



**The Italian  
Cultural Society**  
of Washington D.C.

is pleased to announce:

## ICS Awards for students under the age of 31

1. **The Elena and Antonio De Luca Award** honors one university student who has excelled in the study of **Latin and/or Greek** with a \$1,000 award. (Donor: Luigi De Luca)
2. **The Luciana Montanari-Mendola Awards** provides one \$1,000 award for a university or conservatory student showing promise in piano performance, and one \$800 award for a high-school age pianist showing promise in piano performance. Examples of recordings must accompany your application and must include one piece for solo piano by Frederick Chopin. (Donor: Silvana De Luca)
3. **The Anna Menapace Award** provides one \$500 award to a high-school student who excels in the art of painting. (Donor: Silvana De Luca)
4. **The Patricia Segnan Award** provides one \$1000 award to a university student who has excelled in the creation of Art or the study of Art and Art History. (Donor: Romeo Segnan)

### Required application material for the aforementioned awards:

- o College transcripts or, for high school awards, high-school transcripts
- o Three letters of recommendation
- o An essay written by the applicant describing why the applicant is a valid contender for the award.
- o A short biographical presentation of the candidate (curriculum vitae)
- o Other documentation that demonstrates the ability of the candidate, such as publications by and/or about the candidate, photographs, CDs, a portfolio of works, etc.

To be eligible, applicants must not have reached their 31st birthday by May 1. The winner is invited and will receive the Award **at our annual Gala (usually at the Italian Embassy)**

APPLICATIONS DEADLINE: May 15th. Send to:

Via email to [language@italianculturalsociety.org](mailto:language@italianculturalsociety.org) OR Via mail: Awards Committee - The Italian Cultural Society - 4833 Rugby Ave., Suite #201 - Bethesda, MD 20814 Read about other Scholarship Awards at <http://www.italianculturalsociety.org/get-involved/awards-scholarships/>