



Emerging Excellence, Women in Architecture Grant

AIA Miami, WIA Grant

AIA Miami and the Women in Architecture Committee are committed to increasing gender diversity in the profession and, as such, supporting and encouraging female voices early in their architectural careers. Although approximately half of all architecture graduates are women, they represent only 39% of ARE licensing completions, 19% of AXP supervisors and only 17% of all US registered architects in 2018.

The WIA Grant supports emerging professional women by assisting grant recipients with the cost of architectural licensure. At least 1 grant of up to \$2,500 will be awarded annually. The number of awards may vary year-to-year based on applications and available funds.

Each grant beneficiary receives AIA Miami community exposure, funds towards architectural licensure and complimentary attendance to the AIA Miami WIA Women's Leadership Summit.

ELIGIBILITY

- Identify as Female
- AIA Miami Associate Membership Required
- Hold an active NCARB record with ARE eligibility
(*AIA Miami Board members are not eligible*)

SCHEDULE

- Open: July 24, 2020
- Deadline: September 4, 2020 by 5pm EST
- Recipient Notification: October 1, 2020
- Official Announcement: AIA Miami WIA Women's Virtual Leadership Summit
October 23 - 25, 2020 (Attendance strongly encouraged)

APPLICATION CRITERIA

Applicant must submit the following:

- WIA Grant Application
- Resume
- Portfolio/Work Sample (maximum of 5 PDF pages with 300 dpi minimum)
- Proof of Active NCARB Record
- Two Letters of Recommendation from a Professional Architectural Peer
- Letter of Interest

Describe how the grant funds will be used, such as ARE testing, ARE study and prep materials, how will funds help your career development, and why should you be awarded funds. (500 word maximum)



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Application receipt deadline: August 28, 2020 by 5pm EST

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All materials are to be submitted together in one PDF file, maximum size 10 mb. Online submissions only, no hard copy applications will be accepted.

None of the submitted materials will be returned to the applicant and may be retained and used by AIA Miami.

Questions? Contact AIA Miami: info@aiami.org

SEND COMPLETED APPLICATION FILE TO INFO@AIAMIAMI.ORG



NAME:

ADDRESS:

PHONE:

EMPLOYER:

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS GRANT:

GENERAL BACKGROUND

Architecture	Landscape Architecture
Interior Design	Preservation
Development	Construction
Engineering	Planning
Academia	Fine Art
Author	Student
Historian	Other (please specify)

HAVE YOU PARTICIPATED IN AIA MIAMI PROGRAMS?

Sketch Tours	Historic Architecture Tours
Women's Leadership Summit	Design Awards Gala
Town Hall Discussions	Educational Programs
Hard Hat Tours	Scavenger Hunts
Committees	List Committee Involvement