About Us

Arts Out Loud is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization whose mission is to support and empower Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer young adults pursuing careers in film, theatre, dance, or music with scholarships and mentoring to enable them to achieve their career goals.

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About Our Scholarships

Dream Out Loud Scholarship provides post-secondary education scholarships to current and future artists in the LGBTQ community. We understand the importance of a quality education and created our scholarships to enable students to better focus on their career goals. Our scholarships are specifically for students pursuing any area of film, theatre, dance, or music. Since we want to encourage and empower our scholarship recipients, we also provide a professional mentor for a full school year. Each year, Arts Out Loud awards a minimum of 4 scholarships in the amount of $1000 to qualified LGBTQ students. At least 25% of these scholarships will always be awarded to Pittsburgh students!
Eligibility Requirements

- Write an essay of between 500 – 1500 words telling us about your first performance or film, how it felt, and how it inspired you to keep moving forward. Two letters of recommendation from your educators that can speak on your skill level and talent.
- Link to your portfolio or reel.
- Currently enrolled in, or accepted into an accredited four-year college or university.
- Identify as LGBTQ.
- Citizen of the United States.

Who Can Apply

Any high school senior accepted to attend a four-year college or university by the time of the award, or a full-time student attending a four-year college or university in the US. Students must carry a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better.

When To Submit By

Students must submit their applications by February 28, 2018 to be considered for the Fall 2018 semester.

Award Amount

Four awards of up to $1000 each are awarded yearly.

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