

**COLLEGE OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
BECVAR ARTIST IN RESIDENCE PROGRAM APPLICATION
2018-2019**

This program was endowed in 2006 by Mrs. Arthur N. BecVar in memory of her husband. The diverse creative talents of the BecVar family exemplify the connections this program seeks to nurture between the arts and the health sciences. The program typically carries a stipend of approximately \$1250.00 each semester.

MISSION: The program's mission is to facilitate the examination of the art and science of nursing and the health sciences through the eyes of an undergraduate student working in any of the fine and creative art mediums. The goal is a better understanding of health care work on the part of health care workers themselves and the general public.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION: The Artist in Residence participates in the many activities and lived experiences of faculty, students, patients, and families in the health sciences and creates an artistic response to be shared with the Bellarmine community and the community at large. The Artist works with a Bellarmine faculty mentor/sponsor in his/her chosen artistic discipline. **The applicant must be a full time student in good academic standing holding junior or senior status when in residence.**

NAME: _____

STUDENT ID # _____

MAJOR/MINOR: _____

BELLARMINE MENTOR/SPONSOR'S NAME: _____

TIME PERIOD IN WHICH RESIDENCY WILL OCCUR: _____

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

MENTOR/SPONSOR SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

Artists interested in this project must prepare and submit the following by **October 27, 2017**.

- Completed Artist in Residence Application form**
- Brief cover letter**
- Statement of Purpose:**
 1. Interest in the Program and Personal and Professional Benefits
 2. Overview of Project – an overview of work you would like to pursue in this program, keeping in mind the program’s learning outcomes:

The student will demonstrate knowledge of:

- a) *Both the art and science of professional education in health care, explored through the context of teaching and learning in the College of Health Professions, and demonstrated through a narrative by the artist.*
 - b) *The everyday work and care of the College of Health Professions’ faculty and students with patients and families, demonstrated through an artistic work overseen by a faculty mentor of the work and presented during Undergraduate Research Celebration Week.*
3. Discussion of rationale for selected medium
 4. Plan for interactions with students and faculty in the College of Health Professions so that you are engaged with them as you plan and create your work.

- Current Resume**
- Three professional/academic references familiar with you and /or your work**
- Samples of previous work via CD, DVD, or website link**

APPLICATION PROCESS:

Applications are to be sent to Dr. Mark Wiegand, Assistant Provost, Office of Academic Affairs (Miles 314) by **October 27, 2017**. **Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.**

Applications will be reviewed by a committee comprised of one representative from each of these artistic areas: 1) English and Theatre 2) Music 3) Art 4) School of Communication and the College of Health Professions Artist in Residence Liaison. Their decision will be conveyed from the Office of Academic Affairs to applicants by **December 1, 2017**.