



2016-2017

**Pratt/SMG Partners Grant:
Jewelry and Metal Arts**

In partnership with Seattle Metals Guild (SMG), and to nurture the development of our shared artist community, Pratt is pleased to offer a grant specifically for Puget Sound jewelry and metal artists who are active members of SMG.

Grant Award: The Pratt/SMG Partners Grant covers the cost of registration for one jewelry/metals class at Pratt Fine Arts Center. It may be used to enroll in a one-day workshop, weekend workshop, or a 4-, 6-, or 8-week class in Pratt's jewelry/metals studios occurring between September 1, 2016 and August 31, 2017. Recipient will also receive a one-year SMG membership renewal.*

Eligibility: The Pratt/SMG Partners Grant is open to jewelry and metal artists of all levels, aged 18 years and older, who are active members of SMG and who wish to refine their skills or pursue new or experimental directions in their medium. Board, advisory board, and staff members of Pratt Fine Arts Center and SMG, as well as Pratt instructors, are not eligible to apply.

Application Evaluation: Applications will be reviewed by a committee of Pratt and SMG staff with expertise in the fields of jewelry and metal arts. Though artwork images will be reviewed, they will serve only as evidence that applicant has enough of a background in jewelry/metals to benefit from a class. The grant itself will be awarded to the applicant who best articulates his/her creative intent, personality, and anticipated educational impact of the prize. Strong applications will include images that correlate with the statement of intent

Application Requirements

- 1. Statement of intent**, no longer than one page, explaining:
 - a. how this grant will enhance your artistic development and goals
 - b. the skills and techniques you would like to learn or practice
 - c. what you intend to explore or accomplish with this grant
- 2. Three (3) to six (6) JPEG images of current artwork** - JPEGs should be formatted to 7 inches on the longest side, with minimum resolution of 180dpi, and file size no larger than 2MB each. Label your JPEGs with your last name, title of piece, and numbered order for viewing.**
- 3. Numbered image list** that includes the following information for each piece:
 - a. title
 - b. dimensions
 - c. medium
 - d. year of completion
- 4. Completed application form**

DEADLINE: APPLICATIONS ARE DUE JUNE 5, 2016.

A winner will be announced in July, and award year begins September 1, 2016.

TO APPLY, visit www.pratt.org/scholarships
For questions or assistance, email scholarships@pratt.org.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

* The Pratt/SMG Partners Grant does not cover class supply fees and may not be used towards master classes/workshops.

** Please note that Pratt may use your submitted images in marketing materials to promote the grant.