Past VRA Travel Awards Recipients

2016 VRA/ARLIS Joint Conference, Seattle

Luraine Tansey/VRA Travel Awards

- Marie Elia, University of Buffalo
- Bonnie Rosenberg, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago
- Barbara Elam, Bard Graduate Center
- Hannah Unsderfer, Regis University Library
- Whitney Gaylord, University of Chicago

International Travel Award

- Marika Sarvilhati, Aalto University Library

New Horizons Travel Award

- Jessica Gutacker, Franklin & Marshall College
- Sarah Gillis, Worcester Art Museum

New Horizons Student Travel Award

- Kendra Werst, Indiana University, Bloomington

Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award

- Allison Gillette, Shelburne Museum

2015 VRA Annual Conference, Denver

Luraine Tansey/VRA Travel Awards

- Linda Callahan, Mount Holyoke College
- Michael Donovan, University of Chicago
• Sarah Gillis, Worcester Museum of Art
• Beth Wodnick Haas, Princeton University
• Hannah Marshall, Cornell University
• Molly Schoen, University of Michigan
• Jennifer Kniesch, Dickinson College

**Lurain Tansey Memorial Award**
• Marie Elia, University at Buffalo

**Archivision International Travel Award**
• Frances Narkiewicz, Trinity College Dublin

**New Horizons Travel Award**
• Vanessa Miller, College for Creative Studies
• Leah Rios, University of Arizona

**New Horizons Student Travel Award**
• Keri Marken, Corita Art Center/UCLA

**Gallery Systems Travel Award**
• Ann Walt Stallings, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum

**Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award**
• Rosanna Meindl, Rhodes College

**Member Challenge Award**
• Inga Theissen, Macallester College
2014 VRA Annual Conference, Milwaukee

Luraine Tansey/VRA Travel Award

- Morgan Bell, University of Washington
- Jasmine Burns, University of Wisconsin
- Marie Elia, University at Buffalo
- Jen Green, Plymouth State University
- Stephen Jennings, Harvard University
- Brenda Lozano, Moraine Valley Community College
- Jenni Rodda, Institute of Fine Arts, NYU
- Molly Tighe, Mattress Factory and Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra

International Award:

- Sarah Butterill, OCAD University

The Gallery Systems Travel Award

- Ana Cox, Phoenix Art Museum

Scholars Resource Travel Award

- Karen Kessel, Sonoma State University

The Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award

- Vicki Sipe, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

New Horizons Travel Awards

- Heather Lowe, California State University San Bernardino
• Maureen Burns, IMAGinED Consulting

New Horizons Student Travel Award

• Helen Mary Sheridan, Northwestern University and student at University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
• Robert Tyler Kohl Memorial Award
• Amy Robinson, University for the Creative Arts (UCA)

2013 VRA Annual Conference, Providence

Luraine Tansey/VRA Travel Award

• Marlene Gordon, University of Michigan-Dearborn
• Bridget Madden, University of Chicago
• Katherine Moloney, Amon Carter Museum of American Art
• Abby Dansiger, Academy of Art University
• Yvonne Lee, Placa Project
• Jeanette Mills, University of Washington
• Claire Parker, University of Western Ontario

Archivision Travel Award

• Marta Bustillo, National College of Art and Design, Dublin, Ireland

The Gallery Systems Travel Award

• Krystal Boehlert, J Paul Getty Museum

Scholars Resource Travel Award

• Maggie Murphy, Queens College (CUNY)
The Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award

- Althea Greenan, Goldsmiths, University of London

New Horizons Travel Awards

- Sheryl Frisch, CalPoly, San Luis Obispo
- Allison Olsen, University of New Hampshire

New Horizons Student Travel Award

- Melissa Gill, University of Washington

The Davis Art Images Travel Award

- Xiaoli Ma, Purchase College Library

Joseph C. Taormina Memorial Travel Award

- Jason Hosford, University of California Berkeley

2012 VRA Annual Conference, Albuquerque

Luraine Tansey/VRA Travel Award

- Teodora Bozhilova, University of California, Riverside
- Sarah Christensen, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
- Rosemary DeRidder, Queens College CUNY
- Shalimar Fojas White, Dumbarton Oaks Research Library
- Meghan Musolff, University of Michigan
- Beth Wodnick, Princeton University
The Gallery Systems Travel Award
  • Molly Tighe, The Mattress Factory Museum

The Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award
  • Teresa Transou, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Tansey Fund International Award
  • Rosalyn Scott, ProQuest, UK

New Horizons Travel Awards
  • Joshua Lynn, Minneapolis Institute of Arts
  • Louise Putman, University of Massachusetts, Boston

New Horizons Student Travel Award
  • Emily Vigor, San Jose State University School of Library and Information Science

The Davis Art Images Travel Award
  • Sheryl Frisch, California Polytechnic State University

Joseph C. Taormina Memorial Travel Award
  • Kimberly Jones, University of Texas, Austin
2011 VRA Annual Conference, Minneapolis

Luraine Tansey/VRA Travel Awards

- Barbara Brenny, North Carolina State University
- Whitney Gaylord, University of Chicago
- Sonja Staum, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis
- Kelly Smith, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, School of Information and Library Science

The Gallery Systems Travel Award

- Sarah Christensen, University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign

The Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award

- Yamuna Ravindran, Royal Academy of Arts, Collections and Library, London

International Award (via Anonymous Donor)

- Grainne Loughran, University of Ulster, School of Art and Design, Belfast

New Horizons Travel Awards

- Julia Cook, University for Creative Arts, Farnham, England
- Maggie Hanson, Portland Art Museum
- Anne Hepburn, Pacific Northwest College of Art

New Horizons Student Travel Award

- Emilee Mathews, Indiana University, MLIS program

The Davis Art Images Travel Award
• Jennifer Kniesch, Dickinson College

**Joseph C. Taormina Memorial Travel Award**

• Jen Green, Plymouth State University

**2010 VRA Annual Conference, Atlanta**

**Luraine Tansey/VRA Travel Awards**

• Stephanie Beene, Lewis and Clark College
• Carolyn Caizzi, Yale University
• Lesley Chapman, University of Kentucky
• Leigh Gates, Formerly Art Institute of Chicago
• Jason Miller, University of California at Berkeley
• Karin Whalen, Reed College

**Luraine Tansey/VRA Top-Up Travel Awards**

• Grace Barth, MLIS student at the University of South Carolina/James Madison University
• Madelyn Millen, University of California/Riverside
• Amanda Rybin, University of Chicago
• Jessica Thomson, MLIS student at Dominican University/Northwestern University
• Catherine Worrall, University College, Falmouth, UK
The Saskia, Ltd. International Travel Award

- Janice Anderson, Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada
- The Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award
- Joshua Polansky, University of Washington, Seattle

Archivision, Inc. Travel Award

- Caitlin Pereira, Massachusetts College of Art and Design

New Horizons Travel Awards

- Yin-Fen Pao, Grand Valley State University
- Carey Weber, Fairfield University

New Horizons Student Travel Award

- Stephanie Witchger, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, MLIS program

The Davis Art Images Travel Award

- Susan Hackett, University of Hartford

Joseph C. Taormina Memorial Travel Award

- Rebecca Moss, University of Minnesota

2009 VRA Annual Conference, Toronto

Luraine Tansey/VRA Travel Awards

- Michael Donovan, DePaul University
- Julie Doring, Duke University
• Adrienne Lai, MLIS student at University of British Columbia
• Kevin Ford, Columbia College
• Astrid Otey, Miami University, Ohio
• Amanda Rybin, University of Chicago
• Elizabeth Schaub, The University of Texas at Austin
• Andrea Schuler, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
• Heather Seneff, University of Washington/Seattle
• Catherine Worrall, University College, Falmouth, UK

Luraine Tansey/VRA Top-Up Travel Awards
• Mark Braunstein, Connecticut College
• Carolyn Caizzi, Yale University
• Pamela R. Hawkes, College of William and Mary
• Zaneta Hong, The University of Texas at Austin
• Anita Regan, Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia
• Betha L. Whitlow, Washington University in St. Louis
• Beth Wodnick, Princeton University

The Saskia, Ltd. International Travel Award
• Birgit Plietzsch, University of St. Andrews, Scotland

The Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award
• Erik McRae, University of Alberta
The Gallery Systems Travel Award

