Faculty of Music Scholarships and Awards

ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS

William Aide Entrance Scholarship in Piano Performance  Established 2004
Awarded to the top undergraduate applicant in Piano Performance who is an Ontario resident demonstrating financial need. The Award is renewable for three additional years, provided an annual GPA of 3.3 or higher is maintained. 2015-16  Raymond Chiu, Alexandra Hetherington, Rebecca Jury, Haedeun Kim, Sun Ah Lee, Manuel Piazza

Walter & Danuta Buczynski Entrance Scholarship in Music  Established 2005
Awarded to one student entering an undergraduate degree program who is a female student entering the Faculty of Music. 2015-16  Ariana Douglas

Elizabeth Burton Scholarship  Established 1975
Awarded to a gifted student on admission to the first year of any full-time program in the Faculty of Music. 2015-16  Rosa Alaimo

Robert William Bygrave Entrance Scholarship in Voice Studies  Established 2005
Awarded to the top undergraduate applicant in voice who is an Ontario resident demonstrating financial need. The Award is renewable for three additional years, provided an annual GPA of 3.3 or higher is maintained. 2015-16  Matthew Li, Elijah Theocharidis Renewal: Mary Christidis, Sarah Forestieri, Jooy Yuensuk Jang

Distillery Jazz Festival Entrance Scholarship  Established 2005
Awarded to the top undergraduate applicant from northwestern Ontario demonstrating financial need. Renewable for three years. 2015-16  Samantha Sek, Mary Christidi, Artan Miskciyan, Rebecca Orsini

Dr. Madeline M. Field Music Scholarship  Established 2003
Awarded to a gifted student entering first year of studies whose primary instrument is piano or harp. 2015-16  Mikhail Maevskiy

W.O. Forsyth Admission Scholarship  Established 1985
Awarded to a gifted pianist upon admission to the first year of any Performance program. This award is renewable in second, third and fourth years, provided first-class standing is maintained in piano Performance courses, and overall achievement is high. 2015-16  Thomas Dobrovich Renewal: Soo Jin Chung, Artan Miskciyan, Rebecca Orsini

Albert and Wilhelmine Francis Renewable Entrance Scholarship in Music  Established 2005
Awarded to a top undergraduate applicant from northwestern Ontario demonstrating financial need. Renewable for three additional years, provided an annual GPA of 3.3 or higher is maintained. 2015-16  Emma Morrison, Tristan Scott Renewal: Jacob Abrahamse, Hannah Barstow, Alexandra Brennan, Hanya Ke, Dame Tik Fei Ko

William Fulton & Caroline Doherty Fulton Memorial Scholarship  Established 2012
To be awarded to one outstanding student upon admission to the first year of any full-time undergraduate program at the Faculty of Music. 2015-16  Thomas Chong

Peter A. Goulding & Frank (Barry) White String Scholarship  Established 2005
Awarded upon admission to an applicant in Cello Performance who is an Ontario resident demonstrating financial need. The Award is renewable for three additional years, provided an annual GPA of 3.3 or higher is maintained. 2015-16  Yu Bin Lee

Nancy E. Hardy Music Education Entrance Scholarship  Established 2011
To be awarded to an outstanding undergraduate student entering the Music Education Program or Concurrent Teacher Education Program at the Faculty of Music. 2015-16  Samantha Sek

Anna and Maurice Hennigar Memorial Brass Scholarship  Established 2005
Awarded upon admission to an outstanding student in Brass Performance or Music Education, who is an Ontario resident demonstrating financial need. The Award is renewable for three additional years, provided an annual GPA of 3.3 or higher is maintained. 2015-16 Renewal: Ariana Douglas

Richard and Donna Holbrook Entrance Scholarship  Established 2011
To be awarded as a merit-based scholarship to six students entering the first year of an undergraduate degree program in music. 2015-16  Raymond Chiu, Alexandra Hetherington, Rebecca Jury, Haedeun Kim, Sun Ah Lee, Manuel Piazza

Reverend James Edward Hunt Music Education Scholarship  Established 2014
To be awarded as a merit-based scholarship to an outstanding student entering the first year of the Music Education program. 2015-16  Samantha Sek

