



## William Fletcher Foundation

<http://www.williamfletcherfoundation.org.au>

ACN: 121 495 341

ABN: 14 121 495 341

For the development and advancement of young artists in need

# 2010 GRANTS INFORMATION SHEET

In 1985, The William Fletcher Trust was established in memory of the artist William Fletcher whose straitened circumstances, ill health and early death cut short his developing talents. Fletcher's work is represented in the Australian National Gallery, other national collections, the Art Gallery of New South Wales and other prominent regional and private collections. In 1988, the Trust awarded its first grants for study to tertiary students of the visual arts. The William Fletcher Trust was incorporated in 2006 as William Fletcher Foundation following a generous bequest. Since 1988, \$238,500 has been distributed to 336 highly talented students of the visual arts to assist them to continue their studies.

## 1. ELIGIBILITY

### (a) Student eligibility

You are eligible for a Grant if you are a student:

- who is an Australian citizen; and
- who is enrolled in final year (Year 3 of a Pass degree, Year 4 of an Honours degree) at one of the eligible institutions (see **(b)** below) that has opted in to the Procedure in 2010; and
- who complies with the conditions of study in final year, and
- whose major study includes at least one of the following five disciplines: painting; drawing; printmaking; illustration; theatrical design (set and costume); and
- who applies for a William Fletcher Foundation (WFF) Grant by 30<sup>th</sup> April 2010.

**NB (1)** Either photography or computer generated art may be one of your majors, but neither in its own right is an eligible discipline for this Grant, although either may be included as a minor element of a work (eg, a collage) submitted for assessment.

**NB (2)** Neither an Honours student who has already won a WFF Grant, nor one enrolled in a Master's or Doctoral course, is eligible.

### (b) Institutional eligibility

The following institutions have opted in to the William Fletcher Foundation Grant Procedure for 2010: College of Fine Arts (UNSW), National Art School, National Institute of Dramatic Art, Sydney College of the Arts (USyd), Southern Cross University, University of Newcastle (Fine Art and Design/Illustration disciplines), University of Wollongong.



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## APPLICATION for a 2010 GRANT

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1. surname: ..... 2. date of birth: .....

3. given names: .....

4. address: Give postal *and* street address (both during Term and first semester vacation).

postal address: ..... postcode: .....

street address (term): ..... postcode: .....

postal address (vacation): ..... postcode: .....

5. telephone (mob): 0..... (home) (02) .....

Please advise the William Fletcher Foundation, before 15 May 2010, of any change to contact details (4. and 5.).

6. email: .....

7. current institution. course, and year [eg COFA BA (FA) 3]: .....

8. nominated discipline (eg painting): .....

9. degrees/diplomas previously completed (if any): .....

### 10. need

These questions, concerning circumstances that may affect your studies, will assist the Foundation to assess your need for a Grant. **Please CIRCLE the appropriate response.**

**NB: All information will be treated in strict confidence**

(a) Which of these, if any, do you have this year? **HECS loan / family allowance / scholarship / other grant / none of these**

(b) Do you provide support for other family members? **YES / NO**

(c) What is your living accommodation? **living with parents / rented / boarding / owned with mortgage / owned outright**

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### 2. APPLICATIONS

- In each institution, the Head of School has nominated a member of staff to be the Contact person who will help you, if necessary. A list of these Contacts is published online [www.williamfletcherfoundation.org.au/Grants.htm](http://www.williamfletcherfoundation.org.au/Grants.htm)
- You can download an Application Form either directly from the WWF website or *via* the link on your Institution's website. • **NB (1)**: there are two pages of instructions (blue logo) and two for the application form (brown logo);
- **NB (2)**: we do not require, as previously, artwork with size restrictions or PowerPoint to be submitted, as studio work will be assessed on campus.
- You need to nominate in which one of your majors, you are applying for a Grant. This has to be one of the five eligible studio disciplines (*viz* painting; drawing, print-making; illustration; theatrical (set and costume) design.
- You need to give evidence both of financial hardship (by answering the relevant parts of the Application Form), and of achievement (by supplying photocopies of academic transcripts for all previous years).

All information supplied is considered with the strictest confidence.

Send the completed Application Form with photocopies of transcripts attached  
**by the closing date 30<sup>th</sup> April 2010:**

by E-mail ([info@williamfletcherfoundation.org.au](mailto:info@williamfletcherfoundation.org.au)) or by mail (The Secretary  
William Fletcher Foundation, PO Box 172, LANE COVE NSW 1595)

### 3. ASSESSMENT

#### (a) Criteria

Assessment is based on three criteria: talent in your nominated Discipline, as evidenced by studio work (no size restrictions) assessed on campus; academic achievement; and need.

#### (b) After determination of awards

- The Secretary advises you by mid-year of the result of your application.
- The Secretary sends cheques and receipts to your Contact at that time.
- The Contact distributes cheque and receipt to each grantee.
- Each grantee signs the receipt, which is witnessed and countersigned by the Contact.  
[In the past, grantees have too often neglected to acknowledge receipt of cheque, and some have delayed in banking it, and even lost it.]
- Grantees are invited to e-mail an image of an example of their work within their Discipline to the Secretary, for the WWF archive.
- Certificates of Grant are presented later in the year at a suitable occasion on campus.

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(d) What total distance do you travel to and from campus each day during term?  
**approximately ..... km**

(e) What time each day do you spend in travel to and from campus?  
**approximately ..... hr**

(f) Are you able to use public transport to and from campus? **YES / NO**

(g) How do you travel to and from campus? **public transport / drive own car / driven /  
bike / walk**

(h) Does your study timetable allow you to do part-time work? **YES / NO**

(i) Are part-time employment opportunities available to you? **YES / NO**

(j) Are you currently employed? **YES / NO**

(k) How many hours per week do you work? **..... hr**

(l) Additional comment (optional):

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**11. declaration, undertaking, and understanding:**

I hereby apply for a William Fletcher Foundation Grant to assist me to complete my art studies.

I hereby declare:

- that I am an Australian citizen; and
- that all information provided by me is accurate; and
- if awarded a 2010 WFF Grant, I undertake to sign and return the receipt upon receiving a cheque.

I enclose a certified Transcript of Academic Records.

signed: ..... date: .....