

Brommel Barnett Kenas McGuckin Nicosia Speake Scholarship in Music

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to one of the top students majoring in Music who plans to pursue a teaching career.

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Be a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester. (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible.)

Nominated students must audition for full consideration. Faculty members may nominate students; students may ask faculty members to nominate them; or students may nominate themselves. A Department of Music Scholarship Application Form must be completed along with an essay discussing why the applicant wants to teach music and outlining his/her teaching goals.

Applicants will be considered based on financial need as determined by the Director of Financial Aid or his/her designee; participation in the University Honors Program; and participation in the Student Research Symposium.

Brommel Ratner Scholarship in Music

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to one of the top students majoring in Music who demonstrates great promise in voice performance or voice education. Promise shall be determined by an audition and shall be judged on pitch and accuracy, rhythm, musicianship, diction, and overall artistry.

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
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Brommel Komaiko Perez Scholarship for Ensemble Español

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to one of the top dancers in Ensemble Español enrolled at NEIU, who has demonstrated great promise, talent and proficiency in Spanish dance. The scholarship may be used to underwrite the cost of tuition books and fees.

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours) combined with a Spanish dance curriculum;
- Be a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester; (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible.)
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.0;
- Display their intention to pursue a professional career with the Ensemble Español dance company, as well as their commitment to and investment in Ensemble Español.

Applicants must complete an Ensemble Español Scholarship Application and write an essay outlining what the scholarship will mean to them and their understanding of their pending commitment to Ensemble Español.

Brommel Perez Scholarship for Ensemble Español

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to one of the top male dancers in Ensemble Español enrolled at NEIU, who has demonstrated great promise, talent and proficiency in Spanish dance. The scholarship may be used to underwrite the cost of tuition books and fees.

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours) combined with a Spanish dance curriculum;
- Be a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester; (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible.)
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.0;
- Display their intention to pursue a professional career with the Ensemble Español dance company, as well as their commitment to and investment in Ensemble Español.

Applicants must complete an Ensemble Español Scholarship Application and write an essay outlining what the scholarship will mean to them and their understanding of their pending commitment to Ensemble Español.

Brommel Brady Portokalis Scholarship in the Honors Program

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to a student:

- Who has completed all the elements of the Honors Program at NEIU;
- Whose graduation date will be during the current academic year;
- Who is accepted to and/or enrolled in any graduate school program;
- Who has demonstrated outstanding academic achievement, commitment to service and/or leadership within the Honors Program and attendance or presentations at conferences.

The scholarship check will be sent directly to the graduate school after the Director of the Honors Program confirms the recipient's enrollment. The scholarship may be applied to the cost of tuition, books and/or fees.

Applicants must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and write an essay (no more than three pages) describing in what ways the University Honors Program has been transformative in their development and prepared them for graduate school.

Brommel Elliot Scholarship in the Honors Program

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to a student:

- Who is participating in the NEIU Honors Program;
- Who has the potential to pursue graduate level coursework in one of the following areas: psychology, communication, counseling, social work, or mental health;
- Who is a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible);
- Who is enrolled full- or part-time (minimum six credit hours).

The scholarship check will be sent directly to the graduate school after the Director of the Honors Program confirms the recipient's enrollment. The scholarship may be applied to the cost of tuition, books and/or fees.

Applicants will be considered based on financial need as determined by the Director of Financial Aid or his/her designee; participation in the University Honors Program; and participation in the Student Research Symposium.

Applicants must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and write an essay (no more than three pages) describing in the area of coursework they plan to pursue after graduation and why they have chosen it.

Brommel Manganiello Scholarship in the Honors Program

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to two students (one in the fall, one in the spring):

- who are participating in the NEIU Honors Program;
- who have the potential to pursue graduate level coursework;
- are Juniors or Seniors, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester; (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible.)
- who are enrolled full- or part-time (minimum six credit hours).

Applicants shall submit an Honor's program thesis proposal to the Honors Faculty Advisory Committee. Applicants shall only be considered for this award during the semester in which the thesis proposal is submitted. The scholarship will be divided equally among the two recipients. The scholarship may be applied to the cost of tuition, books and/or fees.

Applicants will be considered based on financial need as determined by the Director of Financial Aid or his/her designee; participation in the University Honors Program; and participation in the Student Research Symposium.

Applicants must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and write an essay (no more than three pages) describing in the area of coursework they plan to pursue after graduation and why they have chosen it.

Bernard J. Brommel Doctoral Scholarship

One award per fiscal year is available to a student who is enrolled in a Ph.D. program who earned a bachelor's or master's degree at NEIU. To be eligible, a student must:

- Be enrolled in a program accredited by the North Central Association or equivalent accrediting agency for Ph.D.s;
- Have completed a bachelor's degree in the College of Arts and Sciences or the College of Education at NEIU and
- Have received a Master's degree from another institution; or from the College of Arts and Sciences or in the field of Counselor Education at NEIU;
- Be a first or second year graduate student (a doctoral student is eligible for an additional year to finish a dissertation or degree but must reapply).

