

East Sydney Doctors Scholarship 2023 Guidelines, Terms & Conditions

The East Sydney Doctors Scholarship, a newly established opportunity generously funded by East Sydney Doctors, provides \$5,000 to a student completing the first year of the Master of Fine Art degree and going into the second year of the program at the National Art School. The recipient is intended to use the scholarship as a stipend to support living and study expenses in MFA2.

Key Dates

Applications Close: **Friday 25 November 2022**
Scholarship Announcement: **Thursday 8 December 2022**

Selection Criteria

The East Sydney Doctors Scholarship will be granted to an individual who would benefit from such funding to continue their progress in the Master of Fine Art program at the National Art School. Applicants must be nominated by their Head of Department and be able to demonstrate:

- An exceptional record of artistic achievement and dedication to their artistic practice.
- Genuine need for financial support.

Eligibility

- Applicant must be completing the first year of the MFA degree in 2022 and intending to continue into the second year of the course in 2023.
- Applicant must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident.
- Applicant must not be in receipt of any other National Art School Postgraduate Scholarship.

Applications

- The nominating Head of Department will separately write a statement of recommendation.
- Applicants must complete all aspects of the application form, including the financial information section.
- Applicants must submit a statement of no more than 300 words detailing what they have achieved in the first year of the MFA and what they hope to achieve with their practice through the second year of the MFA.

Conditions

- Applicants must submit a completed application that fulfils all eligibility requirements.
- Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.
- The successful candidate will need to complete the acquittals process.



- Allocation of the Scholarship will be on enrolment in the second year of the Master of Fine Art program.
- The Scholarship recipient will be required to complete the second year of the Master of Fine Art in 2023.
- Should the recipient be unable to complete the second year of the Master of Fine Art, they will be required to pay back any funds allocated.
- Each submission will be considered by a selection panel comprising of representatives from the National Art School.
- The panel may request to meet with an applicant to discuss their application further.

Acquittal of Scholarship

The successful applicant will be required to:

- Take part in a Scholarships and Awards panel discussion at the National Art School in 2023. The successful applicant will be asked to be part of a 15-20 minute formal presentation about the use of the Scholarship.
- Provide high-resolution photographs and a 200-word statement that can be used by NAS for promotional purposes and in publications including the Annual Report and Yearbook.
- Donate a small artwork made during or related to their Scholarship to the NAS Collection.

All applications and required documentation must be submitted by email:

Subject: East Sydney Doctors Scholarship
Attention: Marilyn Schneider
Email: marilyn.schneider@nas.edu.au

Please contact Marilyn Schneider, for any inquiries regarding the application process:

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EAST SYDNEY DOCTORS SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL DETAILS

First Name:	Surname:
Postal address:	
State:	Postcode:
Phone:	Email:

ELIGIBILITY TO APPLY

MFA1 Students

I am a first year MFA candidate entering second year in 2023: Yes

Ceramics Drawing Photomedia Painting Printmaking Sculpture

Citizenship

I am an Australian citizen or permanent resident (please tick)

STATEMENT

Please write and attach your statement addressing the following in a PDF.

- Applicants must submit a statement of no more than 300 words detailing what they have achieved in the first year of the MFA and what they hope to accomplish with their practice throughout the second year of the MFA.

SUPPORTING MATERIAL

Please attach the following to your application.

- Your statement, as outlined above.
- Your financial statement, as outlined below.
- A summary CV outlining your professional profile and achievement (of no more than **two** pages) in PDF format.
- A maximum of 5 images presented in PowerPoint format, with only one image per slide **not exceeding 1MB per image**.
- Please note: the PowerPoint should be saved as a **.ppt, NOT .pdf**. Each slide should include the name of artist, title, date, medium, and dimensions.
- The panel reserves the right to not assess applications that do not include specified supporting material correctly formatted as outlined above.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Please tick one and complete the table:

- I currently receive Centrelink payments

Please attach copies of your Centrelink assessment

- I **do not** currently receive Centrelink payments

Please attach documentary evidence to support your statement

INCOME		EXPENDITURE	
Amount earned by yourself and/or your partner averaged per fortnight		Payments averaged per fortnight	
Regular Work	\$	Rent (if applicable)	\$
Seasonal Work Work for part or parts of the year at approximately the same time each year	\$	Mortgage (if applicable)	\$
Contract Work Any intermittent work performed under contract for a specific function/period	\$	Board (if applicable)	\$
Other income Examples: Australian Government Payments, Centrelink, gratuities, scholarships, stipends, investment income, business income, other educational assistance	\$	Utilities Examples: Electricity, Gas, water, rates, telephone, mobile, internet	\$
Bank account balance	\$	Loans/Credit Cards	\$
Trust account balance	\$	Educational Examples: fees, transport, materials	\$
Other accounts	\$	Personal Examples: groceries, medical, motor vehicle, daycare	\$
TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	



DECLARATION & CONSENT

I _____ [Print Full Name] understand that if my application is successful, I will be required to sign a release and indemnity in the form required by the Selection Committee; that my personal information may be collected, used and transmitted (including overseas) in accord with the Privacy Statement.

I declare that all information supplied in this application is correct and the artwork identified is entirely my own.

Sign _____

Date _____

PRIVACY STATEMENT

The National Art School will collect applicants' personal information for the purpose of selecting a suitable candidate for the East Sydney Doctors Scholarship and for all related purposes. If personal information is not provided, the application may not be considered. The National Art School may transmit personal information overseas and any applicant hereby consents to such transmission.

I have read and accept this Privacy Statement.

Signed _____

Date _____