

Methuen Memorial Music Hall

Music Scholarships

Each year, the Music Hall is proud to support the youth of our local communities by awarding Music Scholarships to promising young musicians. The scholarships are awarded to graduating seniors from the Merrimack Valley who plan to major in a music-related field at college in the fall. The scholarship program began in 1974 with an award of one scholarship of \$200. Now, the Music Hall regularly awards two scholarships of \$1,000 each. In some years an additional scholarship has been able to be offered through support from the Methuen Young People's Theatre. To date, 87 students have received a total of \$66,000 in awards. Scholarships have gone to students majoring in a range of music-related fields, including music, instrumental or vocal performance, music education, composition, musical theater and acoustical engineering. These scholarships are made possible by the continued support of the public through attendance at the Music Hall's scholarship concerts and through donations to the Music Hall's scholarship fund. The Music Hall very much appreciates this generous support.

The Music Hall is a non-profit organization qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to the Music Hall to support the Music Scholarship program, which will be most gratefully received and are tax deductible as allowed by law, may be made at the Music Hall when a concert is given or sent to the Methuen Memorial Music Hall, P.O. Box 463, Methuen, MA 01844.

The Methuen Memorial Music Hall is proud to have awarded music scholarships to the following recipients.

| Year | Recipient | Field of Study | Home Town | College Attended |
|------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1974 | Paul Quartarone | Organ | Lawrence, MA | Boston University |
| 1975 | Maloney Murphy | Voice | Brighton, MA | Trinity College |
| 1976 | Annette Soucy | Flute & Piano | Salem, NH | University of Lowell |
| 1977 | Ruth Koomuian | Organ | Salem, NH | University of New Hampshire |
| 1978 | Eric Ehamjian | Bassoon | Methuen, MA | University of Lowell |
| 1979 | James Bassi | Piano | Haverhill, MA | New England Conservatory |
| 1980 | Lisa Sheppard | Voice | Haverhill, MA | New England Conservatory |
| 1981 | William Girard | Trumpet | Lawrence, MA | University of Lowell |
| 1982 | Cheryl Morse | Voice | Andover, MA | Hartt School |
| 1983 | Debbie Gerety | Flute & Piano | Plaistow, NH | University of New Hampshire |
| 1984 | Jennifer Yeaton | Flute | Atkinson, NH | University of New Hampshire |
| | Danielle Fascione | Piano | Derry, NH | Boston University |
| | Katherine Gorman | Acoustical Engineering | Andover, MA | Hartt School |
| 1985 | Kristen James | Voice | Andover, MA | Southern Methodist University |
| | Jennifer Curran | Trumpet | Georgetown, MA | Wheaton College |
| 1986 | Sheryl Ann Hicks | Clarinet | Haverhill, MA | Boston University |
| | Joel Borrelli | Trombone | North Andover, MA | New England Conservatory |
| 1987 | Laura Bewig | Voice | Andover, MA | University of Massachusetts |
| | Jennifer Lynn Nucci | Voice | Andover, MA | University of Massachusetts |
| 1988 | Thomas Fetters | Woodwinds | Lowell, MA | University of Hartford |
| | Bethany Patriquin | Voice & Piano | Haverhill, MA | University of Lowell |
| 1989 | Jessica McLaren | Voice | Haverhill, MA | Westminster Choir College |
| | Elizabeth Ann Larsen | Violin | North Andover, MA | University of Indiana |
| 1990 | Shaun Hennessey | Composition | Andover, MA | University of So. California |
| | Michelle Mailhot | Voice | Methuen, MA | University of Massachusetts |
| | Joseph Olefirowicz | Organ | Methuen, MA | Ithaca College |
| 1991 | Kellie Belluardo | Music Education | Methuen, MA | Gordon College |
| | Kerrie Belluardo | Music Education | Methuen, MA | Gordon College |
| 1992 | Marcus DeLoach | Voice | Andover, MA | New England Conservatory |
| | Melanie Michaud | Voice | Methuen, MA | Bradford College |
| 1993 | Catherine Hedberg | Voice | Reading, MA | New England Conservatory |
| | Jenny Bent | Voice | Chester, NH | Boston University |
| 1994 | Jill Packard | Oboe | Methuen, MA | Syracuse University |
| | Cynthia Miller | Violin | North Reading, MA | Yale University |

