



**Funding Future Artists: Friends of Art Scholarship (FFA)** for incoming freshman of FFA's will be available for the 2017-18 academic year for a limited number of the most qualified applicants. The FFA scholarship provides financial support for incoming art or art history freshman students. This **full first year** scholarship is competitive and requires a GPA of 3.3 or higher. The FFA scholarship pays tuition, housing, and meal plan for one year. Pending continued FFA program funding, there is the possibility of renewal of the FFA scholarship contingent on the maintenance of a GPA of 3.3 or higher.

All qualified high school applicants will be considered for Incoming Freshman Scholarships INCLUDING our TOP AWARD, the Funding Future Artists (FFA) scholarship, so complete your applications and return promptly!

## TRANSFER STUDENTS ONLY:

### Academic Information

Intended Degree Program (circle one): Art History (BA)   ART (BFA)   ART (BA)   Art Ed (BSEd)  
Undecided

List of art classes taken in college: \_\_\_\_\_

List of art classes or art programs taken outside of college (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

What state do you currently reside in? \_\_\_\_\_

If available, would you be interested in an Out-of-State Tuition Waiver (OSTW)\*?  
(circle one)   YES   NO

*\*To be eligible for an OSTW, you must not be a resident of the state of Georgia.*

**By completing this application and submitting it before the deadline, transfer students will be considered for scholarships at various award levels so complete your applications and return promptly!**

## ALL APPLICANTS COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

### Special Qualifications

Attach a separate sheet describing your academic achievements, including honors, awards, and recognition.

In addition, describe your leadership roles and your participation in student activities.

### Statement of Intent

Attach a separate sheet describing your academic and career goals. Explain how this scholarship will assist you in achieving your goals.

## ALL APPLICANTS COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

### **Applicant checklist for Art and Art Education Majors:**

- \_\_\_ completed application form
- \_\_\_ CD containing 10 pieces of artwork (see below). **Clearly label PC or MAC compatible on CD label.**
  - 5 works must be drawings from direct observation with at least two of them with tonal value established. These may include still-life, portraits, self-portraits, landscapes, figure drawings, and interior/exterior environments.
  - The other 5 works can be any medium (ceramics, painting, photography, sculpture, design, etc.) that the student feels best represents their current skill set.
  - Work should be submitted as a PowerPoint® Slide Show (saved as .pps)
  - Slide background color should be black, do not use any special effects, text color should be white.
  - The following text should be typed under each piece of artwork:
    - Title
    - Date created
    - Size
    - Medium
    - Indicate if work was created in or out of class
  - **All artwork must be original and copies of previously published work including magazines, cd covers, comic books, etc. will not be accepted or considered.**
- \_\_\_ File should be saved as lastname\_firstname\_middle initial.pps (i.e.: mcfalls\_elizabeth\_r.pps)
- \_\_\_ CD should be clearly labeled with student's full legal name, mailing address, phone number & email address
- \_\_\_ Letter of recommendation from an art teacher
- \_\_\_ Copy of high school transcript for Incoming Freshmen / College transcript for Transfer Students

**Applicant checklist for Art History Major:**

- \_\_\_ completed application form
- \_\_\_ A Writing Sample: a paper from an Art, History or English class
- \_\_\_ Personal Statement
- \_\_\_ Letters of recommendation from two art or art history teachers
- \_\_\_ Copy of high school transcript for Incoming Freshmen / College transcript for Transfer Students

*\*Please mail complete application packet to:*

*Rylan Steele, Associate Professor of Art,*

*Columbus State University*

*Department of Art, 4225 University Ave., Columbus, GA 31907 All packets should be organized neatly in a folder, loose papers will not be accepted. Test your CDs prior to submitting them. If they do not work, they will not be considered. No exceptions.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

- Recipients of scholarships will be announced at the CSU Annual Student Art Show and Awards Reception on Thursday, April 18, 2017; the scholarship recipients will be notified and invited to attend the reception.
- Please note: If the recipient upholds annual scholarship (or OSTW) contract requirements, Incoming Freshman Scholarships and OSTW may be considered for renewal up to three additional years depending on availability of departmental scholarship program funding.

# Sample of PowerPoint® Slide:



*Concept of Self I (Family Affair), 2012*

72" x 60", Oil on canvas

Work created in class