Second year scholarships shall be given only to exceptional students in great financial need. The award may be divided and awarded to two separate recipients in the same academic year should the selection committee find that both meet the criteria and are equally deserving.

Brommel Feigenholtz Scholarship in Political Science

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to one of the top students majoring in political science who demonstrates the potential to go on in the field of political science at the graduate level. The scholarship shall be used towards the costs of tuition, books and/or fees. Applicants shall submit transcripts, a one-page, typed, double-spaced (12 point font) statement describing their plans for graduate school and a brief description of their tentative areas of study. Applicants shall submit a two-to-three page typed, double spaced (12 point font) analytical essay using any political concept or theory to demonstrate how they would solve a major societal problem or, more generally, construct a more just society.

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Be a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible).

Applicants will be considered based on financial need as determined by the Director of Financial Aid or his/her designee; participation in the University Honors Program; and participation in the Student Research Symposium.

Brommel Neiman Determination Against All Odds Scholarship

An annual \$1,200 scholarship will be awarded to an NEIU student who has overcome tremendous odds, which may include financial, emotional, physical or mental problems, family issues such as divorce, separation, abandonment or abuse (among others) in pursuit of higher education. Minority students, including Lesbian, Gay, bi-sexual, transgender, queer, living on their own and struggling to attend NIEU, and student with special needs, are encouraged to apply. The scholarship may be used to underwrite the costs of tuition, books and fees. The scholarship shall be divided over two semesters.

To be eligible, students must:

- Be in good standing at NEIU and have a minimum GPA of 2.2 for the freshman year or first 26 hours completed;
- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible.

Applicant must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and submit an essay as evidence of their determination in difficult circumstances in their life. The essay is to include the applicant's short- and long-term goals and show how earning their NEIU degree will enable them to reach these goals. Applicant must include two letters of recommendation from individuals such as: university faculty, doctors, high school teachers, clergy, long time family friends or others who can speak to the student's work and the struggles the student overcame to continue on in the pursuit of their higher education. These letters must cite evidence of the student's determination to overcome the odds they faced and/or still face in order to attend NEIU.

In the event there is a tie when determining the recipient, the following will be considered: financial need as determined by the Director of Financial Aid or his/her designee; participation in the University Honors Program; and participation in the Student Research Symposium.

Brommel Rocci Determination Against All Odds Scholarship

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- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
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Applicant must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and submit an essay as evidence of their determination in difficult circumstances in their life. The essay is to include the applicant's short- and long-term goals and show how earning their NEIU degree will enable them to reach these goals. Applicant must include two letters of recommendation from individuals such as: university faculty, doctors, high school teachers, clergy, long time family friends or others who can speak to the student's work and the struggles the student overcame to continue on in the pursuit of their higher education. These letters must cite evidence of the student's determination to overcome the odds they faced and/or still face in order to attend NEIU.

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Brommel Schaack Determination Against All Odds Scholarship

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To be eligible, students must:

- Be in good standing at NEIU and have a minimum GPA of 2.2 for the freshman year or first 26 hours completed;
- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible;

Applicant must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and submit an essay as evidence of their determination in difficult circumstances in their life. The essay is to include the applicant's short- and long-term goals and show how

earning their NEIU degree will enable them to reach these goals. Applicant must include two letters of recommendation from individuals such as: university faculty, doctors, high school teachers, clergy, long time family friends or others who can speak to the student's work and the struggles the student overcame to continue on in the pursuit of their higher education. These letters must cite evidence of the student's determination to overcome the odds they faced and/or still face in order to attend NEIU.

In the event there is a tie when determining the recipient, the following will be considered: financial need as determined by the Director of Financial Aid or his/her designee; participation in the University Honors Program; and participation in the Student Research Symposium.

Brommel Wambach Determination Against All Odds Scholarship

An annual \$1,200 scholarship will be awarded to an NEIU student who has overcome tremendous odds, which may include financial, emotional, physical or mental problems, family issues such as divorce, separation, abandonment or abuse (among others) in pursuit of higher education. Minority students, including Lesbian, Gay, bi-sexual, transgender, queer, living on their own and struggling to attend NIEU, and student with special needs, are encouraged to apply. The scholarship may be used to underwrite the costs of tuition, books and fees. The scholarship shall be divided over two semesters.

To be eligible, students must:

- Be in good standing at NEIU and have a minimum GPA of 2.2 for the freshman year or first 26 hours completed;
- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible;

Applicant must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and submit an essay as evidence of their determination in difficult circumstances in their life. The essay is to include the applicant's short- and long-term goals and show how earning their NEIU degree will enable them to reach these goals. Applicant must include two letters of recommendation from individuals such as: university faculty, doctors, high school teachers, clergy, long time family friends or others who can speak to the student's work and the struggles the student overcame to continue on in the pursuit of their higher education. These letters must cite evidence of the student's determination to overcome the odds they faced and/or still face in order to attend NEIU.

