

# 2017 Art Grant Application

## Gerald King Apprenticeship Study Program

### Purpose:

To honor noted Riverdale Park artist, Gerald King, this art grant was established to provide funding for a local artist to study at his studio - Atelier Royale. **The program's focus is an education in painting and drawing in the classic tradition of realism or naturalism.** Study categories include painting from life, figurative drawing, composition, and landscape.



### Who is eligible:

Aspiring artists who will be age eighteen by May 1, 2017, or older, living in or near Riverdale Park, College Park, Hyattsville, University Park and the Route 1 Arts District, are welcome to apply.

**Application Deadline: EXTENDED TO April 3, 2017 \*\*\*\*\***

### Award detail:

The apprenticeship offers a year-long study program with a weekly evening 3-hour class conducted at the Atelier Royale Studio in Riverdale Park, Maryland, taught by Bruce I. Campbell. Artwork created by the awardee will be exhibited at the May 6, 2017 RPAC ARTSFEST. One artwork will be selected for auction at the ArtsFest to support the program. For information about Mr. Campbell: [www.atelierbic.com](http://www.atelierbic.com).

### How to Apply:

#### SUBMIT:

1. **Four to eight JPEG images** of recent, original artwork. Photos should be sized between **300k and 500k, in focus, and cropped appropriately.**
2. A **resume** including your **legal name, mailing address, telephone and email address**
3. A **250-350 word statement** addressing these questions:
  - a. Why do you make art?
  - b. What concepts or subject matter do you focus on in your work, and why?
  - c. What materials, techniques and processes do you use to create your work?
  - d. Why do you want to study at the Atelier Royale Studio?

**Mail or deliver to: Riverdale Park Arts Council  
Gerald King Apprenticeship Study Program  
P.O. Box 262  
Riverdale Park, MD 20738**

**or EMAIL to: GKArtAward@gmail.com** (with JPEG files, resume and Art Statement)

The winner will be notified prior to the 10th Annual RPAC ARTSFEST on Saturday, May 6, 2017. For more info on Gerald King and his art, see: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-Z7ECIL4AU4> or RPAC's site: [www.rpartscouncil.org](http://www.rpartscouncil.org).