

AWARDS – DATES OF ORIGIN & SOURCE FUNDING

The date of establishment and source of funding for each scholarship or award shall be added to the Standing Rules. (8-21-80)

BIENNIAL AWARDS IN ODD-NUMBERED YEARS YOUNG ARTIST AUDITIONS

Young Artist Auditions (1915) First Place Winners Second Place Winners (1989) Third Place Winners (2011-2019)	Funded by NFMC, Agnes Fowler supplementals, etc.
Christmann Young Artist First Place Winners Supplemental Awards (2011) (Formerly known as Charles E. and Francis Christmann NY Debut Recital Fund)	Funded by the Christmann Endowment
Oscar Valentin Supplemental Award in Man's Voice (8-18-02)	Funded by Oscar Valentin Endowment
Ann & Gordon Getty Supplemental Award in Man's & Woman's Voice (1995)	Funded by Getty Fund
Mary Kimball Hail Supplemental Award in Woman's Voice (1985)	Funded by Mrs. Hail Endowment
Merle Montgomery Supplemental Award in Man's & Woman's Voice (1975)	PNP Fund Endowment
Claudette Sorel Supplemental Award in Pi- ano (1983)	Endowed, Miss Sorel
Samuel Sorin Piano award honoring Samuel Sorin, former Young Artist winner	Endowed by the Samuel Sorin family (1985)
Vera Wardner Dougan Violin Award (1987)	PNP Fund Endowment
Violet and Louis Lang Supplemental Awards in Woman's and Man's voice (1995)	Funded by Lang Endowment
Lily Peter Strings Supplemental Award (es- tablished 1987, awarded for first time (1989)	Funded by Lily Peter Endowment
Edwin B. Ellis Supplemental Award in Pi- ano (1987)	Funded by the Ellis Endowment
NFMC Supplemental Award for Strings (ex- cludes violin)	Funded by FAMA Funding transferred to NFMC Endowment June 2013
Baiz/Sweeney Award (1976)	Funded by the Marguerite Baiz endowment, Beatrice Miller and Sweeney Endowment

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BIENNIAL AWARDS IN ODD-NUMBERED YEARS

NFMC ELLIS COMPETITION FOR DUO-PIANISTS AUGUST, 1988

Endowed originally by a legacy of the late Annie Lou Ellis (Mrs. Edgar B.) 1988

First Place	Ellis Legacy; Gift from Floride Dean (1991); Abild Legacy; Gimbel Gift
Second Place	Ellis Legacy & Gift from Gretchen Van Roy (1999); Simpson College/Abild Legacy 6/22/19
Faye & John Abild American Music Award for the best performance of American Music	Abild Legacy (8-8-99)

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JUNIOR AWARDS

Thelma A. Robinson Award in Ballet (8-13-97)	PNP Fund Endowment
Lynn Freeman Olson Composition Awards (1989)	Endowed by friends of Mr. Olson and James Schnars

BIENNIAL AWARDS IN EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS

JUNIOR AWARDS

Claire Ulrich Whitehurst Piano Award	Endowed by Claire Frances Whitehurst and Family. (1998)
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SENIOR AWARDS

Glad Robinson Youse Adult Composers Contest (1991)	Funded by Glad Robinson Youse Endowment
Alpha Corinne Mayfield Award in Operatic Voice	Mayfield Legacy (1987)
NFMC Centennial Chamber Music Award 8-8-89; renamed Centennial Chamber Commendation 2015. Discontinued in 2025.	Endowment established with the balance from the Centennial Fund. Discontinued in 2025 with \$20,000 moved to Jr. Club Award Fund and remainder to Pasque Chautauqua Award.

