

**STUDENT APPLICATION**  
**American Guild of Organists**  
**Application for Pipe Organ Encounter Scholarship Aid**

This page is to be completed by the **student**. This application cannot be processed if any line is left blank or any question unanswered. Financial aid is awarded for tuition only, not for travel or other expenses. Student awards are made for no more than one POE year. Students cannot apply for assistance to attend a second or third POE in the same year. **Please print or type all information.**

_____ Student Name	_____ Student Email Address (with p/g permission)		
_____ Street Address	_____ City	_____ State	_____ Zip Code
_____ Phone Number (home)	_____ Phone Number (mobile)		
_____ Date of birth			
What grade are you in now? _____	Expected Graduation Date (mo/yr): _____		
Are you currently a member of the American Guild of Organists? Yes ____ No ____			
Amount of aid requested (Amount awarded may not be amount requested) \$ _____			
Location of POE you plan to attend: _____			
_____ Student's Signature	_____ Date		

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Please answer the following questions using complete sentences on a separate sheet of paper.  
Be sure to include your name on all additional pages.  
Please check the appropriate answer for the supplemental questions below.

1. Please explain why you want to attend a Pipe Organ Encounter.

Have you attended a POE previously? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

2. Why are you seeking a scholarship?

Have you received scholarship aid for a POE previously? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

Have you received any other scholarship assistance previously? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

3. What musical instruments have you studied and for how long?

*Please return this page, along with the page your parent or guardian has completed, to the local Chapter POE Director. The POE Director's contact information can be found in the POE brochure.*

**PARENT/GUARDIAN APPLICATION**  
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This page is to be completed by the POE student's **parent or legal guardian**. This application cannot be processed for the student if any line is left blank or any question unanswered. Financial aid is awarded for tuition only, not for travel or other expenses. Student awards are made for no more than one POE per year. Students cannot apply for assistance to attend a second or third POE in the same year. **Please print or type all information.**

I am submitting this application on behalf of: \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Student Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Parent or Legal Guardian P/G Email Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number (home) Phone Number (mobile)

Parent/Guardian Occupations: [please list each person's name(s) and occupation(s)]

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Combined annual household income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of persons in household: \_\_\_\_\_

**\_\_\_\_\_**  
Please add any other information you would like to provide regarding your son's or daughter's need for financial assistance. [you may attach additional sheets if necessary]

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Has your son/daughter attended a POE previously? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, has a POE scholarship ever been awarded? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

\*I certify that the above information is true to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or legal guardian Date

*Please return this page, along with the page your son/daughter has completed, to the local Chapter POE Director. The POE Director's contact information can be found in the POE brochure.*

**MUSIC TEACHER RECOMMENDATION**  
**American Guild of Organists**  
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A **music teacher's** recommendation is required for all students applying for scholarship assistance to attend a Pipe Organ Encounter. Applications cannot be processed unless a teacher's recommendation is submitted. Financial aid is awarded for tuition only, not for travel or other expenses.

As prior organ study is not a prerequisite for attending a Pipe Organ Encounter (POE), the teacher's recommendation may be submitted by a piano or organ teacher, a church or synagogue music director or organist, or a high school choral or instrumental teacher.

You are invited to submit your recommendation on professional letterhead. Although scholarship assistance to POEs is based on need, the teacher's recommendation provides a window into a student's work habits and character. Please feel free to mention any achievements that the student has attained.

You may share this recommendation with the student if you wish.

Please send your recommendation to the local Chapter POE Director. The student will provide you with that person's name, contact information and deadline.