



2019 WORKSHOP SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Applications must be RECEIVED BY DATES LISTED

CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____ Age at time of workshop: _____
Address: _____
Mobile Phone: _____ Other Phone: _____
Email: _____

EDUCATION / EMPLOYMENT

Status (Check all that apply): Student Employed Retired Other

School: _____ City & State: _____
Major/Minor: _____ Highest Degree Completed: _____
Most Recent Employer: _____ City & State: _____
Nature of Business: _____ Title of Position: _____

WORKSHOP REQUESTED

Include workshop date(s), title and instructor's last name.

1st Choice Workshop: _____
2nd Choice Workshop: _____
3rd Choice Workshop: _____

Touchstone scholarships provide opportunities for many deserving students of all skill levels, ages, and backgrounds to attend workshops each year. While financial need is often a factor in allocating these funds, Touchstone is also dedicated to ensuring that artistic merit and intensity of interest are seriously considered. Incomplete application packages will NOT be reviewed. Applicants of scholarships will be notified via email of their award or denial. If applicable, you may apply for multiple scholarships with one complete application. Scholarships are only valid for the year in which they are awarded; students who are unable to attend their chosen/awarded workshop will forfeit their scholarship.

REQUIRED MATERIALS

Please provide the following along with your application:

- 1) Please answer the following:
 - a. Why are you interested in attending Touchstone?
 - b. What do you hope to gain from participating in this workshop?
 - c. Tell us about your interest in craft.
- 2) Optional but Highly Recommended:
 - a. Resume/Bio including awards, recognitions, and certifications (*optional but highly recommended. **REQUIRED** for Architecture and the Integrity of Craft Scholarship*)
 - b. Any additional information that you think will help us determine a financial need.
 - c. Letters of Recommendation with contact information included (limit – 3)
 - d. Work Samples (limit – 5) as jpg files (300dpi)

TOUCHSTONE SCHOLARSHIPS:

(expanded descriptions are available on our website touchstonecrafts.org)

Please consider me for the following scholarship(s):

Touchstone General Scholarship (Due March 15)

This scholarship provides 50% - 100% tuition for any adult-level workshop.

Robert Little Scholarship (Due March 15)

This scholarship provides 50% - 100% tuition for any adult-level nature-themed workshop.

The Susan M. Brimo-Cox Memorial Scholarship (Due March 15)

This scholarship provides up to \$500 towards any adult-level workshop's tuition, room, and board. Scholarship recipients will be required to donate one small object from their workshop to help document the impact of the Susan Brimo-Cox family's commemorative contribution made in her honor.

Architecture and the Integrity of Craft Scholarship (Due March 15)

This scholarship provides up to \$1,200 towards any adult-level workshop's tuition, room, and board. Recipients must reside on campus and take part in the full meal plan during their workshop. Eligible candidates include any student who has completed at least 2 years in an NCARB accredited architectural program or a recent graduate of an NCARB accredited program who is 30yrs old or younger.

Fayette County Educator Retreat Scholarship (Due March 15)

This scholarship provides 100% tuition towards any Educator Retreat workshop. Applicants must live or teach in Fayette County, PA. *Support provided by Community Foundation of Fayette County.*

Cambria, Somerset, &/or Bedford County Educator Retreat Scholarship (DUE JUNE 1)

This scholarship provides 100% tuition towards any Educator Retreat workshop. Applicants must live or teach in Cambria, Somerset, &/or Bedford Counties (PA). *Support provided by Community Foundation for the Alleghenies.*

Educator Retreat Scholarship (Due March 15)

This scholarship provides 50%-100% tuition for any Educator Retreat workshop. Any K-12 educator is eligible.

Thaddeus Mosley Scholarship (Due March 15)

This scholarship provides 100% tuition for any adult-level sculpture-based workshop. Additional funds may be awarded to offset the cost of housing, meals, travel and materials fees on a case-by-case basis. This scholarship was established in honor of lifelong Touchstone instructor and friend, Thaddeus Mosley.

DECLARATION BY APPLICANT

By signing below, I, _____, certify that all information submitted by me on this application is true and correct. I understand and agree that Touchstone Center for Crafts reserves the right to change the selection criteria and scholarship policies without prior notification. The final decision to award scholarships is at the sole discretion of Touchstone's Scholarship Committee. Furthermore, I understand that I will be responsible for payment of processing, materials, and other fees not covered by the awarded scholarship. Touchstone Center for Crafts reserves the right to withdraw the scholarship should any false information, omissions, or misrepresentations furnished within the application be discovered. Upon withdrawal of the said scholarship, the scholarship would be rendered null and void and I understand and agree that I must refund immediately any tuition or other fees already consumed to Touchstone Center for Crafts.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Applications must be received by Dates listed above. Notifications will be made within one week of receipt.

Mail to: Touchstone Center for Crafts, Attn: Scholarships
1049 Wharton Furnace Road
Farmington, PA 15437

Or Email to: Travis Winters, twinters@touchstonecrafts.org

Questions: 724-329-1370

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Rejected Meets criteria for _____

Awarded Workshop: _____

Remarks:

Approved By: _____

Date: _____