



**INDIANA UNIVERSITY
SOUTHEAST**

**Rasmussen
Performing Arts
Scholarship Award
in Theatre**

**APPLICATION
2012-2013**



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THEATRE DEPARTMENT
School of Arts and Letters

The Naomi Rasmussen Performing Arts Scholarship Award THEATRE

The Award The one-year Rasmussen Theatre Awards provide qualified students with the equivalent of *up to* 15 credit hours of in-state tuition and fees. These awards, which are also available in music, are renewable. Applicants need not be Indiana state residents; however, the tuition and fee waiver cannot exceed that of 15 credit hours in-state per semester. Please note: residents of Bullitt, Jefferson, Oldham, and Trimble counties in Kentucky are considered in-state residents.

Qualifications Students who receive this award will be selected on the basis of their past participation and success in theatrical production or performance, their grades, the strength of their recommendations, their audition and/or portfolio presentation, and their commitment to participation in a broad range of theatre.

Information Requested Applicants must provide 1) The information requested on the accompanying form plus any additional material that the applicant considers relevant 2) Official transcripts of high school and college level work and 3) A minimum of three letters of recommendation. One of these letters may pertain to general character but two should attest to the applicant's interest and capability in theatre production and/or performance. This material should be sent directly to:

Theatre Department, OG 051
Indiana University Southeast
4201 Grant Line Road
New Albany, IN 47150

Audition/Interview Information Students primarily interested in performance should prepare two brief audition selections (two to five minutes each). These may be solo or partnered, and the applicant's role should be memorized. Each selection should be introduced with a synopsis of essential information such as given circumstances and antecedent action.

Production or management-promotion students should prepare a resume of relevant experience and present, at the time of the interview, a portfolio of such things as photos, playbills, drawings, plans, logs, or other records of the individual's interests and accomplishments.

AUDITION DATE
FOR 2012-2013
SCHOLARSHIPS

Saturday, March 10, 2012

9:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.

1:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

in room 069

of the Paul W. Ogle
Cultural and Community
Center

Applicants must make an appointment for an audition by calling the Theatre Department at (812) 941-2655 or scheduling their appointment online at www.ius.edu/theatre.

Students unable to attend the March 10 audition date may make other arrangements by calling Rebekkah Meixner at (812) 941-2356, or e-mailing rmeixner@ius.edu

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 2012

Obligations Students receiving Rasmussen Awards will be expected to participate fully in IU Southeast Theatre activity in whatever capacity the theatre faculty deems appropriate. All recipients will be expected to participate in auditions at the beginning of each semester unless excused by the faculty; accept roles and/or production responsibilities assigned to them; meet rehearsal, production and performance commitments; aid in maintenance or recruitment or department development as needed. Recipients can expect a total time commitment of about 12-15 hours per week or about 100 hours per semester. They must avoid evening classes and commitments so they are free to rehearse and perform. All IU Southeast Theatre productions take place in the state-of-the-art Robinson Theater in the Paul W. Ogle Cultural and Community Center.

<i>For office use only</i>

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: (____) _____ University ID No. (or last 4 digits of Social Security No.): _____

E-mail: _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

High School from which you graduated or expect to graduate: _____

Colleges you have attended: _____

College credit-hours completed: _____

Indicate your cumulative grade average: High School _____ College _____

THEATRE EXPERIENCE

If you have college level experience relevant to work in theatre, please summarize:

List any special academic or theatre awards you have received:
