



St Stephen's Uniting Church

197 Macquarie Street
Sydney
NSW 2000

Organ Scholarship 2009

St Stephen's Uniting Church is offering an organ scholarship for 2009. This scholarship is open to organ students in years 10, 11 and 12, and to undergraduate and graduate students in 2009.

The scholarship has a value of Aus\$3,000, paid in two halves during the year.

The successful applicant will undertake to assist the Director of Music at St Stephen's Uniting Church at Sunday morning services and choir practices (organ and singing duties) throughout the academic year. They will also take part in other Presbytery, Synod and community services, and other events as needed under the direction of the Director of Music and the Minister.

The successful applicant would be granted access to practice on the organ and pianos in the church.

Interested applicants should reply in writing to the Director of Music, St Stephen's Uniting Church. No late applications can be accepted. Applications must include CV, academic record and at least one letter of recommendation. The Scholarship Committee will review the submitted material, and may invite applicants to an audition and interview. Auditions will take place in mid January 2009.

All invited applicants will undertake a short audition including the following:

- 2 contrasting pieces of their own choice performed on the organ, one suitable for a prelude and the other for a postlude
- Playing a prepared hymn
- Playing a hymn at sight

The successful applicant will be informed by the end of January 2009.

Leave of absence from Church duties must be requested in writing at least 1 week in advance to the Director of Music, otherwise scholarship may be jeopardised.

Auditions for 2009 scholarships will be overseen by the Director of Music, Mr Adrian Chong, the Minister, Rev Dr Matthew Jack, and Chairperson of Church Council, Ms Rosalie Ramsay.

Kindly complete the following application form below.

Closing date 31 December 2008

Please return to:

Director of Music
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Application for Organ Scholarship 2009

Please complete the following, attach copy of audition music and return to the church office by 5pm on 31st December 2008 (*no late applications can be accepted*). Audition times will be emailed shortly after the closing date.

Name
email
Contact ph
Instrument/s
Past keyboard experience (please attach your CV and academic record)
Referees (Please attach letter/s of recommendation)
University or School year
Course
Please write in a brief outline your reasons for applying for a scholarship and what you hope to achieve through your participation in the programme
Title of pieces you plan to perform for the audition