## Lazzara Scholarship Competition Guidelines

THE LAZZARA SCHOLARSHIPS. GENEROUSLY FUNDED BY THE LAZZARA FAMILY, ARE AWARDED ANNUALLY TO OUTSTANDING & PROMISING STUDENTS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ART + DESIGN.

## To Qualify:

Candidates must be enrolled full-time, be Art + Design majors, have a minimum 3.0 GPA and have at least 24 credit hours remaining to be completed in their program of study. Seniors with fewer than 24 credit hours remaining to be completed may apply, but awards will be adjusted according to remaining hours.

Lazzara Scholars will be required to exhibit their work in the Fall semester following their award at an annual scholarship recipient exhibition at UNF. Art History recipients will be required to prepare a statement or a portion of a research paper that they will present at the exhibition. Other forms of publication may also be an option.

In order to be considered for a Lazzara scholarship, the selection committee requires you to submit the following materials:

- 1) Personal Statement: Submit a personal statement of approximately 500 words that addresses the following: your reasons for pursuing a degree in Art, Design or Art History; your motivation as an artist/scholar/graphic designer; your educational and/or professional goals after college; and any other relevant insights about yourself and your work as a student that you can offer to the committee.
- 2) Portfolio/Writing Sample: If your major concentration is studio art or graphic design, submit 8-10 digital images of your work that you feel best represent your abilities and your artistic goals. Label your images with: Name, Title, Medium and Date (see below for specific formatting and submitting instructions). If your major concentration is Art History, submit a writing sample that best reflects your scholarly abilities and intellectual perspective.
- 3) Résumé: Your résumé must include your name, address, email, phone number, major and/or minor, cumulative GPA and your expected graduation date. Other information may include activities; awards; abilities; work experience; exhibitions; participation in master classes or academic conferences; honors and awards; study abroad experiences; volunteer and extracurricular activities; and languages competencies.

## **Submission Guidelines:**

Submit a single PDF file no larger that 50 MB containing your: Personal Statement, Portfolio or Writing Sample and Résumé. Upload your PDF to Blackboard no later than February 10, 2014. Contact Regan Bartley in the Department of Art + Design main office for access to the Blackboard site where you can upload your appropriate files. If you have any questions regarding your submission or the requirements outlined above please contact Regan Bartley 620-4037, r.bartley@unf.edu.