

The John Philip Sousa Foundation Scholarship Award

Dr. Robert Hawkins Memorial Scholarship 2011-2012

Endowed by
Betty Jo and Kathy Schmidt
Administered by the
John Philip Sousa Foundation

APPLICATION FORM

Eligibility: working toward a degree in instrumental (band) music education

Deadline: To be **RECEIVED** by December 5, 2010

For New Scholarship or Scholarship renewal (renewal application does not guarantee award)

Available: One \$1,000 scholarship

Evaluation by Committee and Executive Board

Selection notification for finalist by e-mail: February 20, 2011

Winner will be posted on the Web site:

<http://www.sousafoundation.org/allProjects/Hawkins.html>

Name _____ Age _____
Expected University or High School Graduation Date _____ Birth Date _____
Home Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone _____ E-mail _____

University or High School _____
Year in School _____ GPA _____
City, State of Institution _____
Major Instrument _____
Years of study _____

Postsecondary institution(s) applied and/or admitted to: _____
List highlights of accomplishments of your high school/college career in band (attach additional sheet if needed):

Musical organizations in which you have participated in the past two years:

Organization _____ Chair _____ Part _____
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List awards and honors received during the past two years:

Educational Financial Status: Self Supporting _____% Parents _____ % Other
_____%(specify loans, scholarships, grants, etc.)

What are two character traits that every band director should possess? _____

Do you plan on becoming a band director? _____

Essay Statement

Attach a typed statement of 250 words or less and include the following information:

1. Your future goals and how you plan to achieve these goals
2. Significant people and/or events that have influenced you
3. Your basic philosophy on why you wish to become a band director

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

All materials **MUST** be included with this application: Failure to meet these qualifications will eliminate the application.

- * Application form plus any additional sheets
- * Essay Statement
- * Three letters of recommendation
- * Current Transcript – unofficial is acceptable
- * Photo (for publicity purposes only)

Please do not send materials which need to be returned.

Mail To:
Hawkins Scholarship Chair
196 East 650 North
West Lafayette, IN 47906

Questions??? E-mail: vischmidt@verizon.net Phone: 765-463-7169

Thank you for your interest!

This form and supportive materials must be received by December 5, 2010