

College of Fine Arts Awards

College of Fine Arts Awards

****Disclaimer: Candidates should contact/search the organization for the most recent deadlines/eligibility requirements, in advance, as they frequently change without notice.****

****Also, the awards are ordered by discipline.****

Organization Name	Discipline	Award Name	Award Amount	Award Type	Nomination Due Date	Award Description
Americans for the Arts	Art	Arts Education Award	Not Indicated	Education	Not Indicated	Recognizes transformational leadership in arts education through strategic planning, strong programming, and the engagement of partners to achieve community goals
College Art Association	Art	Distinguished Lifetime Achievement Award for Writing on Art	Not Indicated	Distinguishment	August 31	The award is presented to an author who, among other distinctions, has demonstrated particular commitment to his or her work throughout a long career and has had an impact, nationally and internationally, on the field.
National Art Education Association	Art	NAEA Award	Not Indicated	Education	November 1	To focus professional attention on quality art education and exemplary art educators
National Endowment for the Arts	Art	National Medal of Arts	Not Indicated	Accomplishment	Not Indicated	Honor the extraordinary accomplishments of those engaged in the creation and production of the arts in the United States
Americans for the Arts	Art/Art History	Emerging Leaders Award	Not Indicated	Leadership	Not Indicated	Recognizes visionary leadership by an individual who is a new and/or young arts leader who demonstrates an ability to engage and impact his or her community
Americans for the Arts	Art/Art History	Public Art Network Award	Not Indicated	Leadership	Not Indicated	Recognizes an individual or organization that demonstrates innovative and creative contributions and/or exemplary commitment and leadership in the field of public art
Americans for the Arts	Art/Art History	Ray Hanley Award	Not Indicated	Individual Contribution	Not Indicated	Recognizes outstanding individual contributions to arts and culture in American cities
College Art Association	Art/Art History	Artist Award for Distinguished Body of Work	Not Indicated	Distinguishment	August 31	This award is presented to a living artist of national or international stature and must tie him or her to an exceptional recent exhibition
College Art Association	Art/Art History	Distinguished Artist Award for Lifetime Achievement	Not Indicated	Lifetime Achievement	August 31	Celebrates the career of an artist who, among other distinctions, has demonstrated particular commitment to his or her work throughout a long career and has had an important impact nationally and internationally on the field.
College Art Association	Art/Art History	Heritage Preservation Award Distinction in Scholarship and Conservation	Not Indicated	Distinction	August 31	Outstanding contributions by one or more persons who, individually or jointly, have enhanced understanding of art through the application of knowledge and experience in conservation, art history, and art.
Corps de Ballet International	Ballet	Lifetime Achievement Award	Not Indicated	Lifetime Achievement	September 30	Candidates must have furthered the growth of ballet in higher education and/or made valuable contributions to ballet departments, through administration, teaching, choreography, mentoring or research. Candidates must have worked for or with an academic institution for at least five years
National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts	Ceramics	Excellence in Teaching Award	Not Indicated	Teaching	Not Indicated	Recipients should be near or at the end of a career dedicated to the practice of teaching (may be awarded posthumously); shall have demonstrated excellence in their own creative work; shall have had previous recognition for and a history of awards in teaching; and should have highly visible former students in the field. Up to two Excellence in Teaching Awards may be made in any one year
National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts	Ceramics	Outstanding Achievement Award	Not Indicated	Achievement	Not Indicated	Open to contemporary artists, educators, writers and others, this award recognizes individuals who have successfully completed a singular project that has contributed to the field of ceramic arts in an extraordinary way. The scope of the venture should be above and beyond what would typically be considered his/her professional responsibilities. Only one Outstanding Achievement Award may be elected in any one year.
International Communication Association	Film/Media Arts	Steven H. Chaffee Career Achievement Award	Not Indicated	Achievement	January 31	Honors a scholar (or small group of collaborating scholars) for a sustained contribution to theoretical development or empirical research related to communication studies over an extended period.
