



## CAC Scholarships & Awards

Creative Arts Community is proud to offer two awards and a scholarship program to provide financial assistance towards the cost of our annual residential workshops. Applications open in January; the deadline to apply is March 18th, 2022. Notification of awards will be by March 31st, 2022.

Learn more about this year's workshops [HERE!](#)

### CAC Awards:

In alignment with our organization's goal to diversify our community and include new voices and perspectives, we have established two awards that cover the full cost of attending a CAC workshop. BIPOC & LGBTQIA2+ artists are welcome at Creative Arts Community and are encouraged to apply!

#### Awardees will receive:

- Full scholarship including shared room and board
  - Special feature at the pop-up gallery during the two workshop weeks
  - Opportunity to give an artist talk in Wright Hall during their workshop week
  - Recognition on our website
1. **CAC Emerging Artist Recent Grad Award:** To qualify to apply, you must be a recent graduate (within 3 years) or a graduating senior / final year MFA student from any art or design program in Oregon or Washington. You must also be 21+ years old by the time of the workshop. **[Click here to apply.](#)**
  2. **CAC Art Teacher Professional Practice Award:** To qualify to apply, you must be an art teacher (.5 or higher) at a PK-12 school. You must also be 21+ years old by the time of the workshop. **[Click here to apply.](#)**

### CAC Need-Based Scholarships:

CAC offers five partial scholarships a year based on financial need. They are \$350, which covers the cost of basic tuition. Scholarship recipients are still responsible for paying for their lodging and any class material fees. BIPOC & LGBTQIA2+ artists are welcome at Creative Arts Community and are encouraged to apply! New applicants to our program, teachers, & BIPOC applicants are given priority consideration. **[Click here to apply.](#)**

You will need the following information to apply for one of the financial need-based scholarships:

1. A brief statement in response to the following:
  - a. Why you are hoping to attend Creative Arts Community: What is it about our organization and workshops that is compelling to you?
  - b. Your reasons for requesting financial assistance: What are the circumstances/financial barriers that would prevent you from attending?
  - c. Your current interests: What activities or organizations are you involved in? How would this experience benefit you and/or other communities?
  - d. List two personal or professional references with emails and/or phone numbers.