Artist Minigrant Application
Proposal to Fund Summer Internship Housing
Project Title: Entertainment Industries Council Internship
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To the Director of the Miller Arts Scholars, Michael Rasbury,

My name is Taylor Lamb. I am a second-year Miller Arts Scholar, requesting to be funded in the form of a Miller Arts Scholar Artist Minigrant to support the costs of housing for a summer internship at the Entertainment Industries Council.

The Entertainment Industries Council is a non-profit organization founded by leaders in the entertainment industry to provide information, awareness, and understanding of major health and social issues among the entertainment industries and to audiences at large. EIC educates, serves as a resource to, and recognizes writers, directors, producers, performers, and more who are committed to making a difference through their art.

I have been offered a position to serve as Entertainment Industries Council's Intern for the summer of 2016. As an intern, I will be doing a variety of tasks including but not limited to: writing press releases, social media, and blogs, and assisting in the production of events such as the PRISM awards: an awards ceremony with the purpose of recognizing writers, producers, directors, musicians, actors, and actresses for their authentic storytelling of mental illness and substance abuse issues. Working as an intern here will give me a very unique experience to work for the entertainment industry and policy-oriented programs to encourage the accurate depiction of health and social issues in television, film, and in music and music videos. I will also be able to compile a portfolio of my own work.

The Entertainment Industries Council is located in Reston, Virginia, which is over three hours from where I live. I have secured housing in Fairfax, Virginia, where I will be subletting a room twenty minutes away from the location of my job. My internship will start June  $1^{\rm st}$  and will end August  $12^{\rm th}$ . I will be living in Fairfax the duration of this time.

Therefore, I am asking that the Director of the Miller Arts Scholars consider funding part of my housing costs. I will cover the additional costs that this grant will not.

Thank you for your time and consideration!

Taylor Lamb Class of 2018

## Budget

Cost Category	Amount
Subletter Fee	\$300
Rent for June 1st-June 30th	\$650
Rent for July 1st-31st	\$650
Rent for August 1st- August 14th	\$330
	<b>Total:</b> \$1,930
	Funds Requested: \$500