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Bernard J. Brommel Distinguished Research Professor Award

One \$5,000 award per fiscal year is available to reward established research by NEIU faculty members who have a record of success, and to encourage other faculty, especially young and new faculty members, to produce a significant body of scholarly work.

The recipient has the option of accepting the award as a one-time payment or through an account established in the NEIU Foundation for the purpose of supporting the recipient's continued creative and scholarly activity.

To be eligible for nomination, faculty must be:

- Full-time
- Tenured or tenure-track
- In their fourth year or more of service at NEIU

Small teams of faculty who have collaborated on a research project may be jointly nominated. Should a team be selected, each member would receive an equal share of the total award.

Any faculty member or administrator may nominate any member of the NEIU faculty who meets these eligibility criteria.

Self-nominations are not considered. The award may only be won once. Previous recipients are not eligible for nomination.

The nominator must submit a letter of nomination that summarizes the nominee's accomplishments as they pertain to the following criteria:

- The candidate must have a significant body of scholarly works or creative activity that have appeared in peer-reviewed settings such as a juried exhibition, leading journals in the candidate's discipline, etc.;
- Published books that have been critically reviewed in the press or publications of their discipline;
- External evidence of the impact of the individual's scholarly/creative contributions, involvement in regional, national or international organizations such as holding office in the organization or presenting scholarship papers at regional and national meetings of their professional or academic organization.

Nominees are encouraged to cite published book reviews and the like that discuss the nominee's work. The letter should be no more than three pages and must be accompanied by a bibliography of the nominee's work. The actual work should not be submitted with the nomination.

Brommel Mendelson Hennington Scholarship in Interdisciplinary Studies or University Without Walls Scholarship

An annual \$1,200 award is available for a student enrolled in Interdisciplinary Studies or University Without Walls program at NEIU. The scholarship shall be used towards the costs of tuition, books and/or fees. Applicants must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and write a two-to-three page essay describing their aspirations after graduation and how their experience at NEIU has changed their lives.

To be eligible, students must:

- Be in good standing at NEIU and have a minimum GPA of 3.0 in Interdisciplinary Studies or be making satisfactory progress toward a degree in the University Without Walls;
- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Be a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible).

Applicants will be considered based on financial need as determined by the Director of Financial Aid or his/her designee; participation in the University Honors Program; and participation in the Student Research Symposium.

Brommel Lindberg Scholarship in History

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to one of the top students majoring in history who demonstrates the potential to go on in the field of history at the graduate level. The scholarship shall be used towards the costs of tuition, books and/or fees. Students shall be nominated by faculty members.

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Be a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester. (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible.)

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Brommel Adams Bell-Jordan Scholarship in Communication, Media and Theatre

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to one of the top students majoring in communication, media and theatre at NEIU who demonstrates the potential to go on in the field of communication, media and theatre at the graduate level. Preference will be given to students who display an interest in communication rather than media or theatre based on their academic transcript of completed courses. The scholarship shall be used towards the costs of tuition, books and/or fees.

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Be a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester. (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible.)

Applicants will be considered based on financial need as determined by the Director of Financial Aid or his/her designee; participation in the University Honors Program; and participation in the Student Research Symposium.

Faculty may nominate students, students may ask a family member to nominate them or students may self-nominate. Applicants must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and write a two-to-three page essay describing what area of communication discipline they are interested in and why (i.e. interpersonal, family, conflict management, negotiation, etc.) .

Brommel Hanson Ijams Hayward Scholarship in Communication, Media and Theatre

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to one of the top students majoring in communication, media and theatre at NEIU who demonstrates the potential to go on in the field of communication at the graduate level or who displays the ability to reach the top of his/her field in media, family communication, or another area of the communication discipline. Preference will be given to female students. The scholarship shall be used towards the costs of tuition, books and/or fees.

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Be a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester. (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible.)

Applicants will be considered based on financial need as determined by the Director of Financial Aid or his/her designee; participation in the University Honors Program; and participation in the Student Research Symposium.

Faculty may nominate students, students may ask a family member to nominate them or students may self-nominate. Applicants must complete an NEIU Scholarship Application and write a two-to-three page essay describing what area of communication discipline they are interested in and why (i.e. interpersonal, family, conflict management, negotiation, etc.) .

Brommel Kramer Barnitz Scholarship in Communication, Media and Theatre

One \$1,200 award per fiscal year is available to one of the top students majoring in communication, media and theatre at NEIU who demonstrates the potential to go on in the field of communication, media and theatre at the graduate level. Preference will be given to students who display an interest in communication rather than media or theatre based on their academic transcript of completed courses. The scholarship shall be used towards the costs of tuition, books and/or fees.

To be eligible for consideration, applicants must:

- Be enrolled part- or full-time at NEIU (a minimum of six credit hours);
- Be a Junior or Senior, having completed at least 60 credit hours by the end of the current spring semester. (Senior applicants must have two or more semesters remaining prior to graduation to be eligible.)

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