



# Scholarships

## **Barbara King Landscape Architecture Scholarships for Innovation and Entrepreneurship**

Up to eight \$2500 scholarships awarded annually

### REQUIREMENTS

- 4th year LA status  
or 5<sup>th</sup> year LA status  
or MLA status at Iowa State University
- 2.50 cumulative GPA or 2.75 LA GPA (undergraduate)
- 3.00 cumulative GPA or 3.25 LA GPA (graduate)

### CONSIDERATIONS

- Preference for women
- Preference for undergraduates
- Preference for demonstrated financial need
- Preference for social or ecological advocacy focus
- No student may qualify for more than one BKLA Scholarship during undergraduate or graduate study at ISU. (A BLA/MLA student may qualify for one scholarship in each program.)

## CATEGORIES

**Qualified students may apply in one or more of the following categories each year.** The selection committee, composed of members of the Landscape Architecture Practitioners Advisory Council, a faculty representative and former scholarship recipients, choose awardees from the following four categories. They may choose to award more than one recipient from a category or not to select any recipient from a category.

### **I. ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE BASED ON PREVIOUS AND/OR CURRENT EFFORTS**

This scholarship rewards past and supports current efforts of a Landscape Architecture student displaying significant entrepreneurial spirit. The application must outline the individual's work in a case study format outlining the activities that warrant this recognition. The student must effectively demonstrate that he or she has been or is an entrepreneur. Startup businesses such as a software company focusing on landscape animation or a landscape contracting company developed to provide jobs for physically impaired high school students are examples of appropriate focus. The awardee must develop and present a symposium or exhibition focusing on his or her entrepreneurship during the year in which the scholarship is awarded.

**Application requirements:** Application form and narrative submitted should not exceed 10 single-spaced 8 1/2"x11" pages outlining the entrepreneurship and 10 pages of illustrations. The narrative and application form should be returned as word documents while the illustration pages can be submitted as word or PDF files, total submittal should not exceed 4 megabytes. Send materials to [amfaeth@iastate.edu](mailto:amfaeth@iastate.edu).

### **II. INNOVATION IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE**

This scholarship rewards past and supports current efforts of a Landscape Architecture student displaying significant innovation. The application must highlight the individual's work in a case study format outlining the activities that warrant this recognition. The student must effectively demonstrate that he or she has been or is an innovator. Helping to develop a new area of curricular focus such as playground design or leading a university-wide effort to broaden the focus of the urban farm are examples of student innovation. The awardee must develop and present a symposium or exhibition focusing on his or her innovation during the year in which the scholarship is awarded.

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### **III. STUDY OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND RELATED AREAS**

This scholarship provides support to a student who proposes a program of study that focuses on entrepreneurship in landscape architecture and related areas. The study may include taking classes in other departments and/or developing a case study investigation of an influential entrepreneur or entrepreneurial entity. This effort need not be limited to the private sector. The entrepreneurial spirit

operates in all areas of society. It may involve the development of a work plan for a new or startup business or nonprofit. The application must outline the proposed effort in both concept and detail. This scholarship may also support an internship focusing on entrepreneurship. The awardee must develop and present a symposium or exhibition focusing on his or her entrepreneurship during the year in which the scholarship is awarded.

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#### **IV. STUDY OF INNOVATION IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND RELATED AREAS**

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