International Communication Association	Film/Media Arts	Outstanding Book Award	Not Indicated	Book Award	January 31	Honors a book published in the previous two calendar years (between January 1 and December 31). The selection committee judges each nominated book on several criteria including the importance of the problem it addresses to the fields represented in ICA and to communication studies as a whole, the quality of writing and argument, and the strength of evidence it presents.
International Communication Association	Film/Media Arts	Applied Research Award	Not Indicated	Research	January 31	Honors a scholar or group of scholars who has or have produced a systematic and outstanding body of research that addresses a significant communication problem of relevance to a public representing one or more groups of stakeholders relevant to a division(s) or interest group(s) of ICA.
International Communication Association	Film/Media Arts	Young Scholars Award	Not Indicated	Scholar	January 31	Honors a scholar no more than seven years past receipt of the Ph.D. (for example, if the award is to be presented in 2009, the nominee should have received their Ph.D. degree no sooner than January 1, 2002) for a body of work that has contributed to knowledge of the field of communication and shows promise for continued development.
International Communication Association	Film/Media Arts	B. Aubrey Fisher Mentorship Award	Not Indicated	Teaching	January 31	Honors outstanding scholars, teachers, and advisors who serve as role models in those capacities and who have had a major impact on the field of communication.
National Communication Association	Film/Media Arts	Distinguished Scholar Award		Achievement		The NCA Distinguished Scholar Award was created in 1991 to recognize and reward NCA members for a lifetime of scholarly achievement in the study of human communication. Recipients are selected to showcase the communication profession. The award is supported by the Mark L. Knapp Distinguished Scholar Fund. Since 1992, those recognized as NCA Distinguished Scholars nominate and elect members to join this select group.
National Communication Association	Film/Media Arts	Diamond Anniversary Book Award		Research & Scholarship		The Diamond Anniversary Book Award is given to the most outstanding scholarly book(s) published during the previous two years.
Society for Cinema & Media Studies	Film/Media Arts	Katherine Singer Kovacs Book Award	\$1500 & \$500	Book Award	August 3	One award of \$1,500 will be given to the author of an outstanding book. Another award of \$500 will be given for an outstanding essay (not exceeding 20,000 words). Certificates of citation will also be awarded to winners in both categories.
Society for Cinema & Media Studies	Film/Media Arts	Distinguished Career Achievement Award	Not Indicated	Achievement	August 3	Recognize and celebrate the achievements of established scholars in cinema and media studies. Nominations for the SCMS Distinguished Career Achievement Award are invited from the membership each year.
Congress on Research in Dance	Modern Dance	Oscar G. Brockett Book Prize for Dance Research	\$1,000	Book Award	February	Awarded each year to the best book in dance published during the previous three calendar years
Congress on Research in Dance	Modern Dance	Award for Outstanding Scholarly Research in Dance	Not Indicated	Research	February	This award honors an exceptional scholar or leader for sustained contributions to dance research.
Congress on Research in Dance	Modern Dance	Outstanding Publication Award	Not Indicated	Writing	February	This award recognizes outstanding publications. "Publication" is interpreted to include any publicly accessible items such as journal articles, books, films, CDs/DVDs, computer software or other electronic products. Subjects may embrace any area of scholarly research.
National Dance Education Association	Modern Dance	Outstanding Leadership	Not Indicated	Leadership	Not Indicated	This award is given to an individual who has demonstrated excellence in creating ideas for programs, curriculums, and/or projects that have had a significant impact on the field of dance education and who has demonstrated leadership on a national level. Additionally, the recipient of this award should inspire and cultivate vision and leadership in others.
National Dance Education Association	Modern Dance	Outstanding Dance Education Researcher	Not Indicated	Teaching	Not Indicated	This award recognizes an individual who has made a unique contribution to the field of dance education through creative and/or scholarly research. The recipient of this award should cultivate the importance of scholarly and creative research throughout the field of dance education.
National Dance Education Association	Modern Dance	Lifetime Achievement Award	Not Indicated	Lifetime Achievement	Not Indicated	The most prestigious award conferred, the Lifetime Achievement Award, is given for exemplary leadership, scholarship and/or artistry, and philanthropy or service to dance education.
American Choral Directors Association	Music	Robert Shaw Award	Not Indicated	Contribution	December 1	Given to a choral leader who has made unusual contributions to the art of choral music. The recipient shall be chosen by the ACDA Past President's Council.

