



Students must be nominated by a SAAH faculty member to be eligible for this award. Please ensure that you have been nominated by a faculty member and invited to apply before completing and submitting an application.

The University of Iowa School of Art & Art History offers Spotlight grants to support innovation in the creation of visual art. The goals of the Spotlight Program are the artistic development of individual students and the enhancement of students' portfolios. The work completed will be exhibited in the annual Spotlight Exhibition. Ten awards of up to \$600, will be granted annually. Allowable expenditures from the award include, but are not limited to, art supplies, modeling, and framing.

The Spotlight Program is made possible by a generous gift from Donna Friedman Curry.

All awardees will display their work at a year-end exhibition, hosted by the School of Art and Art History. Recipients of the Spotlight Grant are expected to provide a short write-up describing what they have accomplished with the award. A brochure with each participant's written statement will be prepared by the school prior to the exhibition.

In addition to the questionnaire below, please submit a proposal (no more than two pages) of your work as your application. Your proposal should include an introduction, outline, and description of your project. Your identified faculty advisor will also need to sign off on your application materials (see more details regarding a faculty advisor below).

Applicant's Name: _____

University/Hawk ID: _____

Local Address: City: _____ State: _____

Email Address: _____

Current Year in School: _____

A faculty advisor in any field of visual arts will support the development of your creative work. They should review your proposal before agreeing to advise such a project, and the faculty member's signature is required below. It is the responsibility of the student awardee to setup and lead meetings with their advisor. A faculty advisor will submit very short progress reports to the selection committee throughout the lifetime of the project. The grant process is meant to be as simple and brief as possible.

Faculty Member Advising Project: _____

Signature of Faculty Advisor: _____

Incomplete applications will not be considered. Please submit materials for the Spring of the current year by November 19 to: art@uiowa.edu with the subject line "Spotlight Grant." Questions should be directed to the Studio Art Director of Undergraduate Study.

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