Iowa State University
Department of Music and Theatre

proudly announces the

Scholarship in Choral Accompanying

One deserving pianist will be awarded the Iowa State University Choral Accompanying Scholarship, which provides a $6,500 annual stipend (approximately, full in-state tuition) for up to four academic years. Candidates may be eligible for additional financial support from the university.

The awardee’s responsibilities will include serving as the accompanist for two of ISU’s major choral ensembles, currently the Iowa Statesmen (ISU’s noted men’s choir of 130 voices) and Cantamus (ISU’s nationally recognized women’s choir of 70 voices). Other accompanying opportunities within the department and community usually exist for additional income.

The applicant must have superior piano skills and experience in choral accompanying, including abilities in open score reading and sight reading, and must also possess a strong desire for high artistic achievement. Both music and non-music majors are eligible for the award.

The application form is located on the ISU Music Department web page www.music.iastate.edu. Application deadline: February 28 or until position is filled. For further information please contact Dr. James Rodde, Director of Choral Activities jrodde@iastate.edu, (515) 294-0395.

Iowa State University is home to a highly distinguished undergraduate choral program. Its choirs have been granted opportunities to perform at the national conferences of the ACDA, NCCO, MENC, and IMC, and have sung to critical acclaim on international tours. On campus, students and faculty take great pride in the healthy collegial atmosphere that pervades the department. See the Music Department web site for more information www.music.iastate.edu.
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Application Form

Name ___________________________________________________
Address ____________________________________________________________

street city state zip
Phone (_____)____________  E-mail address ________________________________

High School __________________________ Year of graduation________

List primary piano teacher(s)

Name ___________________ Phone ___________ # years of study ___
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Please attach a resumé or complete the following:

• List choral accompanying experiences

• List other types of accompanying experiences

Two letters of reference (minimum) are required.

Would you be willing to travel to Iowa State University for an interview? ______

Application deadline: February 28, 2014. Send all materials to:

Dr. James Rodde
Director of Choral Activities
111 Music Hall
Iowa State University
Ames, Iowa 50011

Questions? Please contact: Dr. Rodde at jrodde@iastate.edu or (515) 294-0395.