- students applying for scholarships and awards may also be a School Art League medal recipients.
- application packets will not be returned

**DUE DATE: Friday, March 17, 2017**

### MAIL OR DELIVER TO:

Division of Teaching and Learning  
Office of Arts and Special Projects  
4360 Broadway, **Room 401**  
New York, New York 10033  
Attn: School Art League

**NOTE: DO NOT FORGET ROOM NUMBER**

Phone: 917. 521. 3716

**CEREMONY: Wednesday, May 24, 2017, 3:00PM – 5:00PM**

The Metropolitan Museum of Art, Grace Rainey Rogers Auditorium  
Fifth Avenue at 82<sup>nd</sup> Street,  
New York, New York 10028

**NOTE: Principals, assistant principals, art teachers, parents and friends are invited to attend the awards ceremony.**

## SCHOOL ART LEAGUE SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS 2017: LABELS

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Please carefully print, separate and attach the appropriate label  
to **each student application packet** (duplicate labels as needed)  
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by **Friday, March 17, 2017**

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School Name	Principal	Principal's Signature
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Assistant Principal/Supervisor of Art or Art Teacher	NYCDOE email
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### THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE / PRATT INSTITUTE / MARCIA FRIEDMUTTER SCHOLARSHIP

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First Name	Last Name	Student's Email
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Home Address, Apartment Number

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Borough ( )	Zip Code
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Area Code & Phone Number	College Student Will Be Attending
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#### **CHECK LIST**

Included with this form are:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> - Recommendation letter | <input type="checkbox"/> - FIVE color prints of student artwork (on 8 1/2 x 11 glossy photo paper) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> - Student essay         | <input type="checkbox"/> - Official Transcript   |

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**THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE / SCHOOL OF VISUAL ARTS / HENRY WOLF SCHOLARSHIP**

First Name Last Name Student's Email

Home Address, Apartment Number

Borough Zip Code  
( )

Area Code & Phone Number College Student Will Be Attending

**CHECK LIST**

Included with this form are:

- Recommendation letter      - FIVE color prints of student artwork (on 8 1/2 x 11 glossy photo paper)  
- Student essay                      - Official Transcript

**THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE / RENEE DARVIN / ART EDUCATION AWARD**

First Name Last Name Student's Email

Home Address, Apartment Number

Borough Zip Code  
( )

Area Code & Phone Number College Student Will Be Attending

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**THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE / JANE CLARK CHERMAYEFF/ DESIGN AWARD**

First Name Last Name Student's Email

Home Address, Apartment Number

Borough Zip Code  
( )

Area Code & Phone Number College Student Will Be Attending

**CHECK LIST**

Included with this form are:

- Recommendation letter    - FIVE color prints of student artwork (on 8 1/2 x 11 glossy photo paper)  
- Student essay                    - Official Transcript

**THE SCHOOL ART LEAGUE / TRUSTEES AWARD**

First Name Last Name Student's Email

Home Address, Apartment Number

Borough Zip Code  
( )

Area Code & Phone Number College Student Will Be Attending

**CHECK LIST**

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### THE JANE CURLIANO MAZZELLA / EXCELLENCE IN VISUAL ARTS AWARD

First Name	Last Name	Student's Email
Home Address, Apartment Number		
Borough ( )	Zip Code	
Area Code & Phone Number	College Student Will Be Attending	

#### **CHECK LIST**

Included with this form are:

- Recommendation letter
- Student essay
- FIVE color prints of student artwork (on 8 1/2 x 11 glossy photo paper)
- Official Transcript

### THE ART DIRECTORS CLUB AWARD

First Name	Last Name	Student's Email
Home Address, Apartment Number		
Borough ( )	Zip Code	
Area Code & Phone Number	College Student Will Be Attending	

#### **CHECK LIST**

Included with this form are:

- Recommendation letter
- Student essay
- FIVE color prints of student artwork (on 8 1/2 x 11 glossy photo paper)
- Official Transcript
- Circle the semester the student attended the Saturday Art Career Workshops

Fall 2014

Spring 2015

Fall 2015

Spring 2016