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Tombow Announces 2022 Art Scholarship Recipients

ATLANTA – Two promising art students have been awarded Tombow’s Create Your Best Work Art Scholarship for the 2022-2023 academic year.

Upon reviewing all applications, the judging panel named Anna Vyshegorodtseva, a rising freshman at the School of Visual Arts, as the \$5,000 grand prize scholarship winner; along with Alyssa Dorton, a sophomore at Savannah College of Art and Design, as the \$2,500 runner-up.

This year’s panel of judges included Thomas Burns, Professor of Illustration at the Savannah College of Art and Design; Tim Jeffs, a Creative Director in publishing as well as author/illustrator and graduate of the Parsons School of Design; and Clara Lieu, founder of Art Prof. The judges evaluated each applicant’s submissions on composition and design, skill and technique, creativity and originality, and craftsmanship and presentation.

“I am very excited and honored to receive this scholarship. I can’t wait to use the products as I start my first year at the School of Visual Arts in New York City,” said grand prize winner Anna Vyshegorodtseva.

In addition to their scholarships, each student will receive \$500 worth of Tombow products to use in the coming academic year, and the art departments of the high schools they graduated from will also receive a \$500 package of Tombow products.

“We are proud to support students in pursuing their dreams,” said Tombow’s Chief Marketing Director Cathy Daniel. “It is inspiring to see the next generation of creatives using our products as they continue their art education.”

Five additional students will receive product-only awards in the amount of \$100. The students receiving those awards are Alyssa Dutka, a rising freshman at Savannah College of Art and Design; Eleanor Nielson, a recent graduate at Crescent Valley High School; Evy Hondros, a rising sophomore at Savannah College of Art and Design; Anna Fischler, a rising sophomore at the Rhode Island School of Design; and Izma Anwar a rising junior at Savannah College of Art and Design.

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