

# CALIFORNIA RARE BOOK SCHOOL: 2013 SCHOLARSHIP SUPPLEMENT

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Applications for a CalRBS scholarship will be accepted until 15 June 2013 for courses offered in Weeks 1 & 2. The CalRBS Director will notify scholarship applicants about awards *via* email on 30 June 2013. Applications for courses offered in Week 3 will be accepted until 15 September 2013 and notified on 30 September 2013.

CalRBS scholarship applications may be submitted by mail (single-sided, please), fax, or email. Electronic documents should be sent as email attachments (PDFs are preferred; please, no TIFFs or JPGs). If you are in doubt about the appropriate electronic format, we encourage you to mail or fax your application. All materials (including recommendations) must be submitted (or post-marked) by the above deadline. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered. To compete for a CalRBS scholarship, please provide the following:

1. A completed copy of this supplement form. (Note: If you are applying for additional support from other sources and have not yet secured funding, please answer the questions based on the information you have at the time of the application deadline. Be sure to check only one box for each question. Use your personal statement to explain any complexities.
2. A current *résumé* or *curriculum vitae* (no longer than two pages).
3. A confidential letter of recommendation. This letter should be sent to CalRBS directly *via* any of the methods listed above. The person writing your recommendation should include the following sentence at the top of his or her letter: "This is a letter of recommendation for [your name], who is applying for a scholarship to California Rare Book School."
4. A personal statement (no longer than one page) in which you also:
  - a. Explain how you anticipate attending CalRBS will help you in developing your professional skills.
  - b. Explain why receiving this scholarship is necessary for you. If you are currently employed, please explain the likelihood of receiving institutional support for tuition, travel, housing, *etc.*, or the circumstances that might preclude such support.

## CONTACT INFORMATION<sup>1</sup>

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Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Mr/Ms \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

## COURSE (Indicate the course you are applying for a scholarship to attend.)

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5–9 August, 2013 (Week 1)

- Born Digital/Digital Collections
- The Renaissance Book, 1400-1650
- Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts
- Rare Books for Scholars and Archivists

12–16 August, 2013 (Week 2)

- Artists' Books
- Descriptive Bibliography
- History of the Book, 200-1820
- Preservation Stewardship of Library Collections
- History of the Book in Hispanic America, 16th-19th Centuries

4–8 November, 2013 (Week 3)

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- Books of the Far West, with an Emphasis on California
- History, Identification, and Preservation of Photographic Materials
- History of Cartography/Maps

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<sup>1</sup> If you receive a scholarship, CalRBS may contact you to follow-up about your experience. When providing contact information, please consider the likelihood of our contacting you 1–3 months after you receive your award.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** (Select only one answer for each question.)

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- Have you taken a CalRBS course in the past?  Yes  No
- Have you received a CalRBS scholarship in the past?  Yes  No
- Have you attended other book-related continuing education program(s)?  Yes  No
- Have you received a scholarship to attend another book-related continuing education program?  Yes  No
- Are you an art librarian/art historian or studying to become one?  Yes  No
- Are you a mid-career librarian (3-5 years experience)?  Yes  No
- If you receive a scholarship, how will you cover your housing expenses to take your CalRBS course?
- My institution will pay for all (or almost all) of my housing expenses.
  - My institution will pay for 50% or less of my housing expenses; I will cover the rest personally.
  - I will cover all of my housing expenses.  Yes  No
  - Not applicable: I will stay with friends, or I will commute.
  - Other: \_\_\_\_\_
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- If you receive a scholarship, how will you cover your travel expenses to take your CalRBS course?
- My institution will pay for all (or almost all) of my long-distance travel expenses.
  - My institution will pay for 50% or less of my long-distance travel expenses; I will cover the rest personally.
  - I will cover all of my long-distance travel expenses.
  - I will cover all of my travel expenses, but I live close to CalRBS and it won't be a big problem to cover them myself.
  - Not applicable: I will only have local travel expenses.

**RECOMMENDER INFORMATION**

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Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Mr/Ms \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_ Division \_\_\_\_\_

Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known your recommender and in what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

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