

Arabesque Trust: Supporting Blind and Partially-Sighted Organists

This application form has four sections, and is designed to be completed in conjunction with the terms of reference document.

Section One

Application

Please delete one or other of the following statements as appropriate:

I am the applicant.

I am applying on behalf of the award recipient.

If you are applying on behalf of the award recipient, please complete the following details:

Name:

Relationship to award recipient:

Postal address (if different from that of the award recipient):

Contact telephone number (if different from that of the award recipient):

Email address (if different from that of the award recipient):

Please delete one or other of the following statements as appropriate:

I am applying for an Aprahamian Scholarship.

I am applying for an Aprahamian Bursary.

Contact details of Award recipient

Name:

Date of Birth:

Postal address:

Contact telephone number:

Email address:

Visual Impairment of Award recipient

What level, if any, of visual impairment do you have?

Supporting Requirements of Award recipient

Do you have any additional support requirements the Arabesque Trust trustees ought to be aware of?

Funding

Please delete and/or complete the following statements as appropriate:

I have applied for funding from the Arabesque Trust before, in the year 20xx.

I have not applied for funding from the Arabesque trust before.

I am applying to/intend to apply to other sources of funding, and they are:

Other relevant information

If there is any information which you wish the trustees to be aware of, please write it here:

Section Two

Please complete Section Two A if you are applying for an Aprahamian Scholarship.

Please complete Section Two B if you are applying for an Aprahamian Bursary.

Section Two A (Aprahamian Scholarship)

Organ teachers

Please list your organ teacher(s).

Music Exam(s)

Please list any music exams you have passed, specifying the instrument.

Practice Organs

Do you have any access to a practice organ? Please list below:

Tuition

Please complete the following:

I have a teacher with whom I want to begin to study/continue to study the pipe organ. Their details are:

Name:

Postal address:

Contact telephone number:

Email address:

Qualifications:

Disclosure and Barring Service ID:

Music Learning for Visually-Impaired Applicants

The Arabesque Trust trustees are aware that there are many forms of score-learning in the visually impaired community, ranging from learning by ear, through use of magnification technology, to Braille music systems. Please list your learning methods below. If you have found that learning from Braille music systems has been a barrier to your musical ambitions, and is something you would like to improve upon with help from an Arabesque Trust Braille Mentor, please include this information here.

Expenses

Please delete the following statements as appropriate:

I am applying for organ tuition only.

I am applying for organ tuition and expenses pertaining to organ tuition (including but not necessarily limited to: music purchase, practice venue costs, and travel expenses to lessons and practice).

Section Two B (Aprahamian Bursary)

Music Exam(s)

Please list any music exams you have passed, specifying the instrument.

Instrumental Teacher(s)

Please list your teachers.

Tuition

Please delete and/or complete the following statements as appropriate:

I do not have a teacher and would require suggestions from the Arabesque Trust.

I have a teacher with whom I want to begin to study the pipe organ. Their details are:

Name:

Postal address:

Contact telephone number:

Email address:

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Section Three

Referees

Please give details (Name, Postal Address, Contact Telephone Number, Email Address, Qualifications, and Relationship to award recipient) of two people who would be happy to write in support of your application. In listing them below, the Arabesque Trust understands that you have sought the referees' permission, and that the Arabesque Trust may contact them at any point in the application process.

Section Four

Consent

In signing and dating this form, digitally or otherwise, I confirm that:

- 1 I consent for the Arabesque Trust to hold my details on file for five years.
- 2 I understand that receiving an Aprahamian Scholarship or Aprahamian Bursary is dependent upon regular reports from the award recipient, and from their teacher.
- 3 I understand that the Arabesque Trust is not providing a service, but acting as a funding source.
- 4 I understand that any award offer made should be accepted by the award recipient in writing within six months, after which it will lapse and a new application would need to be made to the Arabesque Trust.
- 5 I understand that the Arabesque Trust will not fund retrospectively.
- 6 I understand that the decision of the Arabesque Trust's trustees is final.
- 7 I understand that in some cases the Arabesque Trust will not meet a financial request in full, but that an Arabesque Trust pledge may be used to encourage other funding.
- 8 I understand that anonymised data pertaining to applicants may be used to inform Arabesque Trust planning and provision of awards and services.

Signed by applicant/by award recipient (please delete as appropriate):

Date:

Deadline: 5pm BST, 1 July 2021.

Email to: awards@arabesque-trust.org.uk

Post to Arabesque Trust Awards, 7 Cathedral Close, Guildford, GU2 7TL