



**Mark Williams Memorial Scholarship Fund
for Educators Collegiate Scholarship**
June 26-July 1, 2017 • Ball State University • Muncie, IN
Leadership Weekend Experience • June 24-25, 2017



2017 MUSIC FOR ALL SUMMER SYMPOSIUM

The Mark Williams Memorial Scholarship Fund for Educators was created in honor of Mark Williams (1955-2008) to celebrate his life and work as a great educator, composer and a beloved friend. The scholarship fund benefits music educators who are interested in attending the Music for All Summer Symposium but, due to financial hardship, cannot afford to pay the tuition and fees needed to attend this annual summer music camp.

Scholarships are awarded on the basis of financial need. It is the intent of the Music for All Foundation to provide a full-tuition scholarship, plus a travel stipend of up to \$500, to **one** collegiate interested in attending the Directors' Academy. Our hope is the scholarship program will help to ensure that the Summer Symposium is financially accessible for all participants.

In order to hold a spot for applicants until scholarship applications can be evaluated, the camp application form needs to be submitted to Music for All. Scholarship recipients will be required to pay the remainder of the travel necessary to attend camp that is not covered by the stipend. Scholarship recipients will be notified by telephone of award by June 2nd.

Application Submission Requirements

1. Applicant must submit a 500 word essay addressing the following prompts:
 - a. Please describe the ways in which the Summer Symposium experience will help you become a better music educator and how you will utilize what you learn during camp.
 - b. Please describe the positive influence music and your music education experiences have had on your life.
2. Professor or Advisor must provide recommendation on why you deserve the scholarship.
3. Completed camp application form turned into Music for All.

Please send completed scholarship application form and essay by May 20, 2017 to:

**Music for All
Advancement Department
39 W. Jackson Place, Suite 150
Indianapolis, IN 46225
Email: advancement@musicforall.org
Fax: 317.218.4894
Questions? Call us: 800.848.2263**

For more information about the Music for All Summer Symposium, go to www.musicforall.org



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Completed recommendation forms should NOT be returned to students. Recommendation forms must be returned directly to Music for All by mail, fax, or e-mail no later than **May 20, 2017**. Recommendation forms will be kept confidential.

Please type or print clearly.

Student Name _____ **Student Address** _____

Student Email Address _____ **Student Home Phone** _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____ **Parent/Guardian Email Address** _____

School _____ **School Address** _____

Professor _____ **Professor Email Address** _____

Professor Phone _____

Please answer each of the following:

Student GPA: _____ on a _____ scale. How many years have you had this student in your classroom? _____

Please select your responses to the following based on a scale with 1 being lowest (does not exhibit quality) and 5 being highest (strongly exhibits quality).
Keep in mind that the quality of your responses will affect the overall application score.

Exhibits a high caliber of musicianship. 1 2 3 4 5

Please explain and/or provide specific examples:

Demonstrates strong leadership skills. 1 2 3 4 5

Please explain and/or provide specific examples:

Has mentoring and/or teaching experience. 1 2 3 4 5

Please explain and/or provide specific examples:



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Possesses a strong work ethic. 1 2 3 4 5

Please explain and/or provide specific examples:

Approaches obstacles with a positive attitude. 1 2 3 4 5

Please explain and/or provide specific examples:

Please use the space below to provide any additional information regarding the student's qualifications:

Signature of Professor _____ Date _____

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