Senior Scholarship

**Description**
The Friends of the Department of Art and Art History provide funds for merit Senior Scholarships in art each year. Art and Art History majors who will be seniors in the fall semester may apply. Applicants are encouraged to seek advice from a faculty member.

**Application deadline:** first Wednesday of February

**Requirements**
1. Completed Department Scholarship Application Form.
2. A representative portfolio of writing including at least two papers on art historical subjects and/or a representative portfolio (minimum of 10 and up to 15 images). Portfolio details are found on the application form.

**Rules governing the award and tenure of the scholarship**
1. The applicant must be, by the beginning of the fall semester, a senior who has completed at least 92 semester hours of undergraduate work. At least 24 of these hours must have been at UAB.
2. The applicant must be a major in art (art studio or art history).
3. The applicant must have at minimum an academic record of a 2.75 GPA overall and a 3.0 average in all art courses.
4. The faculty of the Department of Art and Art History will choose the Art Scholars from among applicants. If there is no applicant who is qualified in the judgement of the faculty, no scholarship will be awarded.
5. The Art and Art History Scholar may choose to have the Scholarship paid in equal or unequal installments during two semesters or two semesters and a summer term in the year of the appointment.
6. The Art Scholar must be a full-time student registered for at least 12 semester hours in each of the semester for which the Scholar elects to receive an installment of the Scholarship. A student using the award in the summer must be registered for 9 credits.
7. If the Scholar withdraws in a term for which the Scholar receives a stipend, or fails to maintain a “C” average, any balance of the Scholarship will not be paid.