



## APTA Scholarship Convener

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## **Long & McQuade Continuing Education Scholarship \$300**

Application deadline July 15<sup>th</sup>

Intended to offset the expense of attending any music related conference, seminar or other similar event of the year if received. It may also be used for a teacher continuing their private studies with a studio teacher or at a post-secondary institution.

Applications must include:

1. A cover letter including contact information (e-mail and mailing address)
2. A brief bio of the applicant. For the successful candidate, this information will be used for the scholarship presentation at conference and the newsletter write up.
3. A resume of academic and music educational background. Include any plans for furthering your education.
4. A description of your teaching class including
  - number of years you have taught
  - size of class
  - grade levels taught
  - participation in festivals and exams
  - recitals and other events students participate in
5. Because this scholarship is based partly on financial need, please elaborate.
6. Two letters of reference.

In addition, submit a detailed response to the following questions.

1. What continuing education activities will this scholarship be used for?
2. Include a budget for the activity. If attendance will necessitate travel and lodging expenses, include them in your budget.
3. What kinds of continuing education experiences have you had in the past? How did they impact your teaching?
4. What impact do you anticipate from this opportunity?
5. How do you use your musical talents in your community?