



Docomomo US/Chicago Travel Grant

Docomomo US/Chicago is pleased to offer a travel grant for one student or emerging professional to attend and participate in the 2024 Docomomo US National Symposium in Miami, FL, May 29-June 1, 2024.

The Docomomo US/Chicago Travel Grant provides financial support for students and emerging professionals committed to the documentation and conservation of Modern buildings, landscapes, and allied arts. The intention of the travel grant is to enable one individual to participate in the Docomomo US 2024 National Symposium.

The 2024 Docomomo US/Chicago Travel Grant provides a single grant of \$1,000 for related expenses, including (but not limited to):

- Registration to the National Symposium
- Travel expenses to and from the Symposium
- Lodging, meals, and transportation expenses during the Symposium

Grant recipients will be responsible for arranging their own travel and accommodations.

Eligibility

The grant is open to current undergraduate, graduate, and doctoral students enrolled in established institutions of higher learning, as well as emerging professionals who have graduated within the past three years. Preference will be given to students and emerging professionals from Chicago and the surrounding states of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Missouri, and Wisconsin.

Applicants must be actively engaged in issues concerning the documentation and conservation of buildings, sites, neighborhoods, or allied arts of the Modern Movement in the Chicago/Midwest region. "Documentation" may be in the form of research or scholarship, such as thesis or class projects, related to architecture, design, or planning topics associated with the 20th Century Modern Movement. Applicants are asked to demonstrate their committed interest in the subject and how the scholarship will meaningfully advance their goals or work.

How to Apply

Email the following materials as an attachment (Word or PDF) to info@docomomo-chicago.org with the subject line "Symposium Grant Application."

1. **Statement** (in English, 500 words maximum) that explains how this grant will meaningfully advance your goals, scholarship, or work. Please discuss:
 - Your research interests in the Modern Movement in Chicago or the Midwest and how your research will contribute to the scholarship or body of knowledge on Midwestern Modernist architecture and design
 - What you hope to learn and accomplish by attending the Docomomo US National Symposium
2. **Curriculum vitae**, portfolio, or resume (2 pages maximum)
3. **Proof of educational enrollment** (where applicable)

Deadlines

Applications are due by March 29, 2024 at 11:59 p.m. CST. The grant recipient will be notified in mid-April 2024.