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|-------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| 1995 | Jill Imbriano | Double Bass | Reading, MA | Case Western University |
| | Renee Glazier | Voice | Haverhill, MA | University of Miami |
| 1996 | Joel Noyes | Cello | Portland, ME | Cleveland Institute |
| | Jodi Faro | Music Education | Danville, NH | Hartt School |
| | Renee Meadows | Organ | Rutland, MA | University of Indiana |
| 1997 | Sarah Consentino | Music Education | Methuen, MA | Emmanuel College |
| | Luke Parkin | Piano and Organ | Amesbury, MA | University of Massachusetts |
| | Andrew Scanlon | Organ | Methuen, MA | Duquesne University |
| 1998 | Amelia Lukas | Flute | Salem, MA | Boston University |
| | Lauren Quigley | Music Education & Piano | Hampstead, NH | Ithaca College |
| | Antonio Beliveau | Composition & Jazz | Andover, MA | University of North Texas |
| 1999 | Mark Pickowicz | Organ & Sacred Music | Plaistow, NH | Duquesne University |
| | Marguerite Durant | Music Education & Voice | West Newbury, MA | Westminster Choir College |
| | Catherine LaChance | Music | Sandown, NH | University of Pennsylvania |
| 2000 | Katherine Roberts | Violin | Andover, MA | Northwestern University |
| | Michael Callahan | Composition | Atkinson, NH | Harvard University |
| | Paul Litterio | Organ & French Horn | Reading, MA | McGill University |
| 2001 | Emily Bevelaqua | Voice | West Newbury, MA | Hartt School |
| | Elizabeth DeJulio | Music Education & Theater | Derry, NH | Plymouth State College |
| | Amanda Koba | Music Education & Voice | Salem, NH | University of Michigan |
| | Celeste Aurora Brito | Voice | Lawrence, MA | University of Miami |
| 2002 | Emily Pierce | Music Theater | West Newbury, MA | Hartt School |
| | Dominick DiOrio | Composition | Windham, NH | Ithaca College |
| 2003 | Meghan Stolar | Music Education & Performance | Salem, NH | Berklee College |
| | Troy Lucia | Composition | Chester, NH | New England Conservatory |
| 2004 | Kerin Willett | Voice | Amesbury, MA | McGill University |
| | Elisabeth Lange | Flute & Piccolo | Newburyport, MA | New York University |
| 2005 | Daniel Nickerson | Music Theater | Methuen, MA | Hartt School |
| | Luis Ortiz | Piano | Haverhill, MA | Eastman School of Music |
| 2006 | Jacob Street | Organ | North Reading, MA | Holy Cross University |
| | Olivia Hauck | Organ | Gloucester, MA | Boston University |
| 2007 | Marissa Miller | Music Theater | Haverhill, MA | Boston Conservatory |
| | Nathaniel Martin | Double Bass | Westford, MA | Boston University |
| | Ashley Buckhout | Voice | Haverhill, MA | Cleveland Institute |
| 2008 | Schuyler White | Voice | Kennebunk, ME | Boston University |
| | Katherine Sullivan | Voice | North Andover, MA | Ithaca College |
| 2009 | Brianna Heffernan | Music Theater | Methuen, MA | University of Mass., Amherst |
| | Chris Pelonzi | Organ | Salem, NH | McGill University |
| 2010 | Benjamin Barker | Music Theater | North Andover, MA | Northwestern University |
| | Catarina Bongiorno | Oboe & Music Education | Georgetown, MA | Hartt School |
| 2011 | Daniel Morton | Music Theater for Youth | Bradford, MA | Shenandoah Conservatory |
| | Madeleine Tucker | Cello | Andover, MA | Juilliard School |
| 2012 | Caylen Bryant | Cello & Vocal Performance | Andover, MA | Oberlin College |
| | Paul Delabruere | Music Education | Methuen, MA | University of Mass., Lowell |
| 2013 | Andrea Bickford | Vocal Performance | Dracut, MA | Ithaca College |
| | Connor Burke | Music Theory & Composition | Wilmington, MA | Boston University |
| 2014 | Hope Aubrey | Clarinet Perf. & Music Mgmt. | Sandown, NH | Hartt School |
| | Peter Rudewicz | Organ Perf. & Organ Technology | Tyngsboro, MA | University of Oklahoma |
| 2015 | Anastasia Sangermano | Music Education | North Andover, MA | Boston University |
| | Alexis Warnick | Music & Music Education | Salem, NH | University of Connecticut |
| 2016 | Francesca Lionetta | Voice | Andover, MA | Eastman School of Music |
| | Taylor Trussell | Music Education | Methuen, MA | University of Mass., Lowell |
| 2017 | David Shane | Voice, Cello & Recording Tech. | Georgetown, MA | Ithaca College |