Departmental Scholarships, Travel Grants, and Awards

The Department of the History of Art and Architecture provides funding support in academic scholarships, research and conference travel grants, and scholarly awards. The timing and amount of support vary year to year depending on the availability of funds. For more information, contact the Associate Director of Graduate Studies.

Scholarships
The Department of the History of Art and Architecture offers a limited number of modest scholarships to promising incoming and continuing students. These awards provide graduate students with various amounts of funding to offset living expenses and other costs related to the program, or to recruit exceptionally promising applicants. Scholarship amounts vary depending on available funds and the number of qualifying applications we receive. Departmental scholarships are made possible through the generous support from the following endowments:

- Gloria Tovar Lee Scholarship for Graduate Student in Art History
- Amy & Ross Kari Fellowship
- Fischer Graduate Scholarship in Art History
- Mr./Mrs. Eric G. Clarke Graduate Scholarship in Asian Art

Travel Grants
Various funds support graduate student travel for research and conference participation. Travel award applications are accepted by the department twice yearly, in fall and spring terms. Travel grants are made possible through the generous support from the following endowments:

- Alice Wingwall Graduate Student Travel Award for First-hand Experience of Works of Art
- Amy & Ross Kari Travel Grant
- Mark Sponenburgh Graduate Student Research Travel Award
- Marian Donnelly Endowment for Conference Travel

Awards
Book Awards for Best Graduate Papers
At the end of each academic year, awards are given to students for papers judged to be superior in critical analysis, originality, and style. Awards are given in recognition of students’ efforts in the following two categories:

- Marion Dean Ross Prize for Best Graduate Paper in Architectural History
- Marian Donnelly Book Prize for Best Graduate Paper in Art History

Academic Lecture Awards
Each fall term, the department solicits ideas from graduate students for the three annual lecture series. If selected, the student will receive an award to organize the lecture in consultation with their primary academic advisor.

Instructor of Record GE Award (PhD students)
As a professional development opportunity for PhD students, when possible, the department makes available instructor-of-record (IOR) GE positions to qualified students. A student selected to offer a course as an IOR with your own GE teaching assistants will receive an award in the amount of $1,000.

UO Resource for Other Funding Opportunities
The Division of Graduate Studies provides a list of UO-wide and external funding opportunities. Some require departmental nomination, so it is a good idea to check back periodically to keep track of the deadlines.
https://graduatestudies.uoregon.edu/funding/awards