



2017-2018 Lillian Yeh Scholarship for Lifelong Artists

Through the generous support of her family and friends, Pratt is pleased to offer this merit-based scholarship in memory of Lillian Yeh, who was a passionate and caring member of Pratt's community. Her love for the arts will be honored at Pratt through the Lillian Yeh Scholarship for Lifelong Artists, which encourages young adults (aged 18-25) to pursue art-making as a lifelong passion.

Scholarship Award: The award, an \$800 scholarship and Master level Pratt membership, may be applied exclusively towards class/workshop registrations and related supply and studio access fees in Pratt Fine Arts Center's Drawing/Painting or Jewelry/Metalsmith studios, and must be used between September 1, 2017 and August 31, 2018.*

Eligibility: The award is open to young adults between the ages of 18-25 who are pursuing higher education and possess a personal or professional interest in making art a lifelong passion. Limited to the disciplines of painting/drawing or jewelry/metalsmithing, the Lillian Yeh Scholarship for Lifelong Artists is intended to supplement a college-level education by deepening a young person's educational experience. Board, advisory board, and staff members of Pratt Fine Arts Center, as well as Pratt instructors, are not eligible to apply.

Application Evaluation: The Lillian Yeh Scholarship for Lifelong Artists will be awarded to the applicant who best demonstrates artistic ability, as well as articulates his/her creative intent and anticipated educational impact of the prize. Applications will be reviewed by a committee of Pratt staff, artists, or other arts professionals with expertise in the fields of painting/drawing and jewelry/metalsmithing.

Application Requirements

- 1. Statement of intent**, no longer than one page, explaining:
 - a. how this award will enhance your artistic development and goals
 - b. what you intend to explore or accomplish with this scholarship
 - c. why you need scholarship funding to complete these goals
- 2. Three (3) to six (6) JPEG images of current work** - JPEGs should be formatted to 7 inches on the longest side, with minimum resolution of 180dpi, and file size no larger than 2MB each. Label your JPEGs with you last name, title of piece, and numbered order for viewing.**
- 3. Numbered image list** that includes the following information for each piece:
 - a. title
 - b. dimensions
 - c. medium
 - d. year of completion
- 4. Copy of valid student ID or current transcript**
- 5. Completed online application form**

DEADLINE: APPLICATIONS ARE DUE JUNE 5, 2017.

A winner will be announced in early July, and award year begins September 1, 2017.

TO APPLY, visit www.pratt.org/scholarships

For questions or assistance, please email scholarships@pratt.org.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

*Granting of this award is dependent upon the Lillian Yeh Endowment Fund. Award amounts may vary each year. Successful completion of a studio orientation and access test are required to use Pratt's studios independently.

** Please note that Pratt may use your submitted images in marketing materials to promote the scholarship.