BIENNIAL AWARDS IN ODD-NUMBERED YEARS

STUDENT/COLLEGIATE SPECIAL AWARDS

Elizabeth Grieger Wiegand Sacred Music of the Faiths Award (1984)	Endowed, Mrs. Wiegand
Lynn Freeman Olson Composition Awards (1989)	Endowed by friends of Mr. Olson & James Schnars
Lynn Freeman Olson Award in Piano Pedagogy (2000)	Endowed by friends of Mr. Olson & James Schnars

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BIENNIAL AWARDS IN ODD-NUMBERED YEARS STUDENT/COLLEGIATE AUDITION AWARDS

Agnes Fowler Awards (1993)	Agnes Fowler Fund
Mary V. Thiesen Awards (1999)	Mary V. Thiesen Bequest
Combined into the S/C Awards Honoring Agnes Fowler & Mary V. Thiesen (5-10-99)	

STUDENT/COLLEGIATE AUDITION SUPPLEMENTAL AWARDS

Hazel Heffner Becchina Award in Man's & Woman's Voice (8-20-82)	Endowed, Mrs. Becchina
Janice Clarkson Cleworth Award in Piano (8-12-83)	Endowed, "In Memoriam"
Annie Lou Ellis Awards in Piano (1985)	Endowed, Mrs. Ellis
Lawrence Foster Memorial Awards in Cello (4-23-83)	Endowment contributed by Illinois FMC & Friends
Thor Johnson Awards for Double Bass & Viola (8-7-78)	Thor Johnson Bequest
Joseph Kasper Awards in Violin (Jan. 1976)	Endowed, Mary Park Clements
Louise L. Henderson Award in Violoncello (5-23-01)	Endowed, Mrs. Henderson & daughter, Temple Mitchell
Violet Lang Award in Violin honoring Dr. Barbara Irish (5-27-01)	Endowed, Violet Lang
Virginia Peace Mackey-Althouse Award in Woman's Voice (1985)	Endowed, Mrs. Mackey-Althouse
Irene S. Muir Awards in Man's Voice and Woman's Voice (1958)	Endowed, Clifton Muir
Louise Oberne Awards in Viola (1971) & Double Bass Included (4-21-83)	Oberne Bequest
Josephine Trott Memorial Awards for Strings (1985)	Endowed, Riccardo McQuie
Ruby Simons Vought Awards in Organ	PNP Fund Endowment. (5-1-79)
Marie Morrissey Keith Awards in Orchestral Woodwinds & Orchestral Brass	PNP Fund Endowment (5-14-91)
Lucille Heimrich Award-Percussion 8-18-02)	Heimrich Bequest
Martha Marcks Mack Award in Man's & Woman's Voice	Martha Marcks Mack Bequest

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ANNUAL STUDENT/COLLEGIATE AWARDS

Student/Collegiate Composers Competition NFMF Young Composers/Nadworney/Hatz Composition Awards (Awards * below are part of the S/C/ Composers Awards (2007)) *Marion Morrey Richter American Music Composition Award (1997) *Victor Herbert Young Composer Awards (1972) *Class IV Devora Nadworney Awards (8-22-69)	Richter Legacy NFMF and Beyer Endowment Endowed by her gift of stocks
Hinda Honigman Award for the Blind	PNP Fund Endowment. (4-18-71)
Music for the Blind Award in Composition (8-25-69) Discontinued in 2016	NFMF and Oscar Valentin Endowment, funds transferred to Jr. Blind Award in Composition (2016)
Dorothy Dann Bullock Music Therapy Award (4-5-73)	PNP Fund Endowment
Emil & Ruth Beyer Composition Awards	(1998)
NFMF Carey-Wilson Music Therapy Award (2004; given first in 2006)	NFMF & Carey-Wilson Estate
The NFMF Music Therapy Awards (1968) and the Carey-Wilson Music Therapy Award (8-6-03; given first in 2005) were combined and re-named NFMF Carey-Wilson Music Therapy Award in 2004.	
Lucille Heimrich Award for Guitar (8-18-02)	Heimrich Bequest
Ruth B. Robertson Music Therapy Award (1950; endowed 1985)	Funded by Ruth B. Robertson Endowment
Gretchen E Van Roy Music Education Scholarship (8-87)	Endowed, Gretchen E. Van Roy
Myrtle Mehan/Hazel Morgan Music Education Scholarship (1997)	Myrtle Mehan and Hazel Morgan Legacies
Herman & Mary Neumann Award for Miami University (Ohio) in Voice or Strings (1998)	Neumann Legacy
Oscar Valentin Award in Violin Solo (8-18-02)	Oscar Valentin Endowment
Ernest A. Bluhm Flute Award (8-6-06)	Endowed by Mrs. R.A. Schramm, in memory of her brother-in-law
Elizabeth Paris Award for French Horn	Funded by PNP Fund Endowment. (2007)
Carolyn Nelson Award for Double Reeds	Funded by PNP Fund Endowment. (2015)
Frances Nelson Tuba Award	Funded by PNP Fund Endowment (2022)
Barbara M. Irish Award in Harp - Curtis Institute (5-10-99)	Funded by PNP Fund Endowment

