

**Dean's Undergraduate Recruitment Award  
College of Fine Arts  
University of Arizona**

The College of Fine Arts Dean's Undergraduate Recruitment Award seeks to broaden the number of students from traditionally underrepresented communities. This award provides incoming non-resident student artists a **one-time** only award to aid with first-year expenses. The College of Fine Arts is committed to recognizing and embracing diversity including: differences of ability, age, color, culture, ethnicity, gender, gender expression, genetic information, national origin, occupation, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, socio-economic and veteran status.

**Scholarship Eligibility:**

Applicants must:

- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Be classified as a non-Arizona resident.
- Be a high school senior at time of application.
- Enroll in UA courses as a first-time, full-time, degree-seeking freshman for fall 2021
- High school GPA of at least 3.00
- Be admitted to a major at the University of Arizona, College of Fine Arts
- Student must self-identify as belonging to an underrepresented and diverse background

**Award Amount:**

The scholarship is a **one-time** \$5,000 award

**Application Process:**

Complete the following checklist. All documentation is due Monday, April 5, 2021 at 11:59PM. Please email Christie Kerr (ckerr1@arizona.edu)

- Complete the Application Form
- Artistic resume of accomplishments
- Answer the following question in a narrative essay in 500-words or less.

**Essay Prompt:**

The lessons we learn from encountered obstacles can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you as an underrepresented student, what did you learn from the experience and how can these lessons this be applied during your first year at the UA College of Fine Arts?