• Jodie Double, University of Minnesota

New Horizons Travel Awards

• Deardra Fuzzell, The College of Wooster
• Maria Lindsay, Utah State University

New Horizons Student Travel Award

• Keri Kauffman, Ryerson University/George Eastman House Master’s Program

The Davis Art Images Travel Award

• Mary Hughes, Northeastern University

Joseph C. Taormina Memorial Travel Awards

• Ryan Brubacher, Occidental University
• Francine Stock, Tulane University

2008 VRA Annual Conference, San Diego

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards

• Virginia Allison, Watkins College of Art & Design
• Greta Bahnemann, Cornell University
• Shannon Cody, University of Iowa
• Jamie McFarlane, John Michael Kohler Arts Center
• Aino Tolme, Asian Art Museum
• Debra Winters, California State University, Fullerton

Luraine Tansey Top-Up Travel Awards

• Barbara Brenny, North Carolina State University
• Denise Hattwig, University of Washington, Bothell
• Christine E. Hilker, University of Arkansas
• Meghan Musolff, University of Michigan

Davis Art Images International Corporate Travel Award

• Yvonne Anderson, Grant McEwan College, Edmonton, Alberta

Saskia, Ltd. International Corporate Travel Award

• Yolanda Koscielski, University of British Columbia and the Emily Carr Institute of Art & Design, Vancouver, British Columbia

Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award

• Betsy Bress, University of Wyoming

Archivision Corporate Travel Award

• Elizabeth Ehrnst, Roger Williams University

Gallery Systems Corporate Travel Award

• Krista White, Drew University
2007 VRA Annual Conference, Kansas City

Lurain Tansey Travel Awards

- Jessica Bailey, Pennsylvania State University
- Becky Baldwin, Emory University
- Sarah Carter, Indiana University Vicki Clift, Appalachian State University
- Trudy Levy, Image Integration
- Jennifer Patton, University of California, Riverside

Lurain Tansey Top-Up Awards

- Megan Macken, University of Chicago
- Lorrie A. McAllister, The Ohio State University
- Tammy Moorse, University of Toronto at Mississauga
- Tricia Rose-Sandler, University of California, San Diego

Kathe Hicks Albrecht Travel Award

- Jennifer Green, University of Minnesota

Archivision Corporate Travel Award

- Wendy Holden, Studio 504

Gallery Systems Corporate Travel Award

- Emy Nelson Decker, University of Georgia

Saskia, Ltd. International Corporate Travel Award

- Vicky Brown, University of Oxford
Davis Art Images International Corporate Travel Award

• Heather Saunders, University of Toronto

2006 VRA Annual Conference, Baltimore

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards

• Domenica Chincarini, La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia
• Janice Eklund, University of California, Berkeley
• Marlene Gordon, University of Michigan, Dearborn
• Amy Jackson, Indiana State University
• Katherine O’Dell, The Sarofim School of Fine Arts, Southwestern University

Archivision Corporate Travel Award

• Jennifer Parker, University of Colorado, Boulder

Gallery Systems Corporate Travel Award

• Caitlain Devereaux Lewis, University at Albany, State University of New York

2005 VRA Annual Conference, Miami Beach

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards

• Johanna Bauman, Bard Graduate Center for Studies in the Decorative Arts, Design, and Culture
• Mary Hughes, Northeastern University, Boston
• Marie Kennedy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
• Molly Hutton Marder, Chrysler Museum of Art
• Patricia McRae, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
• Shirley Joy Robinson, Winthrop University and the Mint Museum of Art
• David Seiler, Skidmore College
• Maryly Snow, University of California, Berkeley Joye Volker, The Australian National University
• Jodie Walz, College of Architecture and Landscape Architecture, University of Minnesota

2004 VRA Annual Conference, Portland

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards

• Barbara Brenny, CALA, University of Minnesota
• Ching-Jung Chen, City College of New York
• Marcia Focht, Binghamton University, New York
• Helen Lessick, Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority
• Carolyn Lucarelli, Pennsylvania State University
• Margaret McKee, Southwestern University, Texas
• Betha Whitlow, Washington University in Saint Louis
• Megan Winget, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2003 VRA Annual Conference, Houston

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards

• Jacqueline Allen, Dallas Museum of Art
• Ann R. F. Burns, University of Virginia
• Jane Darcovich, University of Illinois at Chicago
• Kris Donovan, University of California, Santa Barbara
• Karen Kessel, Sonoma State University
• Corey Schultz, Stanford University
• Amy Stidwill, Hillwood Museum & Gardens, Washington, DC
• Karin Whalen, Reed College, Portland, OR

