

Student Filmmakers

1. Institutional Grants Program

Deadline – January 15, 2009

Resource – Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences

Description - As an annual program, the Institutional Grants Program reflects one of the Academy's fundamental purposes – to foster educational activities between the public and the film industry, and to encourage an appreciation of the motion picture as an art form and a vocation.

Topic – Motion picture education

Size of Grant – Typical funding ranges from \$5,000 to \$15,000 per institution.

Cost Sharing – No

Web - <http://www.oscars.org/grants/institutional/index.html>

2. MEDIA ARTS: Access to Artistic Excellence

Deadline – 2008 deadline passed. Check Website in early 2009.

Resource – National Endowment for the Arts, U.S. Government

Description - Access to Artistic Excellence encourages and supports artistic creativity, preserves our diverse cultural heritage, and makes the arts more widely available in communities throughout the country.

Topic – Arts

Size of Grant – \$5,000 to \$150,000.

Cost Sharing - No

Web — <http://www.nea.gov/grants/apply/GAP09/MediaAAE.html>

3. Visiting Artists Program

Deadline – Continuous. Requests are accepted at any time.

Resource – Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences

Description – The Visiting Artists Program is an ongoing activity of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences and the Academy Foundation, the educational and preservation wing of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, since 1970. The program assists colleges and media art centers, as well as festivals, conferences and other film-related events, in sponsoring visits to their sites by leading film professionals. The program was designed by the academy to allow students and faculty the opportunity to have direct contact with working film professionals, thereby establishing an important link between the academic study of film and filmmaking and the men and women who make movies.

Topic - Film or cinema or video, visiting personnel

Size of Grant – Varies

Cost Sharing - No

Web - <http://www.oscars.org/foundation/visitingartists.html>

4. Major Grants

Deadline – Spring Deadline: Draft, March 1 – Final, April 1

Fall Deadline: Draft, August 1 – Final, September 1

Resource – Oklahoma Humanities Council

Description - OHC grants encourage cultural programming on the local level across the state. Eligible projects must support the OHC mission—to promote meaningful public engagement with the humanities—and may be structured in a variety of ways: conferences, lectures, panel discussions, websites, audio or video productions, exhibitions, field trips, etc.

Topic – Humanities

Size of Grant – Up to \$8,500

Cost Sharing - No

Web - <http://www.okhumanitiescouncil.org/grants>

5. Challenge Grants

Deadline – Spring Deadline: Draft, March 1 – Final, April 1

Fall Deadline: Draft, August 1 – Final, September 1

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Topic – Humanities

Size of Grant – Up to \$15,000

Cost Sharing – Yes

Web – <http://www.okhumanitiescouncil.org/grants>