# **The J. Binford Walford Scholarships for the Study of Architecture**

**History:** (est. 1979) The bequest of J. Binford Walford provides an annual fund for scholarships for the study in architectural programs at the College. Usually, the scholarships will be in the form of merit awards intended to provide recognition and encouragement to worthy students. The number and size of awards can vary each year.

The scholarship is renewable only through application and only if the student maintains his or her interest and commitment to architecture. The individual student’s continued study of architecture and progress will be reviewed by the student’s advisor, usually the Chair, in consultation with the student’s professors in architecture.

Applications will be judged on the basis of merit by the Walford Architectural Scholarship Committee comprising a professor of architectural design, a professor of architectural history, and the Chair of the Dept. of Art & Art History. Recommendations by the Committee will then be forwarded to the Dean of the faculty for approval, notification, and the awarding of the scholarship.

**\*Eligibility:** While it is generally expected that the applicants will be concentrators who apply in their sophomore or junior years, latitude is left for the truly exceptional student, firmly committed to a career in architecture (including entering freshmen) to apply.

## **Include with your Application:**

* Scholarship Application Form.
* A statement of your goal in the study in the architecture programs of the Dept. of art & Art History.
* A statement of your proposed plan of study and proposed use of the award.
* A statement of prior experience, if applicable, in the field of architecture.
* Copy of your transcript from Banner Web.
* Papers or digital portfolios of projects, as appropriate, that will supplement the application.
  + - JPEGs, a max dimension of 1000 pixels, and a max size 2MB
* **Two (2) letters of recommendation** (See: Recommendation Form).
  + Two (2) letters from professors in the Department of Art & Art History who can comment on your potential for architectural studies.
* Include the application form, statement, transcript and recommendations with the student’s name and the name of the scholarship included in the subject line of the email.   
  Email allto Art & Art History Administrator, Cathy Jacobs [cmjacobs01@wm.edu](mailto:cmjacobs01@wm.edu)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 5**

\****Eligibility is based on your social class and major declaration status as of the time of your application.***

**Scholarship Application**

**Scholarship** (check one):

Studio Art: Joseph Palin Thorley Scholarship

J. Binford Walford Scholarship (Architecture)

The Caitlin Clavette Memorial Scholarship

Art History: Leslie Cheek Jr. Scholarship

J. Binford Walford Scholarship (Architecture)

## **Student I.D. Number:**

**Name:**

(First) (Middle) (Last)

## **Semester/Year of Graduation:**

**CSU:**

**Email:**

**Phone:**

**Home Address:**

**Recommendation Form**

**Name:**

**Art and Art History** (check one): Major Minor other

**Scholarship** (check one):

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## **Student Signature Date**

Please print and sign before giving to your recommender.

**To Recommenders:** Please attach to this form your comments on the student’s general academic performance and their potential in the fields of Art and Art History.

Highest Recommendation Highly Recommend Recommend

Recommend with Reservation Do Not Recommend

## **Recommender’s Signature Department Date**

*Students: Please completely fill out your portion & sign this form and send to Art & Art History Administrator, Cathy Jacobs* [*cmjacobs01@wm.edu*](mailto:cmjacobs01@wm.edu)