

Funding to the Arts, Ruby Friday, February 12, 2021

<https://arts.duke.edu/episode/learn-arts-funding-from-the-pros/>

Duke University funds -- Undergraduate

Graduation with Distinction grant:

Undergraduate majors receive support towards their Graduation with Distinction projects from the Office of Academic Affairs. Department DUS must apply for that support on behalf of the undergraduate student.

American Dance Festival (competitive) scholarship for participation in their Summer Intensive. Duke students are able to get credit towards their participation in ADF.

<https://americandancefestival.org/education/summer-dance-intensive/scholarships-auditions/>

Benenson Arts Awards

Summer Award for undergraduates pursuing Arts training, research and projects

<https://arts.duke.edu/benenson-awards-in-the-arts/>

Louis Sudler Prize (faculty nominated)

Council for the Arts award with a cash prize of \$2,000 to the graduating senior selected as the outstanding student in the creative and performing arts

<https://arts.duke.edu/the-louis-sudler-prize/>

Arts Projects and Awards, Duke Arts

<https://arts.duke.edu/funding-for-arts-projects-awards/>

The Leadership and Arts Policy Internship

LAPI funds \$4000 towards public policy majors doing internships combining the arts and policy in some way. Application is due March 7, 2021

<https://hart.sanford.duke.edu/programs/lapi/>

Duke Dance Program Awards

Dance Program Writing Award – competitive award (excellence in dance writing and a proven ability to translate “movement as text” to the written word). Application due March 8, 2021

<https://danceprogram.duke.edu/events/dance-writing-award-0>

Dance Program Clay Taliaferro Award (faculty nominated award -- undergraduate sophomore or junior student who has the “potential to become a professional dancer, teacher, or choreographer”)

Dance Program Julia Wray Award (faculty nominated award to a senior who has shown outstanding leadership in the Dance Program)

<https://danceprogram.duke.edu/>

External Grants:

North Carolina Arts Council Grants

<https://www.ncarts.org/resources/grants>

The International Association for *Blacks in Dance* scholarships

<https://www.iabdassociation.org/page/Scholarships>

Brown Girls do Ballet

Kennedy George and Ava Holloway Dance for Change Scholarship for female dancers of color
Brown Girls Do Ballet® Micro Grant Program – provides opportunity for education, travel, and professional tools for small dance programs and dancers year round

<https://www.browngirlsdoballet.com/scholarship-form>

Against the Grain Artistic Scholarship

provides financial assistance and promotion of Asian-American college students pursuing a major in the performing, visual arts, journalism and/or mass communications

<https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-major/art-scholarships/against-the-grain-artistic-scholarship/>

NYCDA Foundation

NYCDA Foundation College Scholarship Program awards multiple 4 year college scholarships, with total values of \$5,000-\$25,000 in tuition payments made directly to the college of your choice

<http://www.nycdance.com/foundation/scholarship-opportunities>

The Herbert Lehman Education Fund Scholarships (including the Arts)

To help transform the promise of racial equality into a social, economic, and political reality by supporting talented undergraduate students with financial need to stay in school and successfully complete their bachelor's degree

<https://www.naacpldf.org/about-us/scholarships/herbert-lehman-education-fund-scholarship/>

Lead Scholarship Foundation

<http://leadscholarshipfoundation.com/resources.htm>

Carrington-Philbert Scholarship program

Will award a minimum of \$2500 one-time scholarship to an entering freshman in a US university

<https://www.cpscholarship.com/apply-for-usa/>

Black, Indigenous People of Color, Social / Arts Activism

These aren't specific to Dance/Arts, but in some instances specific to underrepresented/underserved BIPOC populations in certain fields/ institutions (which may include dance)

- contact@forabrightfuturefoundation.org
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Diversity in the Environmental Profession (as many students look towards double majoring/arts activism)

For Graduate Students

Duke MFA in Dance: Embodied Interdisciplinary Praxis

Annual Departmental scholarships towards tuition reduction

Annual Graduate Assistantships in Dance

Theses Project funds

Summer ARKS program funds (a collaboration with American Dance Festival)

Kenan Institute for Ethics Graduate Arts Fellow in Social Choreography and Performance Award

<https://danceprogram.duke.edu/graduate>

Dance Studies Association

The de la Torre First Book and Publication Awards

Gertrude Lippincott Award for best article published in dance studies

Oscar G. Brockett Book Prize for Dance Research for best book published during last 3 years

Research and Leadership Awards

Graduate Student Conference Travel Award

<https://dancestudiesassociation.org/awards#annual-book-and-publication-awards>

American Institute of Indian Studies (and other South Asian countries)

<https://www.indiastudies.org/research-fellowship-programs/>

Junior Fellowships

Senior Research Fellowships

Professional Development Scholarships

Senior Performing and Creative Arts Fellowships

<https://www.indiastudies.org/research-fellowship-programs/categories-of-fellowship/>