College of Fine Arts Awards

Organization Name	Discipline	Award Name	Award Amount	Award Type	Nomination Due Date	Award Description
American Musicological Society	Music	The Otto Kinkeldey Award	Not Indicated	Book Award	May 1	Will honor each year a musicological book of exceptional merit published during the previous year in any language and in any country by a scholar who is past the early stages of his or her career and who is a member of the AMS or a citizen or permanent resident of Canada or the United States.
American Musicological Society	Music	The Lewis Lockwood Award	Not Indicated	Book Award	May 1	Honors each year a musicological book of exceptional merit published during the previous year (2015) in any language and in any country by a scholar in the early stages of his or her career who is a member of the AMS or a citizen or permanent resident of Canada or the United States.
Chorus America	Music	Michael Korn Founders Award for Development of the Professional Choral Art	Not Indicated	Achievement	Not Indicated	Honor an individual with a lifetime of significant contributions to the professional choral art
National Federation of Music Clubs	Music	Ellis Duo Pianist Award	\$15000 & \$4000	Performance	October 1	Competition Award
National Federation of Music Clubs	Music	Ellis Duo Team Award	\$1,000	Performance	October 1	Competition Award
National Flute Association	Music	Lifetime Achievement Award	Not Indicated	Achievement	Not Indicated	The National Flute Association has honored the best and the brightest of its colleagues with the Lifetime Achievement Award.
National Opera Association	Music	Lifetime Achievement Award	Not Indicated	Achievement	Not Indicated	The NOA recognizes the achievements of those who have dedicated their lives to opera.
Society for Music Theory	Music	The Wallace Berry Award	Not Indicated	Publication	Not Indicated	Given for a distinguished book by an author of any age or career stage.
Society for Music Theory	Music	The Emerging Scholar Award	Not Indicated	Publication	Not Indicated	Given for a book or article published no more than seven calendar years after the author's receipt of the Ph.D. (or, in the case of someone who does not hold a Ph.D., before the author reaches the age of forty).
Society for Photographic Education	Photography	Insight Award	Not Indicated	Teaching	July 1	Given to up to five members annually who demonstrate excellence in innovative teaching, sustained mentoring of colleagues or students, broad contribution to technical, critical, pedagogical, or visual aspects of the field, breadth or depth of exhibition or publication, and/or sustained presence in the field
International Sculpture Center	Sculpture	Lifetime Achievement in Contemporary Sculpture Award	Not Indicated	Lifetime Achievement	Not Indicated	To recognize individual sculptors who have made exemplary contributions to the field of sculpture. Candidates for the award are masters of sculptural processes and techniques who have devoted their careers to the development of a laudable body of sculptural work as well as to the advancement of the sculpture field as a whole
International Sculpture Center	Sculpture	Patron Award	Not Indicated	Contribution	Not Indicated	To recognize individuals who have made exemplary contributions to the advancement of contemporary sculpture
American Society for Theatre Research	Theatre	Sally Banes Publication Prize	Not Indicated	Publication	March 16	This prize honors the publication (book or essay) that, in the opinion of the prize committee, best explores the intersections of theatre and dance/movement in the previous two calendar years.
American Society for Theatre Research	Theatre	Barnard Hewitt Award	\$2,000	Publication	April	Awarded each year to the best book in "theatre history or cognate disciplines" published during the previous calendar year (2014).
American Society for Theatre Research	Theatre	Distinguished Scholar Award	Not Indicated	Distinguishment	Not Indicated	The Distinguished Scholar Award is given each year to a scholar whose body of work has made a significant contribution to the field of theatre, dance, opera, and/or performance studies.
