

Marley Rynd Memorial Performance Scholarship

\$1500 Scholarship

The Calgary Philharmonic Society is calling for nominations from the University of Calgary and Mount Royal University for the Marley Rynd Memorial Performance Scholarship.

The nominated students should be intending to pursue a career as an orchestral musician. The successful student will have demonstrated outstanding musicianship and performance skills during their time at UCalgary or MRU, and also displayed the leadership, determination, and focus that will aid them in the pursuit of their goals. Past recipients of the award are not eligible, and students may be in any year of their studies.

Guidelines For Submission:



A pdf letter outlining how receiving this award will help the candidate with their orchestral career (maximum 250 words). Must include a photo of the musician and their mailing address.



A letter of reference from the candidate's teacher at UCalgary or MRU.



A 10-minute high-quality audio recording submitted via YouTube link, WeTransfer, Google Drive, Dropbox, or other file sharing service. There are no specific repertoire guidelines — the piece should showcase the student at their best.

Applications are due to Alysha Armanious (aarmanious@calgaryphil.com) by **12PM on 20 May 2026**.

The Calgary Philharmonic will be selecting one winner this year.