Ethel Berny Jackson Scholarship  Established 2012
To be awarded as merit-based scholarships to female students entering the first year of an undergraduate degree program in music. 2015-16  Rebecca Jury, Samantha Sek, Kira Shiner

Ann and Eli Kassner Entrance Scholarship in Guitar Performance  Established 1979
To be awarded to a guitarist entering the performance program who is an Ontario resident demonstrating financial need. 2015-16  James Kilby

Andrew Alexander Kinghorn Scholarships  Established 1978
Awarded to gifted students entering any first year program in the Faculty of Music. 2015-16  Chiara Fernando, Nicholas Higgs, Anastasia Kulikova, Mikhail Maevskiy, Rae Pance, Joshua Sinclair

Moe Koffman Memorial Jazz Scholarship  Established 2001
Awarded to an outstanding student entering the jazz performance program at the Faculty of Music. 2015-16  Zachary Griffin
Balfour Le Gresley and Dr. Hildegarde Vierkoetter Le Gresley Entrance Scholarship  Established 2012
To be awarded to one outstanding student upon admission to the first year of any full-time undergraduate program at the Faculty of Music.  2015-16 Bailey Hum

Robert and Jean Liss Entrance Scholarship in Music  Established 2004
Awarded to the top undergraduate applicant entering the Bachelor of Music Degree Program who is an Ontario resident demonstrating financial need.  2015-16 Sun Ah Lee

David John Malysh Memorial Entrance Scholarship in Music Education  Established 2008
To be awarded to one undergraduate student entering the Music Education program at the Faculty of Music on the basis of financial need and merit in accordance with the U of T Policy on Student Awards and OTSS program guidelines.  2015-16 Carissa Chen

Alice & Armen Matheson Entrance Scholarship in Piano Performance  Established 2008
To be awarded as a full tuition entrance scholarship to a top undergraduate applicant in piano performance. The award is tenable for three additional years provided a standing of A- or higher is maintained in Piano Performance courses. If there is no such candidate, the award is then allotted to the top undergraduate applicant in violin performance under the same conditions.  2015-16 Renewal: Rashaan Alwood, Hyunmin Lee, Jana Lukots

Mamie May Scholarships  Established 1997
Awarded annually to attract academically strong performance students who demonstrate financial need. Criteria for retaining the scholarship for three additional years include maintaining a good academic average, and a major ensemble mark above 80%.  2015-16 Sun Ah Lee, Emma Morrison Renewal: Sarah Bissonnette, Gillian Crepeytek, Ariana Douglas, Mathias Memmel

Anna Margaret Wallace and William Alexander McCoy Scholarships  Established 2011
To be awarded as merit-based scholarships for incoming first-year students at the Faculty of Music.  2015-16 Nicholas Donovan, Maxmilian Filazek, Noah Franche-Nolan, Zachary Griffin, Adam Kaleta, Jeongwoo Lee, Simon McNamee, Kieran Murphy, Aidan Salvati, Keyun Sheng

Donald McMurrich Memorial Scholarship  Established 1975
Awarded to a gifted student whose major instrument is the double bass. Preference will be given to a student entering the first year of studies in the Faculty of Music, but students in second or higher years will be considered.  2015-16 Vicente Garcia Hurtado

Oskar Morawetz Entrance Scholarship in Music  Established 2004
Awarded to the top undergraduate applicant entering the Bachelor of Music Degree Program who is an Ontario resident demonstrating financial need. Renewal for one year if GPA of 3.3 is achieved.  2015-16 Eric Luo Renewal: Julia Mirzoev

Music Alumni Admission Scholarships  Established 1988
Awarded to gifted students on admission to any full-time undergraduate program.  2015-16 Jee Han Kim, Leah Tubello

Noreen and Phil Nimmons Entrance Scholarship in Jazz Performance  Established 2004
Awarded to the top undergraduate applicant in Jazz performance who is an Ontario resident demonstrating financial need. The Award is renewable for three additional years provided a standing of A- or higher is maintained in the Jazz Performance courses.  2015-16 Anthony D’Alessandro Renewal: Alexa Belgrave, Keagan Eskritt, Naomi Higgins, Russell Matthews, Jung Ahn Yoo

