Center for Photographic Art Scholarship

at Monterey Peninsula College

2023-2024 Student Application

The Center for Photographic Art is offering a \$2500 scholarship to a graduating Monterey Peninsula College student majoring in Photography and transferring to a four-year college/university in Fall 2023.



Applicant Criteria

- Major in Photography
- Second year student at Monterey Peninsula College
- Minimum 3.0 Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)
- Graduating Spring 2023
- Transferring to a Four-Year College/University Fall 2023
- Resident of Monterey County
- Minimum three guarter time enrollment for Fall 2023
- Official verification of enrollment from Registrar's office for Fall 2023

Application Instructions

- Fill out application completely. *Incomplete applications will not be considered*.
- Personal Statement (minimum 500 words) describing your photography, ideas and influences
- 10-20 images from your personal portfolio
- Two letters of recommendation (one from a photography instructor)
- Submit the following items to the MPC Student Financial Services Office
 - 1. scholarship application with personal statement included
 - 2. two letters of recommendation
 - 3. all college transcripts (unofficial copies are acceptable)
 - 4. 10-20 images from your personal portfolio

Personal Statement

Instructions: In a separate document, please respond to the following questions. Your 500 word personal statement must answer the questions below. Include your name and the words "Personal Statement" at the top right-hand corner of each page, and submit your responses with this application.

- 1. Why have you chosen Photography as your major?
- 2. Please describe your education and personal history.
- 3. Tell us about your photography, your ideas and your influences.

Application deadline: March 15, 2023 COB 5:00 PM PST

Applications may be submitted via email or in-person (with an appointment). Contact: Deanna Galdo MPC Student Financial Services at (831) 646-4030 or dgaldo@mpc.edu for details

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Personal Information Full legal name_____ Mailing address City_____State____Zip____ Permanent address (if different from above) City_____State____Zip____ Primary phone number_____ Alternate phone number Email address _____ Alternate Email address_____ Are you a resident of Monterey County? ______Yes _____No Have you applied for Fall 2023 admission to a four-year institution? ______Yes _____No Have you been accepted? _____ Yes No Student's Financial Information Income Earned in 2022 \$______ Household Size _____ Certification I certify that the information reported on this application, to the best of my knowledge, is true and correct. I authorize Monterey Peninsula College and the Center for Photographic Art Community to release the information on this application to scholarship committees both on and off campus and to review my academic transcript(s).

Signature Date