

# 2022 - 2023

# Professional Artist-in-Residence Program Flameworking Focus

With support from the National Endowment for the Arts, Pratt Fine Arts Center provides the opportunity for a professional artist to explore new materials and processes during a month-long residency in Pratt's flameworking studio. The residency includes access to Pratt Fine Arts Center's flameworking studio and options to explore other disciplines at Pratt. The Professional Artist-in-Residence Program provides a working artist with a new venue for experimentation and assistance in creative advancement.

Program Details: The residency runs for the month of March 2023, during which time the recipient will have unlimited access to Pratt's flameworking studio. The recipient may also explore Pratt's other disciplines such as blacksmithing, metal sculpture, stone sculpture, mold making, jewelry/metalsmithing, wood-working, printmaking/painting/drawing, and a variety of glass arts. However, access to these other studios is contingent on availability whereas Pratt's flameworking studio is available throughout the residency at any time during Pratt's normal operating hours (daily 9AM to 10PM).

Additionally, the residency includes \$1500 awarded directly to the artist, a \$500 stipend for materials, and a \$500 credit for use towards tuition and fees for classes and access in studios other than flameworking.\* Access to private instruction is available with prearrangement. Finally, Pratt will provide a venue, reception, and publicity for a public lecture and in-studio exhibition.

Local applicants are encouraged as travel and housing support is limited. However, artists residing beyond the Puget Sound region are welcome to apply and, if selected, may access up to \$4,000 in travel/housing support.

**Eligibility:** The Professional Artist-in-Residence Program is open to professional flameworking artists aged 18 years and older. Participating artists must be eligible to work in the United States. Board, advisory board, and staff members of Pratt, as well as Pratt instructors, are not eligible to apply.

**Application Evaluation:** Applications will be reviewed by a jury of artists and arts professionals with expertise in the glass arts. The residency will be awarded to the applicant for whom the residency stands to have the greatest impact. The jury will specifically assess artistic intent, the potential for professional and creative advancement, and the fit of the proposed project with the resources available.

## **Application Requirements**

- 1. Statement of Intent (1500 words or less), explaining:
  - a. What you intend to explore or accomplish during the residency, including but not limited to:
    - i. A specific project proposal for the residency period
    - ii. The anticipated resources needed to complete your project
    - iii. Anticipated use of Pratt's other facilities to support your work in flameworking (if any)
    - iv. Reason for wanting to undertake your project at Pratt
  - b. How does your proposed project relate to your previous work and/or advance it to new places?
  - c. How would Pratt's Artist-in-Residence Program further your artistic goals or inspire your practice?
- 2. Six (6) JPEG images of current work 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
  - e. Photo credit (if necessary)
- 4. Current resume or curriculum vitae
- 5. Completed online application form

All document uploads must be in Word or PDF formats. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

**Assistance**: For questions or assistance, email <a href="mailto:RKlee@Pratt.org">RKlee@Pratt.org</a> with "Scholarship assistance" in the subject line.

#### Deadline:

## **APPLICATIONS ARE DUE JUNE 30, 2022.**

A recipient will be announced in early August, and award year begins September 1, 2022.

# TO APPLY, visit www.pratt.org/scholarships

\* Successful completion of a studio orientation and access test are required to use Pratt's studios independently.

\*\* Please note that Pratt may use your submitted images with attribution in marketing materials to promote the scholarship.