MAJOR ARCHITECTURAL SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT

The Joseph L. and Vivian E. Steele Fund of The Foundation for Enhancing Communities designates its income to assist the scholarship of students presently following, or transferring into, an academic program of architecture at the undergraduate or graduate level. Grant awards are to be used to underwrite students' tuition and fees. To be eligible, students must be in the final three years of a Bachelor of Architecture degree or be enrolled in a graduate program leading to a Master of Architecture degree.

The Advisory Panel of The Joseph L. and Vivian E. Steele Fund is comprised of leading architects from the Central Pennsylvania region, the home of Joseph and Vivian Steele. The Advisory Panel reviews formal applications and recommends the recipients of scholarship awards based on the merit of an applicants' academic accomplishments, as well as a determination of financial need.

Applicants to The Steele Fund must maintain a permanent residence in one of the following counties of Central Pennsylvania: Adams, Bedford, Blair, Centre, Clinton, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon, Juniata, Lancaster, Lebanon, Lycoming, Mifflin, Montour, Northumberland, Perry, Snyder, Tioga, Union or York.

The application procedure is a two-stage process and must be followed for all scholarship requests:

Qualification

Potential applicants are invited to submit an initial qualification form, which is reviewed by Foundation staff to determine the students' eligibility for award. Qualified candidates are then notified of their status and invited to submit a detailed and formal application for consideration by the Advisory Panel.

Qualification forms must be submitted by May 15.

Formal Application

Qualified candidates are provided the materials necessary to submit a portfolio, letters of application and reference, and additional documentation in formal application for scholarship funds. Expenses incurred by applicants in the preparation of their portfolios are reimbursed up to $100 by the Steele Fund. Formal applications must be received by the deadline of June 30.

If you wish to apply for scholarship funds, please contact The Foundation for Enhancing Communities at the address listed below. We will be glad to provide greater detail on the scholarship process and to forward necessary application forms:

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The official registration and financial information of The Foundation for Enhancing Communities may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of State by calling toll free within Pennsylvania, 1(800)732-0999. Registration does not imply endorsement.
QUALIFICATION FORM
THE JOSEPH L. AND VIVIAN E. STEELE FUND
ARCHITECTURE SCHOLARSHIP

Name ____________________________ Birthdate _____________

Permanent Pennsylvania Address ____________________________ SS# _____________

County ____________________________ Home Telephone ____________________________ Email ____________________________

School Presently Attending ____________________________

Your Address at School ____________________________

Your Phone Number at School ____________________________ Cell Phone ____________________________

Expected Graduation Date ____________________________ Degree ____________________________

In the up-coming academic year I will be: ______ a graduate student ______ an undergraduate student
(____ year of a ____ year program) (____ year of a ____ year program)

(To be eligible you must be in the final three years of a Bachelors of Architecture Degree, or in a graduate program leading
to a Master of Architecture Degree.)

Financial Aid Received Previously (please list names and amounts) ____________________________ Amount Received
For Previous Year

Scholarships ____________________________ $ _____________

$ _____________

$ _____________

Loans ____________________________ $ _____________

$ _____________

$ _____________

Total ____________________________ $ _____________

$ _____________

Steele Fund architecture scholarships are limited to students who are present or former residents from the following
counties in central PA: Adams, Bedford, Blair, Centre, Clinton, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon,
Juniata, Lancaster, Lebanon, Lycoming, Mifflin, Montour, Northumberland, Perry, Snyder, Tioga, Union or York.

If you are determined eligible to apply for the Joseph L. and Vivian E. Steele Architecture Scholarship, you will be asked
to write a letter of application and to assemble a portfolio, letters of reference and other materials. A description
of application requirements will be mailed to you upon that determination. Qualified students will be reimbursed for the out-
of-pocket costs of portfolio preparation up to $100 whether or not they are ultimately scholarship recipients. Receipts for
these reimbursable expenses will be required.

Qualification forms may be submitted anytime before May 15. Determination of eligibility will be made and a list of
architecture scholarship applications requirements mailed to you within three weeks of the receipt of your qualification
form. The deadline for applications and portfolios is June 30.

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AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE EDUCATIONAL RECORDS
Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 as Amended (FERPA)

I, _____________________________, hereby voluntarily authorize officials in the University of Houston department(s) identified below to disclose personally identifiable information from my educational records. (Please check the box or boxes that apply):

☐ Registrar
☐ Financial Aid
☐ Dean of Student’s Office
☐ Residential Life and Housing
☐ University Advancement
☐ University Studies Division
☐ Other (Please Specify) _____________________________

Specifically, I authorize disclosure of the following information or category of information (Please check the box or boxes that apply):

☐ Grades/Transcripts
☐ Financial Aid
☐ Disciplinary
☐ Housing
☐ Scholarship and/or Honors
☐ Photos
☐ Academic Records
☐ All University Records
☐ Other (Please Specify) _____________________________

This information may be released to _____________________________ for the purpose of informing:

☐ Family
☐ Educational Institution
☐ Employer/Prospective Employer
☐ Public or Media of Scholarship, Honor or Award
☐ Other (Please Specify) _____________________________

I understand the information may be released orally or in the form of copies of written records, as preferred by the requester. This authorization will remain in effect from the date it is executed until revoked by me, in writing, and delivered to Department(s) identified above.

__________________________________________  ____________
Student Name (Please Print)  Student I.D Number

__________________________________________
Student Signature

__________________________________________
Date