

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Music & Dance Education First

DILLMAN SCHOLARSHIP AWARD (*awarded for 2009 – 2010*)

A number of Dillman Scholarships for upper-class, undergraduate students (juniors and above) in the amount of up to \$2000 will be awarded each year from the bequest left to Eastern Michigan University by Mrs. Jessie Dillman. Applicants must be admitted as a full-time music major to an undergraduate degree program in the Department of Music and Dance both Fall and Winter semesters in which they will hold the award, enrolled in a minimum of 12 academic hours both semesters, and have a cumulative GPA of 3.00.

The Scholarship will be awarded on the basis of the criteria given below:

1. A high level of ability in performance or creativity based upon submitted materials. Creativity is to be interpreted broadly i.e., composition, research, teaching, potential, etc.
2. In the final selection process, the Music and Dance Department Elections and Awards Committee may request an audition or interview in order to further define the applicant's level of ability in performance or creativity.

Application

To be considered for this award a student must do the following by **Thursday, March 5, 2009, noon:**

1. Complete the Dillman Scholarship Application and submit it to the Department of Music and Dance office.
2. Have at least **two** music faculty members (or full-time lecturers) complete a Dillman Faculty Recommendation form. Faculty members should complete these forms and turn them in to the Music and Dance office by **March 5, 2009 at noon.**

Questions

See Carter Eggers, Dan Foster or Julie Stone – Elections and Awards Committee

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2008 – 2009 DILLMAN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Application Deadline: Thursday, March 5, 2009, noon
Return application to Music and Dance Office – N101 Alexander Music Building

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Applicant Name _____ Date _____

Local Address _____

Local Phone Number _____ E-mail _____

Level (junior, senior) _____ Student Number _____

Applied Instructor _____ Current GPA _____

Instrument/Voice Type _____

Program (BMEI, BMEV, BMT, BM, BA, BS) _____

Ensembles in which you are currently enrolled _____

DESCRIBE your qualifications for the Dillman Scholarship in a brief paragraph below. Write specifically about your qualifications as a performer, your contribution and leadership within the Department of Music, and your initiative.

To Students:

Please complete the above application and give each faculty member from whom you are requesting a recommendation a copy of this form and the Recommendation Form. Select faculty from more than one instructional area who are best acquainted with your work.

To Faculty:

The student whose name appears above would like to be considered for a Dillman Scholarship. Please complete the recommendation form for this application and return it by the date due to the Music and Dance Office.

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2009 – 2010 DILLMAN SCHOLARSHIP FACULTY RECOMMENDATION

Application Deadline: Thursday, March 5, 2009, noon
Return this recommendation to the Music and Dance Office – N101 Alexander Music Building

_____ and the Music and Dance Department Elections and Awards Committee
(name of student)
request your help in evaluating candidates for the Dillman Scholarship. Please complete this form and return it to the Music and Dance Office **by the above deadline**. Thank you.

1. In what capacity have you known the student? _____

FOR QUESTIONS 2-4, PLEASE RATE THE CANDIDATE IN EACH AREA INDICATED BY CHECKING ONLY ONE RATING PER QUESTION.

2. Performance on his/her principal performance medium as compared to other students in the Department on the same speciality.

Top One Percent Top 10 Percent Top 25 Percent Top 50 Percent

3. His/her performance specialty as compared to ALL EMU students you have known on the same specialty.

Top One Percent Top 10 Percent Top 25 Percent Top 50 Percent

4 a. Contributions to Departmental ensembles

Exceptional Distinctly above average Average Below average

b. Academic contribution to the Department

Exceptional Distinctly above average Average Below average

c. Other service to the Department (organizations, volunteer work, etc.)

Exceptional Distinctly above average Average Below average

d. Over-all musical contribution to the Department

Exceptional Distinctly above average Average Below average

5. In your opinion, does the candidate deserve the Dillman Scholarship for the coming year?

Yes No

Narrative on reverse side (optional)

Signature

Date