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Laila Twigg-Smith Art Scholarship 2019

Laila Twigg-Smith (12/12/44 - 3/24/98) was a well-known art collector; patron of artists and museums; art world personality; artist and visionary.

Description

This scholarship was established by the Laila Twigg-Smith Art Fund (LAF) Advisory Committee of the Hawai'i Community Foundation (HCF) to support Hawai'i-based artists in study that furthers their artistic development and offers them exposure to new ideas, influences and opportunities.

The program provides scholarships for visual artists to attend the 2019 summer program at:

• Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, Maine

The scholarship - up to a maximum of \$2,250 per individual - is intended to be used for tuition and fees; housing and meals during the program; and travel. A maximum of two (2) scholarships will be awarded for 2019.

Eligibility Requirements

Eligible scholarship applicants must:

- Be a legal resident of the State of Hawai'i.
- Be a practicing artist, graduate or undergraduate art student.
- Be accepted by the school for admission to its visual arts program.

Preference will be given to scholarship applicants with financial need and for those who have not yet attended Haystack, however all applications will be considered.

Process

- Scholarship seekers must apply directly to **Haystack Mountain School of Crafts**. **Applications will not be accepted at the Hawai'i Community Foundation**. Haystack Mountain School of Crafts will select the recipients and notify HCF of the awards. Neither HCF staff nor the LAF Advisory Committee will be involved in the selection process.
- The school will handle all payments and reimbursements to the scholarship recipients.
- Scholarship recipients will be required to submit a final report to HCF after completion of the program.

To Submit your Application

- Application forms are available through the <u>Haystack website</u>.
- Include a **cover letter** stating that you applying for this scholarship, indicate your status as a legal resident of the State of Hawai'i and outline your role as a practicing artist, graduate, or undergraduate art student.
- There is **no application fee** to apply for this scholarship
- Application materials must be submitted by the **April 1, 2019 deadline**.

If you do not receive the Laila Twigg-Smith Art Scholarship but still wish to be considered for regular enrollment in a Haystack workshop, indicate your interest on your application form.

Submitting an application

All inquiries, as well as applications and accompanying materials related to this scholarship must be submitted through: hcf2019scholarship@haystack-mtn.org

For more information about the Laila Twigg-Smith Art Scholarship please contact Elise von Dohlen at (808)566-5585, toll free (888)731-3863, or evondohlen@hcf-hawaii.org.