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ANNUAL JUNIOR AWARDS

Stillman Kelley Instrumental Awards (1938)	Endowed to honor Mr.& Mrs. Stillman Kelley
Thelma Byrum Piano Award, in Stillman Kelley Auditions (5-1-79)	Thelma Byrum Endowment
Wendell Irish Viola Awards (4-23-81)	Endowed by Mr & Mrs. Wilmot Irish
NFMC Regional Music for the Blind Performance Awards in all Five Regions	Oscar Valentin and Music for the Blind Endowment. (8-25-69, 8-18-02, 8-10-08)
Benzinger/Valentin Music for the Blind Performance Awards (Renamed in 2007)	Endowed with stocks given by Mrs. Benzinger (W. Paul Benzinger 4-26-79)
Oscar Valentin (8-18-02)	Oscar Valentin Endowment
Music for the Blind Composition Award	Agnes Fowler Fund. (1970)
Dance Awards (8-24-70)	Agnes Fowler Fund/Oscar Valentin Endowment
Joyce Walsh Junior Awards for Individuals with Special Needs	T-Shirt Project Endowment
Junior Composition Contest Class IV Awards <u>Olga Klein Nelson Award (4-26-79)</u> <u>Laura K Wilson Award, honoring Dorothy Dann Bullock (11-2-59)</u> Class III Awards <u>John & Margaret Pierson Award (4-24-77)</u> Class II Awards <u>NFMC</u> Class I Awards <u>NFMC</u> NFMC/Valentin Regional Awards (8-18-02, 8-15-05)	NFMC, Oscar Valentin Endowment Endowed, bequest Endowment of Pittsburgh Piano Teachers Assn. and Friends Funded by a gift “in memoriam” by Mrs. Malcom Denise Funding transferred from FAMA to Oscar Valentin Endowment (June 2012) Funding transferred from FAMA to Oscar Valentin Endowment (June 2012) Oscar Valentin Endowment
Interlochen Arts Academy (2-96)	Herman & Mary Neumann Legacy
Angie Greer Music in Poetry Awards (5-27-01; re-named 6-27-05)	Funded by Festival Fee Increase
Mary Alice Cox Awards in Cello & Double Bass (8-10-03, 6-12-11; awarded first in 2004)	Funded by Festival Fee Increase & Mary Alice Cox Endowment (6-22-05)
NFMC National Music Week Essay Contest	Funded by Agnes Fowler Fund
Marilyn Caldwell Piano Award	Funded by the Jr. Division & a monetary gift from Marilyn Caldwell. (6-7-09, 6-12-11)
Lana M. Bailey High School Piano Concerto Awd	Funded by PNP Endowment (2013)
Martha Marcks Mack Jr Vocal Award	Funded by Mack Endowment (2013)
Michael R. Edwards Graduating Senior Performance Award.	Funded by PNP Endowment (2019)

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ANNUAL SENIOR DIVISION AWARDS

