



Palmer Scholarship Information

Award Description This scholarship helps cover travel expenses for an international or domestic project or independent study in an art-related field. The award recipient(s) will receive up to \$8,000 toward the costs of airfare, hotel, meal expenses or other travel costs related to their study of art. The scholarship does not cover tuition-related expenses. (Examples include advancing creative skills, conducting research or studying educational techniques. Previous applicants have used the scholarship to fund travel to China for a ceramics workshop, to Italy for the study of anatomical paintings and to Haiti to photograph conditions one year after the 2010 earthquake.) The Toledo Museum of Art will advance airfare only and will reimburse other expenses upon receiving a final report with original receipts for expenses. Travel must be completed within one year of award notification.

Eligibility Criteria Applicants must be 18 years of age or older and currently reside in Northwest Ohio. Applicants do not have to be enrolled at a university to be eligible. Awards are not based on previous achievements.

Application Process Visit toledomuseum.org/learn/scholarships to download the application form. Applications can be submitted via email (as PDF documents) with the subject line "Palmer Application" to sdaniels@toledomuseum.org, or via postal mail to the Toledo Museum of Art, c/o Sara Daniels, P.O. Box 1013, Toledo, Ohio 43697. Only one submission per applicant will be accepted per year. To be considered, applicants must submit the following:

1. A completed Palmer Scholarship application form (if sending via email, list the information requested by the form in the body of the application email).
2. A description (150 words or less) briefly explaining your project plan and estimated travel expenses.
3. An essay (600 words or less) describing your goals and why you are the best candidate for the award. Tell us why you are passionate about your project proposal and why we should help fund it.
4. Two letters of recommendation (from a teacher, professor, employer or colleague).

Deadline March 16, 2018 is the submission deadline for completed applications. Award(s) will be announced in April.

Post Award Award recipient(s) will be required to provide a letter of thanks to the donor upon completion of their travel project. Further, a report articulating purpose and resulting education or enhancement of skills is to be provided within 30 days of project conclusion.

Permission By applying for a scholarship, applicant agrees that if an award is granted, his/her name and funded project information may be made public for promotional purposes.

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