

**Current Theatre Major and Minor Students**  
**Scholarship Application Details for Fall 2026 and Spring 2027 Awards**

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: January 15, 2026**

**THEATRE MAJORS AND MINORS – MUST complete Steps 1-3:**

**STEP 1: COMPLETE THE USA**

ALL students applying for UNI scholarships MUST COMPLETE the online UNI Scholarship Application (referred to as the USA) found at <https://admissions.uni.edu/financial-aid/uni-scholarship-application>. You will need to login to gain access.

Complete all sections. Remember, you are applying for ALL UNI scholarships, not just scholarships within your major or minor area of study.

BEGIN EARLY to give yourself time to fully complete the application and to attach all required uploads. On the “FINISH” screen, you MUST type your name in the box to serve as your signature. The application will not process without a signature. Click “SUBMIT APPLICATION”. If your application submission was successful, you will receive a confirmation email.

**STEP 2: COMPLETE THEATRE ESSAY**

Rather than answering the essay question asked in the USA, your Theatre-specific essay should include:

- A statement of your educational and career goals.
- A description of how your experiences at Theatre UNI will help you to achieve these goals.

*At first usage of word/term, please spell out (i.e. Assistant Stage Manager) before abbreviating (i.e. ASM).*

Either UPLOAD this essay in the College of Humanities, Arts and Sciences essay section of the USA OR EMAIL to Kristy Harnois at [kristy.harnois@uni.edu](mailto:kristy.harnois@uni.edu)

**STEP 3: SUBMIT RESUME AND PRODUCTION EXPERIENCE LIST**

EMAIL a current resume AND an updated list of production experiences at UNI (full production title, full assignment title/role, date/semester) to Kristy Harnois at [kristy.harnois@uni.edu](mailto:kristy.harnois@uni.edu)

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**NOTE: Failure to complete Steps 1-3 will cause you to be disqualified from consideration for ALL Department of Theatre Scholarships.**

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**THEATRE MAJORS ONLY** (MINORS NOT ELIGIBLE): CHAS scholarships require additional materials. Follow the directions below if you want to apply for CHAS scholarships:

**CHAS (College of Humanities, Arts and Sciences) Scholarships:** In addition to all other materials listed above, you MUST submit a **LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION** from a Theatre faculty member. Submit letter to Kristy Harnois at [kristy.harnois@uni.edu](mailto:kristy.harnois@uni.edu) by January 15, 2026.