

INFORMATION FOR ENTRANTS

The Arts Club of Washington's Scholarship Competition in Digital Design

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 12, 2012

THE AWARDS

Winner: \$1,500

First runner-up: \$1,000

Second runner-up: \$750

THE COMPETITION

Digital design integrates and expands fine arts, photography, graphic communications, and digital media, offering artists and designers a wide new means of expression.

The scholarship competition invites students to submit two-dimensional works such as photographs or illustrations that have been generated or modified in a design or photographic software program.

The competition asks entrants to submit works in which the digital medium or program is used with specific creative goals in mind and reflects both a technical and an artistic understanding of new media.

Entries should reflect a creative use of media that adds an additional dimension or element to the work and is integral to the piece. For example, because a photograph has been taken with a digital camera does not automatically qualify it for consideration.

WHO CAN ENTER?

The competition is open to college students in the District of Columbia, Maryland, and Virginia who are at least 18 years of age, but have not reached their 27th birthday by January 1, 2012.

THE SUBMISSION PROCESS

- Eligible students will submit **three copies** of a CD featuring one original work to the Arts Club of Washington postmarked by Monday, March 12. Artwork should be in a jpeg or pdf format. Work should not be submitted in native formats. Submissions may not be sent electronically.
- Each CD should also contain a brief (up to 250 words) artist's statement about the work, as well as the piece's title, dimensions, date of creation, and media and programs used. Word or pdf formats are accepted.
- Only one entry per student is allowed.

Entries must be accompanied by:

- An entry form available at www.artsclubofwashington.org.
- A brief letter of recommendation on school letterhead from a professor in the student's field from the college where the student is enrolled.
- A photocopy of the student's ID;
- Verification of student status; e.g., a copy of a current class schedule.

JUDGING

- A panel of judges not affiliated with the Arts Club will select the winners.
- Winners will be notified no later than April 2.
- Award recipients are invited to attend a presentation ceremony at the Arts Club on Thursday evening, April 26.

THE ARTS CLUB OF WASHINGTON was founded in 1916 and is headquartered in the James Monroe House, 2017 I Street, NW, a National Historic Landmark. The Arts Club sponsors an ongoing variety of programs focusing on the visual, literary, and performing arts and on historic preservation.

ENTRY FORM

THE ARTS CLUB OF WASHINGTON'S 2012 SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION IN DIGITAL DESIGN

- Review the Information for Entrants for full competition details.
- Entry materials must be postmarked no later than **Monday, March 12, 2011.**
- Include with this entry form: three copies of a CD containing your entry and artist's statement; a letter of recommendation; a photocopy of your current student ID card; and a copy of your current academic schedule or similar proof of enrollment.
- Each CD should be clearly marked with your name.
- Mail materials to: **Scholarship Competition, The Arts Club of Washington, 2017 I (Eye) Street, NW, Washington, DC 20006-1804**
- Enclose a self-addressed, stamped postcard if you wish confirmation that your entry has been received.

Please print

Name

School attending

Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year)

School Address

Your College Address

City/State/ZIP

City/State/ZIP

Recommended by

Home phone

Name

Cell phone

Title and academic department

E-mail

Daytime phone

Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Graduate: 1st year 2nd year

Other: (explain)

E-mail