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Dissertation Award

Department of Arts Administration, Education and Policy

The Graduate Studies Committee will make an award of $4,500 to assist one advanced doctoral student in completing and defending their dissertation by the end of the award year.

The award will be announced by February 1st with an award presentation in the latter part of spring semester.

Eligible students are those who:

- have passed the Candidacy Exam before the end of autumn semester
- have not passed the Final Oral Exam before the end of autumn semester
- are PhD students specializing in Art Education
  (students specializing in Cultural Policy and Arts Management are not eligible to apply)

The criteria for the Award are:

- The promise of the dissertation project
- The quality of the student’s academic record

Stipulations for the award are:

- You must have completed all required coursework.
- You must be a full-time student during the award period, unless work type and hours have been approved by your advisor.
- You must devote no less than 50% of your time to completion of the dissertation.
- This award is to be used exclusively for academic and living expenses incurred during the award period.

You should not apply for the award if you cannot meet the stipulations.

Students should submit self-nomination materials to Kirsten Thomas by January 15th and consist of:

- First three chapters of the dissertation
- Timeline to dissertation defense signed by your advisor.
- A written letter of self-nomination which should address the criteria for the award

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