



## **BUSCHLEN MOWATT NICHOL FOUNDATION AWARD**

The Buschlen Mowatt Nichol Foundation Award was established in 2024 by the Buschlen Mowatt Nichol Foundation, whose focus is on lifelong learning, education and the arts. It is the principal funder of the Vancouver Biennale's open-air exhibitions and International Residency Program.

**There will be awards given to a student in the following programs. There will be up to five students awarded who meet the award criteria:**

Bachelor of Media Arts	\$1,500
Bachelor of Fine Arts	\$1,500 (excluding Painting)
Bachelor of Design	\$1,500
Masters of Fine Arts	\$1,500
Masters of Design	\$1,500

### **Eligibility:**

Undergraduate Students in their 3<sup>rd</sup> year of study and graduate students in their 1<sup>st</sup> year of study.

### **Instructions:**

Applicants will complete the application which includes a short statement (250 words maximum) describing your practice in relation to the following criteria:

- Your intent to expand your networks and profile onto the international art/design/media stage.
- Your potential as an art and/or design professional upon receiving this award.
- Your anticipated personal and professional impact upon receiving this award.
- Your ability to pursue a career in art/design/media.

### **Format:**

Submissions must be PDF documents of no more than 12 pages. Your submission must include images and the 250-word statement described in the instructions above. If you are submitting a media file, please include the link(s). Submissions must be made to [advancement@ecuad.ca](mailto:advancement@ecuad.ca).

### **Application – please complete the following:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student #: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

- I am including a completed form.
- I am including a statement of intent (250 words).
- I have included imagery/documentation of my work (max. 10 images)
- I incorporated the form, statement and documentation into a single PDF document.
- If I am the successful applicant, I agree to have my name/project published on the Emily Carr websites and social media outlets

**The application deadline is 11:59 pm, February 16, 2026.** Please submit your application + materials by the deadline to [advancement@ecuad.ca](mailto:advancement@ecuad.ca).

**Of Note Regarding this Award:**

Recipients of the Buschlen Mowatt Nichol Foundation Award will be given an opportunity to apply for a grant through the Buschlen Mowatt Nichol Foundation for up to \$3,000 for art and professional development related travel for up to 18 months after receiving the award.