# Scholarship and Award Information 2018

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Alegre Retreat Annual Scholarship – This annual scholarship was created in 2010 to help quilters who are facing a hardship and might not otherwise be able to attend the Alegre Retreat. Sponsored by the "Hats off to Alegre" hat auction from the 2010 Alegre Retreat, this special award was made possible when each of the instructors decorated a ball cap in their signature style. All were auctioned off on the final day of the retreat, raising enough money to sponsor one quilter for the following year! This has now changed from hats to purses!

**YEA Award** – The Alegre Retreat Young Emerging Artist Award is to encourage young artists to enter the art quilt field.

This year's YEA scholarship is sponsored in part by Maureen Hendricks, Katie's Collections by Katiepm, Hannah Silks by Brooke Exly, and Martelli Notions.

### To Apply For The Alegre Retreat Annual Scholarship Or The YEA Award -

**By Mail:** Interested applicants must be under 30 years of age on or before April 22, 2018 for the YEA Award, and any age for the Annual Scholarship. Applicants must submit: a CD containing 10 images of your work, a one-page essay (250-500 words) that explains what it means to you to attend an Alegre Retreat.

For both scholarships, please submit the above to:

Alegre Retreat Scholarships C/O Katiepm 3236 Church St Fortuna, CA 95540

All applications and materials must be received by no later than November 16, 2017 For qualifying submissions a lottery selection process will be used to determine the winners.

#### **Apply by Email:**

Send an email with the following to Katiepm: Katie@Katiepm.com: 10 images of your work, a one-page essay (250-500 words) that explains what it means to you to attend an Alegre Retreat. All submissions must be received no later than November 16, 2017.

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## For additional information or to register, please call: 970-931-2647 or email: info@gatewaycanyons.com or katie@katiepm.com