

## General School of Visual Art and Design Scholarships 2024-2025

### Eligibility

To be considered for a general scholarship, you must:

- Be an undergraduate SVAD major; or a declared SVAD major in Studio Art, Art Education, Art History or Media Arts who has been admitted to USC
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher at the time of application for all courses taken at USC (or at your high school or transfer institution if you are an incoming student)
- Plan to enroll as a full-time student, at least 12 credit hours in the fall and/or spring

Three general scholarships are available to all students in the SVAD, regardless of major. Consult the SVAD website for a complete description of each and to determine your eligibility. Scholarship applicants will be notified by written letter if they have been awarded a scholarship. Please use your university email address on your application.

Refer to the criteria below for information on how to apply. **When uploading your materials for consideration, you can upload them for all three general scholarships as one PDF file, but please be sure to note this clearly on your materials.**

If you are awarded a scholarship through this application cycle, it is only for the coming academic year. **SVAD scholarships are not automatically renewed, and you must re-apply annually.**

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### Delores Cauthen Scholarship in Art

GPA of at least 3.5 required. A competitive scholarship awarded to a top-performing student in any SVAD discipline who excels in their academic and SVAD course work. **To apply**, prepare a PDF document that contains: 1.) an artist's statement about the direction of your art, media, design, and/or academic work; and 2.) a link to up to five artworks that can be viewed online. If you are applying with written scholarship, include it in your PDF.

### Katherine Heyward Fund

GPA of at least 3.5 required. **To apply**, prepare a PDF document that contains: 1.) an artist's statement about the direction of your art, media, design, and/or academic work; and 2.) a link to up to five artworks that can be viewed online. If you are applying with written scholarship, include it in your PDF.

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### **Mary Belle Scanlon Scholarship**

GPA of at least 3.5 required. A competitive scholarship awarded to a top-performing student in the SVAD, with preference for the award to support majors in Art History. If highly deserving students from other disciplines apply, their applications can be considered. **To apply**, prepare a PDF document that contains: 1.) an artist's statement about the direction of your art, media, design, and/or academic work; and 2.) a link to up to five artworks that can be viewed online. If you are applying with written scholarship, include it in your PDF.