



The Carbonell Awards

South Florida's Theater & Arts Honors Since 1976

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

October 1, 2011

RE: Carbonell Awards Student Scholarship

Dear Educator:

On behalf of board of directors of The Carbonell Awards, I am pleased to announce that we are now accepting nominations for the 2012 Student Scholarship Program. Scholarships are awarded to graduating high school seniors who have achieved a minimum 3.0 GPA and are enrolled in college to pursue a degree in theatre or journalism. The selection of recipients is based on talent, experience and demonstrated commitment to the theatre. This year The Carbonell Awards will be awarding three scholarships, in the amount of \$1,000.00 each, to three deserving students. The scholarships will be awarded to one student from each of three South Florida counties, Broward, Miami-Dade and Palm Beach, and will be presented during our annual awards ceremony on April 2, 2012 at the Broward Center for the Performing Arts.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- ✓ Student must be a graduating high school senior with a minimum 3.0 GPA
- ✓ Student must be a resident of Broward, Miami-Dade or Palm Beach County
- ✓ Student must be accepted into College to pursue degree in theatre or journalism
- ✓ Student must be nominated by a mentor from school or theatre. No parents please and no self nominations.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

A student's mentor (director, teacher, guidance counselor who has first hand knowledge and experience with the student) must nominate the student to be considered for the scholarship. However, the student is expected to work with the nominator to complete other elements of the application.

SCORING CRITERIA

The judging committee will evaluate scholarship applicants and select scholarship winners based on the following criteria:

- 10 pts Student bio
- 25 pts Educational goals
- 20 pts Theatre experience
- 20 pts Essay
- 25 pts Interview

Nominations must be submitted via email to: carbonellscholars@gmail.com by February 3, 2012.

INTERVIEW REQUIREMENTS

Students selected for the second stage in the process will be required to participate in an interview. The Interview will take place during the first week of March 2012.

THE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

All scholarship recipients will be announced during the Carbonell Awards ceremony on April 2, 2012 at the Broward Center for the Performing Arts. The Carbonell Awards recognize the best theatrical shows and performances in Miami-Dade, Broward and Palm Beach counties. The Carbonell Awards are among the nation's senior regional arts awards. The Scholarship Award can be used to pay for tuition, books and other related educational expenses. The funds will be awarded once enrollment has been verified.

The nomination form can be found at <http://carbonellawards.org/>. The deadline is February 3, 2012. For more information, please contact me at alondon@carbonellawards.org

Sincerely,

Amy London
Executive Director