American Music U.S. Armed Forces Composition Awards (8-5-00)	Funded by FAMA (funding transferred to Agnes Fowler Endowment June 2015)
Anne Gannett Award for Veterans (4-5-73)	PNP Award Endowed from War Service Fund
Lucile Parrish Ward Veteran's Award (1999)	PNP Award honoring Lucile Parrish Ward
Vivian Menees Nelson Award for the Disabled & Visually Impaired (1984)	Endowed by Mrs. Nelson
Professor Rudolf R.A. Schramm Awards for Clubs (1987)	Endowed by Martha Schramm & Family
NFMC/ASCAP American Music Awards Clubs (1995)	Endowed by ASCAP
NFMC Music Outreach Awards Club & Individual (8-15-04)	Funded by its own Endowment
Emil & Ruth Beyer Composition Awards (1998)	Beyer Endowment (1998)
Ruth Morse Wilson Handbell Choir Award (1999)	Endowed by Ruth Morse Wilson
Dr. Ouida Keck Award – Professional Development for the Independent Piano Teacher (2003; first given in 2004)	PNP Award honoring Dr. Ouida Keck
Martha Marcks Mack Vocal Performance (2013)	Endowed by Martha Marcks Mack (2013)
Virginia Allison Collaborative Award (1999)	Funded by PNP Endowment
Thelma A. Robinson Award in Conducting	Endowed by the Ohio FMC. (1987)

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NFMC ANNUAL SUMMER MUSIC CENTER AWARDS

Aspen School of Music Award (1993)	Endowed NFMC (1993)
Brevard Music Center (formerly Transylvania) Rose Thomas Smith Award	Endowed by the legacy of Rose Thomas Smith (1993)
Lucile Parrish Ward Brevard Music Center	Endowed by Lucile Parrish Ward. (8-99)
Chautauqua Music School Awards (est. 1945-1949)	Endowed by PFMC (Piano); NYFMC (Festival Orchestra); Supplemented by NFMC Valentin
Chautauqua Music School , Eleanor Pascoe Award in Voice (est. prior to 1976)	1980 Endowed by family & friends. 1972 Like amt. awarded to Music School Festival Orchestra by Chautauqua honoring NFMC; Funds from Centennial Chamber Commendation to Pascoe Award.
Chautauqua Music School Awards	Ohio FMC (Strings); Supplemented by NFMC Valentin
Peg Bryan Award to Chautauqua (8-15-04)	Indiana FMC & the Bryans. Supplemented by NFMC Valentin
Martha Marcks Mack Awards to Chautauqua (2012)	Funded by Mack Endowment (2012)
Eastern Music Festival Award (4-28-71)	Endowed NFMC (1993)
Stephen Collins Foster Music Camp Award (8-22-69)	PNP Award honoring Irene Muir (Mrs. Clifton J.)
Gwladys Comstock Award , Idaho FMC (8-21-70)	Endowed by Idaho FMC (2019)
Opera in the Ozarks at Inspiration Point Opera Study Award	Endowed NFMC (1993) & Oscar Valentin (2004)
Opera in the Ozarks at Inspiration Point Award. (1995)	PNP Music Education Award honoring Mary Prudie Brown (1995)
Martha Marcks Mack Awards to Inspiration Point (2012)	Funded by Mack Endowment (2012)
Interlochen Arts Academy Award (1998)	Funded by Herman/Mary Neumann Awd 1998
International Music Camp Award , Peace Gardens (ND) (1937)	PNP Award honoring Agnes Jardine (1937)
Composers Institute - Evelyn Sampson Award (2004)	Evelyn Sampson Endowment; given by NDFMC
Kneisel Hall Award , Blue Hill, Maine (1981)	PNP Award honoring Ada Holding Miller (1981)

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Marrowstone Music Festival Award (originally Pacific Northwest; changed 1976)	Endowed NFMC (1993)
Meadowmount School Award , Suzanne Anderson Award (1967)	Endowed NFMC (1993)
Music Academy of the West Award (1993)	Endowed NFMC (1993)
Ravinia Music Festival Award (8-93)	Endowed by Rose Thomas Smith Legacy (8-93)
Rocky Ridge Music Center Award (1993)	Endowed NFMC (1993)
Santa Fe Opera Apprentice Artist Program Award (4-5-73)	Ruth Freehoff Memorial Endowment
Sewanee Music Center , Gladys Coult Summer Award	NFMC & Gladys Coult Endowment
Walden School Award (8-25-74)	Endowed NFMC (1993)