



KENNETH B MYER AWARD FOR EXCEPTIONAL TALENT

The Kenneth B Myer Award for Exceptional Talent aims to select and support emerging talent in the screen production landscape.

It provides up to \$20,000 to support an exceptional graduate in the first year following their graduation by supporting them in an attachment to a creative person or organisation, in Australia or overseas.

Applicants must outline a proposal for an attachment to a creative individual or organisation indicating how this attachment will support their further career.

Applicants for this award must demonstrate exceptional creative potential, a strong interest in a creative career in screen arts and broadcasting and potential for innovation and leadership at the highest level.

The 2011 Award will be presented at Graduation on Friday 9 December 2011.

All students graduating in 2011 are eligible.

The recipient will be required to deliver a report to Director, Corporate and Student Services within 6 weeks of the conclusion of the attachment. A copy will be held in the library, and all or part of the report may be used by AFTRS (and its licensees) for educational, archival, acquittal, reporting and other governance purposes, and to promote AFTRS, the Kenneth B Myer Award, or both.

In the event that, for any reason, the recipient is not able to fulfil all the requirements of the award, they should immediately inform the Director, Corporate and Student Services. If it is not possible to find an appropriate alternative, the recipient may be required to return some or all of the funds.

Selection Criteria:

Selection will be based on a written application, a portfolio, and a CV. Final selection may be made by interview.

Applicants are required to supply the following:

- An outline of their proposal,
- A biography or outline of the person/organisation they are seeking an attachment to,
- A letter of intent agreeing to the attachment from the person or organisation,
- A CV,
- A portfolio of their work (3 copies).

A short list will be drawn up by AFTRS staff and submitted to a panel for consideration. Final selection may be by interview.

The panel's selection will be final, and no correspondence will be entered into. The panel reserves the right to make no award if they deem there are no suitable applications.

Applications in a suitably labelled sealed envelope should be delivered to Charlene Coleman in Student Services by **5pm on Friday October 14 2011, or posted to:**

Kenneth B Myer Award for Exceptional Talent
KBM Award for Exceptional Talent
Student Services
Australian Film Television and Radio School
PO Box 2286
Strawberry Hills NSW 2012

Important information for applicants:

Funds received from this application may be considered as part of your income in a financial year and therefore subject to tax. Please note AFTRS cannot give advice about taxation or legal issues so you should consider approaching your financial adviser for specialist advice.