

The Northwest Watercolor Foundation is a nonprofit arm of the Northwest Watercolor Society (NWWS), formed to assist, encourage, promote and advance the visual arts in the Pacific Northwest with particular emphasis on watercolor media.

One of the purposes of the Foundation is to support emerging young visual artists by providing financial awards to committed, deserving students. Established in the early 1990s, the Gold Grant Award has been presented annually to an outstanding and promising art student. Full-time art majors enrolled in a community college or university in Washington, Oregon or Idaho and working in a variety of two-dimensional media are eligible for the Foundation's award. Students are required to submit an application, five images of their best work in any 2-D media (other than computer or photography), a descriptive list of images submitted, a letter recommendation from a faculty member, a photo of themselves, and artist's statement and a short biography. The winner is honored at a board dinner and awarded their scholarship at a meeting of the Northwest Watercolor Society in May.

The Foundation also awards small grants to teachers and volunteers working with children in the schools, conducting artistic educational activities. Foundation funds have contributed to numerous art projects in schools around the Puget Sound area.

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