

THE KATE EDGER EDUCATIONAL CHARITABLE TRUST
Vinka Marinovich Awards in Music

PURPOSE

These awards arise from a bequest from the Estate of Vinka Marinovich and are to assist women enrolled in the School of Music at the University of Auckland in Year 3 of a Bachelor of Music, Bachelor of Music (Honours), Master of Music, Doctor of Music, Doctor of Musical Arts or PhD in Music. Vinka Marinovich had a lifetime involvement in music in the Auckland area, particularly at Auckland Girls' Grammar School and St Patrick's Cathedral.

Applicants MUST apply using the online application form available at <https://www.auckland.ac.nz/en/for/current-students/cs-scholarships-and-awards/cs-search-for-scholarships-and-awards.html#/form>. A successful award will be recorded on your University of Auckland transcript.

REGULATIONS

1. Up to two Awards of \$8,000 will be available for offer annually.
Award 1 will be for a performance student, including all performance options offered at the School of Music.
Award 2 will include all majors offered in the School of Music, including but not exclusive to performance.
The Award moneys may be used for any purpose aligned to the recipient's area of study.

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2. Applicants for the Vinka Marinovich Awards in Music must be:
 - a) women;
 - b) New Zealand Citizens or Permanent Residents;
 - c) Preparing to enrol full time in Year III or higher (Masters or Doctorate) at the School of Music
3. In making these awards, the selection committee shall give consideration to:
 - a) the applicant's academic record; (for the purpose of this award, academic merit will be assessed from the GPA or GPE obtained over the applicant's most recent two years of graded study (or equivalent));
 - b) the applicant's referees' reports;
 - c) the applicant's need for financial assistance;
 - d) the applicant's aspirations for the future;
 - e) any special circumstances, e.g. family responsibilities, personal disability, considered relevant.
4. Each application for these awards must include the names of two academic referees from whom a confidential reference may be sought.
5. These awards may be held concurrently with an award of equal or higher value if the regulations for that award so permit.
6. The Vinka Marinovich Awards in Music shall be paid in one instalment on presentation of proof of enrolment as a full time Year III or higher level student in the School of Music at the University of Auckland.
7. The successful applicant is required to complete her year of study and make a brief report at the end of this study. Failure to complete two full consecutive semesters will require refund of the full value of the award.

ENQUIRIES

Enquiries to: awards@kateedgertrust.org

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