



Summer Art 2009
Summer High School Art Teachers Fellowship Residency
(5 WEEK RESIDENCY - ROOM, BOARD, AND STUDIO SPACE PROVIDED)

The High School Art Teachers Fellowship Program is comprised of 10-12 high school art teachers from across America. The chosen participants are provided FREE room and board for either independent study or graduate study five-week session. A shared studio space is provided as well as a faculty mentor. The five-week art fellows program is available for any high school teacher who has been teaching for three or more years or to teachers who wish to earn graduate credit with no restriction on number of years they have been teaching.

The date for this summer's session is
July 7 - August 7, 2009

The purpose of the High School Art Teachers Fellowship Program is to extend the resources of Skidmore College to high school art teachers for the purpose of refueling their creative energy. The Summer Art Program provides an intensive creative environment with the finest facilities and a faculty mentor. It also encourages the idea of living and working at a liberal arts college as a collective experience to benefit you, the educator/artist, and ultimately your students. To help defray costs, we ask that the school of the accepted art fellow contribute \$250 to the program. Application and lab fees are to be paid by the accepted candidate.

There are two fellowship options:

FIVE WEEK SESSION Independent Study in Painting or Drawing.
July 7 - August 7, 2009 (Arrive July 5 - Depart August 8th by 12noon)

FIVE WEEK SESSION Graduate Study in Painting, Drawing, Fiber Arts, Ceramics, or Sculpture.
July 7 - August 7, 2009 (Arrive July 5 - Depart August 8th by 12noon)

You may choose three or six credit hours.

Five weeks of FREE room and board and a shared studio space is provided.

Cost: \$2,000 per 3 graduate credit hours (in-state or out-of-state).

Artist pays a lab fee of \$50-\$100 (depending on the course) and an application fee of \$30 *if accepted*.

Please note that you will not be able to change your status to a non-credit option once you arrive on campus.

We are looking for a balance of independent and graduate fellows.

Any teacher, regardless of years in teaching, is able to apply for the graduate credit option.

Both Art and Graduate Study fellows will be assigned to a space within a large, shared open studio and receive weekly critiques from a Summer Art faculty mentor. There will be many opportunities to share ideas and information through planned social activities and at Summer Art visiting artist lectures. In addition, art fellows may choose to sign up for non-credit workshops that are offered during their stay on campus for a nominal tuition fee.

Applications must be postmarked by February 28, 2009, and committee results will be mailed by March 20, 2009. We regret to inform you that we will not be accepting applications from Art Fellow Alums in this year's program. However, fellows that were accepted to the program in previous years are warmly welcomed back to the Skidmore summer community through opportunities to register for a wide variety of summer art classes and workshops we continue to offer. For more information, or if you have questions, please feel free to call Katie DeGroot, director, Skidmore Summer Studio Art Program at 518-580-5084, or Marianne Needham in Special Programs at 518-580-5052.

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SKIDMORE COLLEGE/Summer Art
Summer High School Art Teachers Fellowship Residency
APPLICATION FOR SUMMER FELLOWSHIP RESIDENCY FOR HIGH SCHOOL ART TEACHERS
DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS IS FEBRUARY 28, 2009

Name _____ Years of Teaching _____

Street _____

City State Zip _____

Home Phone # _____ Cell Phone # _____

Social Security # _____

DOB _____ E-Mail Address _____

School Name _____

School Phone _____

Name of colleague, administrator, or supervisor whom you have asked to send arecommendation:

Name _____ Phone No. _____

Name of official who authorized your school's willingness to contribute \$250 if fellowship is awarded:

Name _____ Phone No. _____

Signature _____ Title _____

Unfortunately, we are unable to allow you to work in more than one studio space during your stay at Skidmore. *Please select carefully.*

Independent Study Art Fellow, Please select a first and second choice – *Lab fees listed*

Maximum 5 weeks, July 7th -August 7th (Arrive July 5th -- Depart August 8th by 12noon)

Painting \$50.00

Drawing \$50.00

Graduate Study Art Fellow*, Please select a first and second choice – *Lab fees listed*

Mandatory 5 weeks, July 7th -August 7th (Arrive July 5th -- Depart August 8th by 12noon)

Painting \$50.00 Sculpture \$70.00

Drawing \$50.00 Fibers \$75.00

Ceramics \$100.00

How many graduate credits will you be taking?

3 credits (cost: \$2,000.00)

6 credits (cost: \$4,000.00)

ALL APPLICANTS: Please provide the following information along with your application: 10-20 slides of your work (or CD disk of 10-20 jpeg or tiff images), a resume, a personal statement describing why you are applying and what you hope to achieve, and a brief project description so that a faculty mentor or instructor may be selected for you. Please print your name on each slide and include a self-addressed, stamped envelope with sufficient postage for return of materials.

Mail to: Katie DeGroot, Director, Skidmore Summer Studio Art Program
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