Paul Read Jazz Scholarship  Established 2011
To be awarded annually to two students entering the Jazz Studies Program.  2015-16 Zachary Griffin, Kieran Murphy

Arthur Edward Redsell Scholarship  Established 1995
Full tuition scholarship awarded to entering or continuing students in financial need who are specializing in organ, church, or choral music.  2015-16 Tae Young Kim, Leah Snider, Charis Wong

Deirdre Norah Reynolds Entrance Scholarship  Established 2010
To be awarded to a student based on merit upon admission to the first year of any full-time undergraduate program at the Faculty of Music.  2015-16 Ilina Stafie

Earl Simard Entrance Scholarship  Established 2005
Awarded to a blind or disadvantaged student who is pursuing a degree in Performance or Teaching. Secondary preference is for a student from Northern Ontario, or a student who has vigorously participated and demonstrated excellence & leadership in High School Musical Ensembles.  2015-16 Bailey Hum

Eric James Soulsby Scholarship  Established 1985
Awarded to a gifted student on admission to the first year of any full-time program.  2015-16 Rosa Alaimo

The Sound Post Scholarship (Performance - Strings)  Established 2005
To be awarded on the basis of achievement with consideration of financial need for one full-time student entering first year of the Performance degree program whose primary applied instrument is strings.  2015-16 Emma Morrison

The Sound Post Scholarship (Music Education - Strings)  Established 2005
To be awarded on the basis of achievement with consideration of financial need for one full-time student entering first year whose primary applied instrument is strings and who intends to continue in the Music Education program.  2015-16 Nina Jeffic

Arnold Walter Memorial Award  Established 1975
To be awarded to a student on admission to the first year of the performance degree program, who displays potential for excellence.  2015-16 Emma Morrison

Mary-Margaret Webb Piano Performance Award  Established 2004
Awarded to the top undergraduate applicant in Piano Performance who is an Ontario resident demonstrating financial need.  2015-16 Thomas Dobrovich
**Don Wright Entrance Scholarship**  
Established 1979  
Awarded to a student entering the first year of full time studies; preference will be given to an instrumentalist who intends to complete the Music Education program.  
2015-16 Jovanka Rodrigo-Candappa

**Katherine Cherney Raxlen Zeldin Vocal Award**  
Established 2006  
To be awarded as an undergraduate entrance scholarship to a promising soprano, mezzo soprano or alto, in voice performance.  
2015-16 Margarete Von Vaught

**University of Toronto Scholars Program**  
This program recognizes outstanding University of Toronto students in the first year of any degree program.  
2015-16 Carmine Cocconiglio, Anthony D’Alessandro, Noah Deverheyen, Noah Franche-Nolan, Zachary Goldstein, Haeleun Kim, Kayla Marchione, Georgia Perdikoulas, Samantha Sek, Madalen Tojicic, Yat Chun Wong

**President’s Entrance Scholarship**  
2015-16 Camille Belair, Mara Bowman, Raymond Chiu, Janelle Demello, Zachary Griffin, Nicholas Higgs, Katelyn Katie, Paul Kawabe, Matthew Li, Manuel Piazza, Aiden Salvati, Kira Shiner, Kevin Vuong, Meredith Wanstall

**President’s Scholar of Excellence**  
2015-16 Alexander Bowie, Marco De Conno, Joanna Gorska Kochanowicz

**The National Scholarship Program**  
The University of Toronto National Scholarships are awarded to students who demonstrate superior academic performance, original and creative thought, and exceptional achievement in a broad context. The National Scholars are those who not only excel in academic pursuits but also have an enthusiasm for intellectual exploration and an involvement in the life of their school and community. Each secondary school is invited to nominate, on the basis of these criteria, one graduating student to receive a University of Toronto National Book Award. The winners of the Book Awards, and only these students may enter the National Scholarship Competition. Information and applications are sent to secondary schools each fall. Between fifteen and twenty of the finalists will be identified as University of Toronto National Scholars. The National Scholarships range in value from $7,500 to $12,500 each year for four years of undergraduate study. The annual value of each student’s scholarship is determined on the basis of his or her financial circumstances.