2002 Joint ARLIS/NA – VRA Annual Conference, St. Louis, MO

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards

• Kathleen Adrian, Smithsonian American Art Museum
• Maureen Burns, University of California, Irvine
• Julia Deal, Southwest Texas State University
• Christine Jack, University of Calgary
• Giovanna Jackson, California State University, Chico
• Jennifer Johnson, Occidental College
• Brooke Knudson, DePauw University
• Laura Ponikvar, Cleveland Institute of Art
• Jenni Rodda, Institute of Fine Arts, New York University
• Kristin Solias, University of Massachusetts, Boston
2001 VRA Annual Conference, Chicago

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards

- Lesley F. Chapman, University of Kentucky, Lexington
- Sheryl Frisch, California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo
- Virginia Maas, Western Washington University, Bellingham
- Jeanette Mills, University of Washington, Seattle
- Jan Murton, Royal College of Art, London
- Jamie Nave, University of California, Santa Barbara
- Stephen Mark O'Brien, Hunter Institute of Technology, Newcastle West, Australia
- Yvonne K. Widenor, Albright-Knox Art Gallery

Gallery Systems Corporate Travel Award
- Andrea Frank, Boston College

2000 VRA Annual Conference, San Francisco

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards

- Elizabeth Joyce, SUNY Cortland
- Beth Kopine, University of Missouri, Columbia
- Eileen Namaka, Community College of Rhode Island
- Barbara Rockenbach, Yale University

Archivision Corporate Travel Award
- Carolyn Lucarelli, Pennsylvania State University
Gallery Systems Corporate Travel Award
• Miranda Haddock, Western Michigan University

1999 VRA Annual Conference, Los Angeles

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards
• Judith Berzinsky, John Carroll University
• Devin A. Colman, Macalester College
• Paula Hardin, Louisiana State University
• Jeannine Keefer, University of Mississippi
• Randi Millman-Brown, Ithaca College

Archivision Corporate Travel Award
• Maria Mamalinga, Athens School of Fine Arts

The Reindeer Company Corporate Travel Award
• Francesca Zanella, Universita di Parma

1998 VRA Annual Conference, Philadelphia

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards
• Fakhri Haghani, Georgia Institute of Technology
• Elisa Lanzi, Lanzi/Warren Associates
• Celia Martin, Texas Christian University & Amon Carter Museum
• Lucinda Turner, Ball State University

Archivision Corporate Travel Award
• Jacqueline Spafford, University of Toronto & Royal Ontario Museum

The Reindeer Company Corporate Travel Award
• Mary Fraser, Queen’s University, Kingston, Ontario

1997 VRA Annual Conference, New York

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards
• John Butler-Ludwig, University of Chicago
• Renee Doron, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
• Aniko Halverson, University of Southern California, Los Angeles
• Leslie Walker, SUNY, Buffalo

Digital Arts & Sciences Corporate Award
• Elizabeth Bilyeu, Oregon College of Arts & Crafts

Eastman Kodak Corporate Award
• Jennifer Brasher, Queensland College of Art, Australia

1996 VRA Annual Conference, Boston

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards
• John Cloud, University of California, Santa Barbara
• Sheryl Frisch, California Polytechnic State University
• Karen Gustafson, Sonoma State University
• Joan Tysinger, University of Georgia

Digital Collections, Inc. Corporate Award
• Carol Monders, Oregon State University

Eastman Kodak Corporate Award
• Arndis Arnadottir, Icelandic College of Arts and Crafts

1996 CIHA – VRA Satellite Conference, Amsterdam

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards
• Jo Schaffer, SUNY, Cortland
• Barbara Stevenson, Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario

1995 VRA Annual Conference, San Antonio, TX

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards
• Margo Ballantyne, Lewis and Clark College
• Linda McRae, University of South Florida
• Susan Thalmann, Pomona College
• Ann Watson, Dennison University
1994 VRA Annual Conference, New York

Luraine Tansey Travel Awards

• Linda Bien, Concordia University, Montreal
• Bill Broom, Duke University
• Virginia Kerr, Columbia College, Chicago
• Maryly Snow, University of California, Berkeley
• James Turner, Université de Montréal