PART A – FOR INCOMING STUDENTS (FRESHMEN OR TRANSFER) IN ALL SCHOOL OF ART DEGREE PROGRAMS

After incoming freshmen and transfer students have applied and been accepted into Texas Tech University, they are required by the School of Art to submit a portfolio and/or writing sample as part of its admissions requirements. To enter the BA in Art or BFA in Graphic Design, Studio Art (all areas) or Visual Studies programs, please submit a portfolio (see PART B); to enter the BA in Art History, please submit a writing sample (see PART C). Undecided students may submit either or both a portfolio and writing sample.

This completed Application Form will also make you eligible for School of Art RECRUITMENT SCHOLARSHIPS.

NAME: ___________________________ PERMANENT ___________________________
PHONE: __________________________ HOMETOWN: ___________________________
EMAIL: __________________________ HIGH SCHOOL: ___________________________

HIGH SCHOOL ART or ART HISTORY TEACHER: __________________________

Program of interest: (check ONE box)
☐ BA in Art History
☐ BA in Art
☐ BFA Studio Art
☐ BFA Graphic Design
☐ BFA Visual Studies
☐ Undecided

Please select: ☐ I wish to be considered for merit-based scholarships
☐ I wish to be considered for need-based scholarships*
☐ I wish to be considered for both

* Need Based Scholarships require that you file with FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid, http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/).

PART B – FOR INCOMING STUDENTS (FRESHMEN AND TRANSFER) PURSUING A BFA in GRAPHIC DESIGN, STUDIO ART (all areas) or VISUAL STUDIES or a BA in ART DEGREE

Your portfolio should be a selection of 5-10 examples of your best, recent artwork. We suggest that the work reflect the full range of your ideas, interests, experience and abilities in the arts. Work submitted can be in any medium (including film or video), in finished or sketch form, and the result of an assigned project or a self-directed exploration. We recommend that you include a few pages from your journal or sketchbook to indicate your process of research, thinking and investigation. (You have the option of submitting 5 works in each of these genres: portrait, landscape, still life, 3D, one in any genre; or submitting 5-10 artworks of your own choosing.)

The portfolio application is part of the process of declaring a major and specialization in the School of Art. If you do not as yet know which program (BFA/BA) you’d like to be in, simply select “undecided” on the application. All incoming freshmen will participate in a first- and second-year Foundations program that will help you figure out the best fit, and will prepare you for entry into an area of specialization (painting, sculpture, etc.).

In order to submit a successful application, do consult your high school art teacher, who will help you put together a strong portfolio. If you have further questions, or need guidance in assembling your portfolio, feel free to contact...
Associate Professor and Foundations Coordinator Carol Flueckiger at c.flueckiger@ttu.edu.

**Required materials:**
- This Application Form
- A statement of intent as to why you want to study art at TTU. You may mention previous art experience, life goals, etc.; spend some time thinking about *why* you’d like to study art at the university level.
- Photos of 5-10 artworks. You have the option of submitting 5 works in each of these genres: portrait, landscape, still life, 3D, one in any genre; or submitting 5-10 artworks of your choice. For these artworks, we are looking for the ‘quality’ of an artwork: how well you’ve put together a design, an at least rudimentary level of technique (in whatever medium), and signs of talent, potential, and future growth.

**PART C – FOR INCOMING STUDENTS (FRESHMEN OR TRANSFER) PURSUING A BA DEGREE IN ART HISTORY**

For entry into the Art History program, a writing sample takes the place of an artwork portfolio. See the required application materials below. For more information about the Art History program, see [www.art.ttu.edu/ArtHistory](http://www.art.ttu.edu/ArtHistory) and contact Dr. Janis Elliott: janis.elliott@ttu.edu.

**Required materials:**
- This Application Form
- A statement of intent explaining why you want to study Art History at TTU. You may mention previous Art History experiences, life goals, etc. Spend some time thinking about *why* you’d like to study Art History at the university level.
- Resumé
- High School or College Transcript
- An Art History paper of 3-8 pages (750-2000 words), typed, double-spaced, 12-point font, with footnotes/endnotes, bibliography and illustrations is preferred. If you have produced work for an AP Art History course, you should include that. If you don’t have an Art History writing sample, send a comparable paper from a History or English course.

**For more information, contact:** Carol Flueckiger, Associate Professor and Foundations Coordinator (c.flueckiger@ttu.edu), or Linda Rumbelow, Senior Academic Advisor (linda.rumbelow@ttu.edu).

Application to enter Texas Tech University should be done via ApplyTexas on the TTU Admissions website [http://www.depts.ttu.edu/admissions/], and should be done prior to completing this application.