Application for Graduate Teaching Assistantship (GTA)

The Department of Art and Art History offers a limited number of Graduate Teaching Assistantships to full-time students of superior ability and potential. There are four GTA categories: Art History; Ceramics/Fibers/Metalsmithing; Fashion, Design and Merchandising; and Studio Art.

GTAs are awarded for one academic year, beginning with the Fall semester. Those who receive a GTA may apply for a one year additional Assistantship.

The Graduate Teaching Assistantship provides an annual stipend and a waiver of ten (10) graduate credits per semester. GTA recipients are required to either assist with classes or teach one course each semester.

GTA applicants who are also applying for graduate admission must submit all required materials for graduate admission plus the following.

1. 3 letters of GTA recommendation from individuals familiar with the applicant’s record and potential (if letters are not possible, a list of three references with complete contact information including mailing address, email address, and telephone number is acceptable)
2. A written statement summarizing the applicant’s purposes and goals

GTA applicants who are already enrolled in the graduate program must submit the following. (Art History applicants will only submit no.1 and no. 4)

1. 3 letters of GTA recommendation from individuals familiar with the applicant’s record and potential
2. 10 – 20 images of the applicant’s work on a disc
3. An accompanying slide portfolio list that describes the work submitted
4. A written statement summarizing the applicant’s purposes and goals

Applicants selected as finalists will be expected to appear for an interview with the Department Graduate Committee.

Applicant Information

Name

Last      First      Middle

Current Address

Number/Street      City      State      Zip

Permanent Address

Number/Street      City      State      Zip

Phone Number

Area Code      M.A      M.F.A      Major Concentration

GTA in (circle one): AH; Ceramics/Fibers/Metalsmithing; Fashion, Design and Merchandising; or Studio Art

Please indicate below the area(s) in which you feel qualified for assisting/teaching with a GTA

Area(s)
2 Recommender Information

Please list the individuals whom you have asked to provide a recommendation in support of your GTA application.

Name of recommender

Title/Position

Institution/Address

Name of recommender

Title/Position

Institution/Address

Name of recommender

Title/Position

Institution/Address

3 Higher Education Record

You need to list all schools, colleges, and universities that you have attended since high school. Include any attendance at WSU. Attach an additional sheet, if necessary.

Name of institution | Degree and Date Awarded

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