

2024-25 Professional Artist-in-Residence Program: Jewelry Focus

Pratt Fine Arts Center welcomes a professional artist to explore new materials and processes during a month-long residency in Pratt's Jewelry Studio. The residency includes access to experienced studio assistants and options to explore other disciplines at Pratt. The Professional Artist-in-Residence Program provides a working artist with a new venue for experimentation and assistance in creative advancement.

Residency Details:

- Duration: The residency runs for one month, in March 2025.
- **Studio Access:** The recipient will have unlimited access to Pratt's Jewelry Studio throughout the residency, during normal operating hours (daily 9 AM to 10 PM). Access to other studios (blacksmithing, metal sculpture, stone sculpture, mold making, wood-working, printmaking/painting/drawing, and glass arts) is contingent on availability.
- Financial Support:
 - \$250 stipend awarded directly to the artist
 - \$500 credit for classes and access* in studios other than jewelry (availability permitting)
- **Exhibition and Recognition:** Pratt will provide a venue, reception, and publicity for a public lecture and in-studio exhibition showcasing the recipient's work.

Eligibility:

The Artist-in-Residence Program is open to professional working visual artists aged 18 years and older. Pratt staff, board members, and instructors not eligible.

Application Evaluation:

Applications will be reviewed by a jury of Pratt staff, artists, and arts professionals. The residency will be awarded to the applicant for whom the residency stands to have the greatest impact. The jury will specifically assess artistic intent, the potential for professional and creative advancement, and the fit of the proposed project with the resources available.

Application Requirements (Due July 14, 2024):

- Statement of Intent (1,000 words):
 - Projects you plan to work on
 - Skills/techniques you want to develop



- o Classes/workshops you want to take
- How the scholarship relates to your past work and future goals
- Six Artwork Images (JPEGs):
 - Formatted to 7" longest side, 180dpi, max 2MB each
 - o Labeled with your last name, title, and number
- Numbered Image List:
 - Title, dimensions, medium, year created, photo credit (if applicable)
- Resume or CV
- Online Application Form

Important Dates:

- Application Deadline: July 14, 2024
- Winner Announcement: mid-August 2024
- Award Year Begins: September 1, 2024

Please note:

- * Successful completion of a studio orientation and access test are required to use Pratt's studios independently.
- This is a competitive scholarship. Be sure to submit a strong application that showcases your talent and dedication to your art.
- Pratt may use your submitted images in marketing materials to promote the scholarship.
- For questions or assistance, contact <u>scholarships@pratt.org</u>.

TO APPLY, visit https://pratt.org/scholarships

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