

The Fountain School of Performing Arts  
invites applications for the

# IAN PERRY-BERGER Instrument Award

**Application deadline:** October 15, 2024

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## **The Ian Perry-Berger Instrument Award is:**

- Intended to offset the cost of purchase of an instrument needed for study, or to offset the costs of instrument repairs or supplies.
- Awarded to an undergraduate student in a Music degree program who demonstrates artistic excellence (students in all instrumental idioms are eligible).
- Students must have completed at least one academic year to be eligible.
- The award is valued at **\$1,000.00**.

## **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

### **1. Write a strong letter to the Fountain School Student Affairs Committee** describing:

- financial need
- intended instrument purchase, repair, or supplies
- commitment to artistic excellence in the field of Music

#### Examples of what to include in your letter:

- Make note of circumstances that demonstrate your financial need. Details of your Canada Student Loan should be included. If you are not eligible for a student loan, please give details to support your case for financial need.
- Include budget details for your planned instrument purchase, repair, or supplies.
- Provide details demonstrating your commitment to “artistic excellence.” For example, have you successfully performed in a solo setting (e.g. off-campus recitals, festivals)? Have you been invited to perform with any off-campus organizations? Please note any other performance activities that may be relevant.

### **2. Send your letter** via email to the Fountain School Student Affairs Committee at [fspasac@dal.ca](mailto:fspasac@dal.ca) by **October 15<sup>th</sup>!**

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