THE ROBERT MAPPLETHORPE FOUNDATION

PHOTOGRAPHY GRANT PROPOSAL GUIDELINES

The Robert Mapplethorpe Foundation provides support for museums and other public institutions to expand photography programming, including acquisitions, exhibitions, and publications. As the beneficiary of Robert Mapplethorpe's Estate, the Foundation has made contributions in the form of artworks or gifts of money to qualifying applicants. In the appropriate circumstance, the Foundation will also assist independent curators in developing interesting photography exhibitions.

The Foundation does not provide scholarships or grants to individual photographers.

If a project falls within the Foundation's Guidelines, applicants should provide in writing a description of the project, including but not limited to: details about the applicant and institution; other financial resources obtained or sought; a project budget; full descriptions and qualifications of personnel involved; a selection of artwork(s) included or desired; and any other relevant information.

Please submit all pre-submission inquiries as well as final proposal materials via email to Joree Adilman: joree@mapplethorpe.org.