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SCHOLARSHIP for VOCAL STUDY

Scholarship funds available for 2008-09 academic year: **\$1600**

Applicants must:

- either be a full-time student in a college or university in the Greater Houston area, or be a resident of the Greater Houston area attending college elsewhere (graduating high school seniors are eligible).
- have at least two semesters remaining to complete before graduation from either undergraduate or graduate studies.
- be a serious voice student, possibly considering a career in vocal performance.
- understand that payments will be made directly to the school of study.

To apply, please provide:

- **the completed application form.**
- **a personal letter telling us about yourself, and detailing any special circumstances and the amount of financial aid that you need and expect to receive from other sources during the 2008-09 school year.**
- **a transcript that indicates a B average or above.**
- **favorable letters of recommendation from at least two of your teachers/professors.**
- **a resume of vocal performance experience, as well as a recent headshot and personal bio suitable for publicity purposes.**
- **a cassette or cd of a three-minute song or aria.**

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PLEASE POSTMARK APPLICATION BY WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 2008.

To submit applications, or for inquiries, contact:
DRU ANNE LUNDQUIST, SCHOLARSHIP CHAIR
818 VOYAGER DRIVE
HOUSTON, TX 77062
 Phone: 281-280-8286
 Email: druanne37@sbcglobal.net

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The Gilbert & Sullivan Society of Houston
Application for Vocal Scholarship

Please return by **Wednesday, March 12, 2008** to:

Dru Anne Lundquist
818 Voyager Dr.
Houston, TX 77062
281-280-8286
druanne37@sbcglobal.net

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Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____
City State Zip Code

Social Security number: _____ Email _____

School of current enrollment: _____ GPA: _____ on scale of _____

Total hours completed towards degree: _____ Major: _____

Please read the entire application form carefully. **Be sure to complete all areas and postmark by Wednesday, March 12, 2008. Please sign the application prior to mailing.** The Society will notify all applicants of the results.

Please attach or enclose:

- sealed letters of recommendation from at least two professors, with at least one from a teacher of voice on the faculty of your college or university (high school seniors may submit letters from high school faculty).
- a copy of your official transcript showing a B cumulative grade point average or above;
- a personal letter to the Society detailing any special circumstances and the amount of financial aid you expect to receive (and need) for the 2008-09 school year.
- a resume of your vocal experience, including awards.
- a cassette tape or cd recording of any one song 3 minutes or under in length. Such recordings need not be professionally produced or altered...a simple tape recording will do. Please record a song you enjoy, not one that you think the committee will want to hear. Make sure to protect the tape when mailing it.
- a headshot and bio suitable for printing in our playbill.

I, _____, understand that this scholarship will be paid in two equal payments to the college or university where I am enrolled for the Fall 2008 and Spring 2009 academic terms. If I withdraw at any time, change to part-time status, or change my major, I shall immediately notify the Gilbert & Sullivan Society of Houston and the remaining scholarship money will be returned by my college to the Society. I will allow the Society to use my name and photograph for publicity purposes and in the program of their annual production.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE EDUCATIONAL RECORDS
Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 as Amended (FERPA)

I, _____, hereby voluntarily authorize officials in the
[Print Name of Student]
University of Houston department(s) identified below to disclose personally identifiable
information from my educational records. (Please check the box or boxes that apply):

- Registrar
- Financial Aid
- Dean of Student's Office
- Residential Life and Housing
- University Advancement
- University Studies Division
- Other (Please Specify) _____

Specifically, I authorize disclosure of the following information or category of information (Please
check the box or boxes that apply):

- Grades/Transcripts
- Financial Aid
- Disciplinary
- Housing
- Scholarship and/or Honors
- Photos
- Academic Records
- All University Records
- Other (Please Specify) _____

This information may be released to _____
[Print Name(s) of Individual(s) To Whom University May Disclose Information]

_____ for the purpose of informing:
[List Additional Individuals if Necessary]

- Family
- Educational Institution
- Employer/Prospective Employer
- Public or Media of Scholarship, Honor or Award
- Other Please Specify _____

**I understand the information may be released orally or in the form of copies of written
records, as preferred by the requester. This authorization will remain in effect from the
date it is executed until revoked by me, in writing, and delivered to Department(s)
identified above.**

Student Name (Please Print)

Student I.D. Number

Student Signature

Date