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James A. and Muriel S. Richardson Scholarship in Music

Through a testamentary provision from the Mrs. James A. Richardson Foundation Inc., Mrs. Muriel Sprague Richardson (1891 – 1973) established a fund at The Winnipeg Foundation to provide prestigious scholarships to students in the Marcel A. Desautels Faculty of Music at the University of Manitoba. This fund is a continuation of the many years of support Mrs. Richardson provided to students in the Faculty.

Muriel (Mrs. James A.) Richardson was Chairman of The Winnipeg Foundation Board from 1955-1962. She quietly and generously supported countless community endeavours, and sustained an interest in all of the arts in Winnipeg. Mr. James A. Richardson (1885 – 1939) was a prominent businessman and aviation pioneer.

Each year, The Winnipeg Foundation will report the available annual earnings from the James A. and Muriel S. Richardson Trust fund to Financial Aid and Awards at the University of Manitoba. The available annual earnings from the fund will be used to offer one scholarship to an undergraduate student who:

- (1) is enrolled full-time (minimum 80% course load) in any year of study in the Marcel A. Desautels Faculty of Music at the University of Manitoba;
- (2) has achieved:
 - (a) for entering students, a minimum 85% average on the best five courses appearing on the list of acceptable courses for entrance scholarship consideration; or
 - (b) for continuing students, a minimum degree grade point average of 3.25.

The Dean of the Marcel A. Desautels Faculty of Music (or designate) will name the selection committee for this award.

Established: Senate, December 11, 1973

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