

WHERE DID I LEARN THIS INFORMATION?

I have been a college music professor at Clarke College for nine years. I have served on scholarship audition committees for hundreds of students. I have worked closely with admissions staff, attended recruitment conferences, and most of all listened to my colleagues, both at Clarke College and throughout the country.

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MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP MONEY!

THE WINNING MUSIC
SCHOLARSHIP AUDITION—AN
INSIDER'S GUIDE

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Do you need college music scholarship money?

Do you know what the scholarship audition committee is looking for?

Do you want to maximize your talent and stand out in the crowd of applicants?

Most musicians do! So, how do you find the information to give you a head start on the other people auditioning for the same money?

How did this college professor's high school students win big scholarships at the Cincinnati College Conservatory of Music, the Julliard School, the University of Missouri-Kansas City Conservatory of Music and Dance, Butler University, the University of Denver-Lamont School of Music, the University of Northern Iowa and many others?

They followed the advice given in this e-book, now available to the general public!

In just 10-30 minutes with you and your materials, the music audition committee must decide three things:

- 1) Whether to accept you into the program or not
- 2) Whether to give you a scholarship
- 3) How much scholarship money to award to you

Do you need music scholarship money for college in order for you to realize your musical career dream? Like you, each college or university has a limited amount of money available at any given time. They want to invest that money in their best prospects. In order for you to be seen as one of their best prospects, you must present yourself in the most efficient and professional manner possible.

Scholarships are given based on a student's potential to succeed in a given field. The following list is what the audition committee is evaluating (whether overtly or tacitly):

- 1) Talent
- 2) Academic Potential
- 3) Work Ethic
- 4) Attitude
- 5) Professionalism

MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP MONEY! will help you maximize your scholarship potential by giving you the college professor's inside tips to a scholarship winning audition. You will have tools to select the right school, ask the right questions, maximize your talent and academic potential, and demonstrate your work ethic, great attitude and professionalism.

Learn:

- ▶ How to maximize your talent.
- ▶ How to find the right schools for you.
- ▶ Careers in music
- ▶ How to find out what your target ACT or SAT Score is for the school(s) that you are interested in applying to.
- ▶ How to choose repertoire for your audition.
- ▶ What things you should bring to your audition.
- ▶ Questions you should ask.
- ▶ Questions you may be asked.
- ▶ What to expect in your audition.
- ▶ Common mistakes students and their parents make in the admissions