

## MIT Arts Scholars

### APPLICATION

Deadline: Wednesday, October 14, 2009; 5:00PM. *Late Applications will NOT be considered.*

Submit all application materials to:

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Name:

Class Year:

Course:

Telephone number:

Email address:

MIT address:

Arts Fields (check all that apply)

WRITING	[ ]	THEATER ARTS	[ ]
VISUAL ARTS	[ ]	DANCE	[ ]
ARCHITECTURE	[ ]	MEDIA ARTS	[ ]
MUSIC	[ ]	OTHER: _____	[ ]

### APPLICATION MATERIALS

- This sheet (completed in its entirety)
- Personal statement: A one to two page essay explaining your involvement and interests in the arts and specific interest in the program. Please include information about your arts experience both at MIT and elsewhere. Describe and if possible include evidence of past collaborative or interdisciplinary art projects.
- Brief bio: describing the student's arts interest and other hobbies (approx. 100 words).
- Letter of recommendation: Should be from someone who is familiar with the applicant's work, preferably an MIT arts faculty or staff member. Please do not use peers as recommenders.
- (Optional) Supporting materials: Students are welcome to bring supporting materials in the form of a portfolio, writing sample, photographs, web page, or recording to their interviews (please plan to bring your laptop to show supporting material if needed).

### INTERVIEW

An interview is required as part of the application process. Candidates will schedule a combined interview to be held between October 19 and November 6 with a member of the selection committee and a current Arts Scholar. Contact information will be provided after the application is received.

### SELECTION

Arts Scholars will be chosen by a committee made up of the interviewers, Arts Scholars Officers, the Director and the Program Coordinator of the Student and Artist-in-Residence division of the Office of the Arts, and the Director of the Council for the Arts at MIT. All parts of the application process will be weighed in the selection process.

Applicants will be notified of their status by November 12, 2009. Accepted Arts Scholars are required to attend the Spring semester meeting that will take place on February 7, 2010 from 11:00AM-4:00PM.