The Christie's Grant for Nazi-era Restitution

The Christie's Grant for Nazi-era Restitution is a new initiative launched by Christie's to recognize and support the emerging generation of researchers, who have already identified the need for research on this topic and are working to fill the gap in knowledge of Nazi looted art.

Christie's will be supporting a new, emerging generation of researchers with this Grant, which is an important addition to the Christie's Long-term programme of events spotlighting the history of art and culture, Christie's Restitution, and the history of Restitution.

The Christie's Grant is open to all researchers, but with a focus on emerging researchers. Christie's is delighted to be working with Christie's Fund, who will be providing the financial support for the Grant.

Applications will be accepted from 1 April – 31 May 2023. Christie's will be supporting 18 months of research, and the Grant beneficiaries will be offered professional mentorship by a member of Christie's international Restitution team.

The application process

The application process will be open to submissions from researchers who are working on the history of Nazi looted art and who are interested in the application of provenance research in the field of art history.

Applications should include the following:

- Curriculum vitae
- Confirmation of enrolment at an academic institution on a post-graduate programme (including date of thesis submission)
- An outline of current or proposed research topic (1,000 – 2,000 words)
- Any additional information supporting alignment with the Christie's Fund goals.

Applications should be submitted via email to Restitution2023@christies.com.

To learn more about the Holocaust please visit: Yad Vashem, Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe, The Holocaust Memorial Centre,de Paume.

Follow the application to submit your application:

Submit application

About this Grant

Christie's launches year-long global programme of events spotlighting the history of art and culture, Christie's Restitution, and the history of Restitution. Reflecting on Restitution: 25 Years of the Washington Principles in 2023 ensures continued focus on this vital topic, as well as providing support to a new, emerging generation of researchers.

These grants are made possible with the support of the Christie's Fund.