

The Heather McCallum Scholarship

The Heather McCallum Scholarship was established in 1987 by the Association for Canadian Theatre Research (ACTR) in honour of the former head of the Theatre Department at the Toronto Reference Library. Every year a maximum scholarship of \$1000 is available by competition to established as well as new theatre specialists. Preference is given to theatre research, but projects touching on dance, opera, cinema, television, or scenography are also eligible.

The scholarship is aimed towards projects not usually fundable under other subsidy schemes. For example, the committee will refuse a request for doctoral research money, but will welcome a well-defined project including subsidy for travel to theatre sites, for consulting special collections, for purchase or access to film or video materials.

Candidates are asked to submit the following:

- 1) a letter (1 to 2 pages) describing the project for which assistance is required.
- 2) a detailed breakdown of costs
- 3) information concerning applications to other granting agencies
- 4) a current Curriculum vitae
- 5) the names of two persons who have been asked to send letters of reference directly to the Secretary of the Committee. These letters should comment on the project, on the candidate's scholarship record and potential.

This year's deadline for applications for the 2009 Heather McCallum Scholarship is 15 April 2009. Applications should be sent to:

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For more complete information concerning Terms of Reference, Selection Criteria and Application Procedures, please refer to the CATR-ACRT website:
<http://www.catr-acrt.ca>