

WOMEN'S ARCHITECTURAL LEAGUE FOUNDATION (WALF)
SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE 2022-2023 ACADEMIC YEAR
DEADLINE for the application: April 1, 2022

The WOMEN'S ARCHITECTURAL LEAGUE FOUNDATION (WALF) located in Chicago, Illinois will award three scholarships with a value of \$2,000 each to outstanding students of architecture who meet the following criteria and present the required documentation.

This scholarship is open to those students who are enrolled in the 2021-2022 academic year. Selection of scholarship recipients will be based on scholarship performance and financial need, with consideration given to applicant's career projections, philosophies, interests, and experiences.

Final selection of scholarship winners is determined solely by the WALF Board of Directors.

TO QUALIFY FOR THESE SCHOLARSHIPS, APPLICANTS MUST:

- 1) ***Be scheduled to graduate by June 2023, with a Masters of Architecture or a five year Bachelor's of Architecture degree from a NAAB accredited architectural program in Illinois.***
(Eligible Institutions: Illinois Institute of Technology, Judson University, University of Illinois at Chicago, University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago).
- 2) **Be a United States Citizen**
- 3) **Complete the WALF formal application**

INFORMATION REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION:

a) **Official grade-point average**, to be provided by the school, or if **GPA is not available**, send a list of classes/credits completed with current status of credits needed to graduate.

(No official transcripts required)

- b) **Letter of Recommendation** from a faculty member or scholastic mentor
- c) **Personal statement** of approximately 500 words
- d) **Current resume** which includes education, work history, extracurricular activities, personal interests & distinguished honors/awards
- e) **Financial statement** of resources, expenses, and debt
- f) **Signature of applicant**

4) **Return completed & signed application to the School of Architecture office for final validation.**

(Note: Incomplete Applications May Result in Disqualification)

MAIL APPLICATIONS AND ALL ACCOMPANYING ORIGINAL DOCUMENTATION TO:

WOMEN'S ARCHITECTURAL LEAGUE FOUNDATION (WALF)

C/O JENNIFER C. ZVI, Ph. D., SCHOLARSHIP CHAIR

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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: Post-marked or emailed by April 1, 2022

(Questions & submissions may be directed to: Zjnnf@aol.com)

WOMEN'S ARCHITECTURAL LEAGUE FOUNDATION (WALF)

WALF SCHOLARSHIP: 2022 - 2023 APPLICATION

DUE DATE: April 1, 2022

SCHOOL NAME: _____

STUDENT ACCT # _____
(Required for application)

PART I: PERSONAL INFORMATION:

NAME _____ **MALE** ____ **FEMALE** ____

HOME ADDRESS _____
Address City St Zip

SCHOOL ADDRESS _____
Address City St Zip

TELEPHONE (____) _____ - _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

YEAR OF SCHOOL ENTERING IN FALL 2021 _____

EXPECTED DATE OF GRADUATION _____

ARE YOU A UNITED STATES CITIZEN ____ **YES** ____ **NO**
(Required for acceptance of application)

PART II: FAMILY INFORMATION:

MARITAL STATUS: ____ **SINGLE** ____ **MARRIED**

IF MARRIED, IS SPOUSE EMPLOYED ____ **YES** ____ **NO**
EMPLOYER/OCCUPATION _____

DEPENDENTS ____ **YES** ____ **NO** **AGES** _____

	<u>NAME</u>	<u>HOME ADDRESS</u>	<u>EMPLOYER/OCCUPATION</u>
FATHER	_____ (or Guardian)	_____	_____
MOTHER	_____ (or Guardian)	_____	_____

PART III: CURRENT EDUCATIONAL INDEBTEDNESS OF APPLICANT

(Attach additional sheet(s) to this application, if needed)

IDENTIFY SOURCES OF INDEBTEDNESS FOR EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES:

(Include any of the following institutions/resources: banks, government, public/private loans, school/student loans, or personal loans)

NAME	CITY & STATE	AMT OWED	REPAYMENT TERMS
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

IS PAYMENT DEFERRED UNTIL GRADUATION? ____ YES ____ NO

Additional comments (if any) about indebtedness: _____

PART IV: APPLICANT'S PERSONAL STATEMENT - RESUME - FUTURE PLANS

1) **PERSONAL STATEMENT:** On a separate sheet write **A PERSONAL STATEMENT** of approximately 500 words that addresses one or more of the following topics:
a) your architectural philosophy,
b) the life situations that led you to study architecture,
c) current societal trends having the greatest impact on the future of architectural design,
d) an architecturally focused topic of your choice.

2) **ATTACH A CURRENT RESUME** that lists your education, work history, extracurricular activities, personal interests, and any distinguished honors or awards that you have received.

3) **WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS AFTER GRADUATION:**

**PART V: PREPARE AN ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES AND RESOURCES FOR YOUR
FINAL 2022 – 2023 ACADEMIC YEAR**

EXPENSES

RESOURCES

TUITION FALL: \$ _____
SPRING: \$ _____

AID FROM FAMILY \$ _____

BOOKS & SUPPLIES \$ _____

AID FROM OTHER SOURCES \$ _____

ROOM & BOARD \$ _____

EARNINGS FROM EMPLOYMENT \$ _____

SAVINGS \$ _____

OTHER EXPENSES \$ _____
(Please explain in detail)

OTHER INCOME \$ _____
(Identify below)

TOTAL EXPENSES \$ _____

TOTAL RESOURCES \$ _____

AMOUNT OF AID REQUESTED \$ _____

PART VI: SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT
(Required for completion of application)

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

(Due Date: April 1, 2022)

(Note: To complete the application process, obtain a Letter of Recommendation from a faculty member or scholastic mentor, and have the school include your official GPA or an acceptable list of classes/credits if GPA is not available.)