Literary Managers and Dramaturgs of the Americas	Theatre	Elliott Hayes Award for Outstanding Achievement in Dramaturgy	\$1,000	Achievement	Not Indicated	Recognition of exemplary contributions by dramaturgs to the conception, development and production of theatre or to educational projects in dramaturgy in the Americas over the past two years.
Literary Managers and Dramaturgs of the Americas	Theatre	GE Lessing Award for Career Achievement	Not Indicated	Achievement	Not Indicated	Given for a lifetime of achievement in the field of dramaturgy.
National Theatre Conference	Theatre	Barrie and Bernice Stavis Playwright Award	\$1,000	Writing	Not Indicated	Presented to recognize an outstanding emerging playwright
National Theatre Conference	Theatre	Emerging Professional Award	\$1,000	Accomplishment	Not Indicated	Presented to a person demonstrating exemplary promise in a professional theatre organization.
National Theatre Conference	Theatre	Paul Green Foundation Award	Not Indicated	Accomplishment	Not Indicated	Presented each year to a promising new talent in the professional theatre
National Theatre Conference	Theatre	Person(s) of the Year Award	Not Indicated	Accomplishment	Not Indicated	Individuals who have made an outstanding and noteworthy contribution to the theatre.
The American Alliance for Theatre & Education	Theatre	Campton Bell Lifetime Achievement Award	Not Indicated	Achievement	Not Indicated	This award honors an individual for a lifetime of outstanding contributions to the field.
The American Alliance for Theatre & Education	Theatre	Charlotte B. Chorpenning Playwright Award	Not Indicated	Writing	Not Indicated	This award honors a nationally known writer of outstanding plays for children, recognizing a body of work as opposed to a single play.
The American Alliance for Theatre & Education	Theatre	Distinguished Book Award	Not Indicated	Book Award	Not Indicated	This award honors an author and publisher for the outstanding book relating to any aspect of the field published during the past calendar
The Association for Theatre in Higher Education	Theatre	Career Achievement	Not Indicated	Achievement	February	The highest honors bestowed by ATHE are two Career Achievement Awards: the Ellen Stewart Award for Career Achievement in Professional Theatre and the Career Achievement Award in Academic Theatre. They each indicate a career of distinguished service to the field. Frequently, recipients have distinguished careers which overlap both areas.
The Association for Theatre in Higher Education	Theatre	Outstanding Book Award	Not Indicated	Book Award	February	Given on the basis of the study's potential to interrupt, change and/or challenge theatre practice and pedagogy - often emphasizing the interconnectedness of pedagogy and practice. We invite submissions of books or book-length studies about theatre administration, performance spaces, movement, voice, acting, as well as anthologies providing critical teaching materials in theatre arts and performance.
The Association for Theatre in Higher Education	Theatre	Excellence in Playwriting	Not Indicated	Writing	February	The award honors a new play marked by sophisticated and nuanced storytelling, with the potential to make a major artistic impact on contemporary theatre.
United States Institute For Theatre Technology	Theatre	Architecture Award	Not Indicated	Design	September	Sponsored by the USITT Architecture Commission, the Architecture Awards Program honors excellence in the design of theatre projects.
United States Institute For Theatre Technology	Theatre	Distinguished Achievement Awards	Not Indicated	Achievement	July	Honors an individual who has established a meritorious career record in a specific field of expertise in any area of design or technology in the performing arts or entertainment industry.
United States Institute For Theatre Technology	Theatre	Oscar G. Brockett Golden Pen Award	Not Indicated	Publication	Not Indicated	Honors an outstanding publication in the field of design and production for the performing arts.
United States Institute For Theatre Technology	Theatre	Rising Star Award	Not Indicated	Achievement	July	Given annually to a young professional at the beginning of his or her career. The award recognizes excellence and artistic achievement in the areas of scenic, lighting, sound, and projection design, or the convergence of these design disciplines.