Applications invited for the 2020-2021 Normandale Community College

Jim & Linda Wallace Theatre Arts Scholarship

The Jim & Linda Wallace Theatre Arts Scholarship will be given to a talented student who is interested in pursuing a career in professional and/or academic theatre. The scholarship will be available for use Fall Semester 2020 and Spring Semester 2021 and will be applied to the student's tuition and fees.

Scholarship Eligibility
- Applicant must demonstrate exceptional promise in one or more areas of theatre such as Acting, Technical Theatre or Design, or Stage Management
- Applicant must participate in some capacity on each production and its strike during the scholarship period through enrollment in either THTR 1120: Theatre Performance Practicum or THTR 1122: Technical Theatre Practicum
- Applicant must participate in theatre recruitment activities as part of the award
- Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale at the time of their application

Award Amount
- $500 - $3000

Application Process
- Submit a completed Jim & Linda Wallace Theatre Arts Scholarship Application, with a high school or Normandale transcript attached
- Attach the narrative describing the reason for applying, including the student's qualifications, need, and other information relative to the application
- Submit two letters of recommendation from teachers, directors, or employers who have supervised the student and can evaluate the student's abilities and potential
- Perform an audition and/or interview with a presentation of portfolio materials if a finalist for the scholarship

INSTRUCTIONS

1️⃣ Complete sections I, II, III, and IV of this application and attach a transcript.

2️⃣ Attach two letters of recommendation from teachers, directors, or employers. It is your responsibility to make sure these letters of recommendation are attached to your application.

3️⃣ Respond to the questions listed in Section II of this application form by preparing written narratives. Your application will not be considered without these narratives.

4️⃣ Mail or drop off your complete scholarship application packet to:

Normandale Community College  
Attn: Anne Byrd, Chair, Department of Theatre  
9700 France Avenue South  
Bloomington, MN  55431

Only complete scholarship application packets will be considered and MUST be postmarked on or before April 1st, 2020.

DEADLINE: April 1st, 2020
I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Name: ____________________________________________________________________________________

Last    First    MI

Address: __________________________________________________________________________________

Street    City    State    Zip

Phone Number: ___________________________ (home)

____________________________________ (cell)

Email address: _____________________________________________ NCC Tech ID : _______________________

(We will be communicating with you via email, the primary means of communication at Normandale.)

How many credits do you intend to enroll in each semester)? ____

Credits earned at Normandale: _______ At other colleges: ________

Expected Date of Graduation/Transfer: ____________

Program of Study: _____________________________________________

High School: _________________________ High School GPA: ________________

Year of HS Graduation: ____________

Cumulative GPA at Normandale: ____________ At other colleges: ____________

Other colleges attended: ___________________________________________________________________

II. NARRATIVE

Type on a separate sheet your responses to the following two statements and attach your responses to this application. Please limit each response to no more than 300 words.

Question #1: Describe your experiences and goals related to theatre involvement and how the scholarship will impact your goals.

Question #2: Describe a significant event in your life and tell how it has influenced your personal growth and professional goals.

III. VOLUNTEER or COMMUNITY SERVICE EXPERIENCE, HONORS/RECOGNITIONS/ACHIEVEMENTS, EMPLOYMENT

List Volunteer or Community Service Experience:

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List Honors/Recognitions/Achievements:

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List employment during the past three years:
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IV. CERTIFICATION

Applicant certification and permission to release information:

The information contained within this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that misrepresentation or fraudulent information may be grounds for loss of scholarship funds and/or required repayment.

I understand that my application WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED if my application and narrative are not completed as instructed, if my transcripts, narrative, and letters of recommendation are not attached and if the Normandale Theatre Department has not received my completed application packet by the scholarship deadline date. I authorize Normandale Community College to make available to the Normandale Foundation and the selection committee my academic and financial aid records.

If named a recipient, I authorize the Normandale Foundation and Normandale Community College permission to release any (non-private) information listed in this application to the scholarship donors or media, including my photograph. I also agree to thank the donor of this scholarship and attend any events relating to recognition of this scholarship.

Applicant’s Signature: ____________________________________________ Date: _______________________
