



TEXAS WOMAN'S UNIVERSITY™

THE PAULINE BISHOP LEMAN MEMORIAL AWARD GUIDELINES

Deadline for Nominations: Friday, February 18, 2022

A beautiful bronze memorial plaque was presented to the Texas Woman's University during the Commencement of 1930 by Mr. Brooks W. Leman of Chicago. This gift was made in memory of his wife, Pauline Bishop Leman, a graduate of Texas Woman's University.

In keeping with the wishes of Mr. Leman, this memorial carries with it an **annual award to the graduating senior or master's student who has made "the most outstanding artistic achievement"** during the school year. The student thus designated will have her/his name placed upon a bronze plate at the base of the plaque and will receive a small plaque featuring a medallion of Mrs. Leman as well as a scholarship, to be applied toward graduate education in the TWU Graduate School within three years of receiving the award. Awards have been given to students of varied majors for their creative ability and accomplishments in art, poetry and short stories, dramatic roles, music, dance, fashion design, photography, and other artistic and creative contributions.

The following general rules guide the selection of the recipient for this award by the Leman Awards Committee:

1. All TWU seniors or master's students scheduled to graduate in May 2022, August 2022, or December 2022 are eligible to receive the Pauline Bishop Leman Memorial Award.
2. Not more than three students shall be nominated by any one academic unit.
3. The annual award is made for "outstanding artistic contribution" rather than for excellence of the student's general scholastic record.
4. The student must be nominated by an academic component. The academic component leader submits a letter which includes the following:
 - The student's name, Colleague ID, major, level, and email address
 - A clear and complete explanation of how the student's work constitutes "outstanding artistic contribution"
 - Attachments which illustrate the artistic contribution (photographs, programs, portfolio, etc.)
5. Nominations including the nomination letter and any attachments must be received at oevp@twu.edu by Friday, February 18, 2022. For further information, contact the Office of the Executive Vice Provost at oevp@twu.edu.