



2009 Scholarships

The music scholarships to be held during
2009 total over \$12,000

Audition is by means of video, CD
or cassette [no DVDs]

A special

SHOWCASE CONCERT

will be held at Cooté Theatre, The Scots College

on 30th August to feature the

Finalists and award the Scholarships

General information follows

Contact the MTA Secretary for entry forms

and details of each Scholarship

or visit the Association's website

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Scholarships 2009: General Information

1. The Scholarships to be offered in 2009 include:
 - *The Elizabeth Todd Lieder Prize in Memory of Geoffrey Parsons*
 - *The Margaret Chalmers Memorial Scholarship*
 - *The MTA Piano Scholarships*
 - *The MTA Vocal Scholarships*
2. **ALL** auditions will be by video or cassette [**no** DVD] and competitors must sign a statutory declaration that the work presented is their own.
3. Copies of works being performed must be submitted with all entries.
4. **ALL** entries close on 30 June 2009 and no late entries will be received.
5. Finalists will be required to perform the same works in the *Showcase Concert* as those presented for audition.
6. Finalists will take part in a *Showcase Concert* to be held on 30th August at The Scot's College, Sydney.
7. Attendance at the *Showcase Concert* is open to the public. Photography and/or taping [audio or visual] is not permitted at the venue.
8. Unless the MTA cancels a scholarship due to insufficient entries, no refunds will be given.
9. The adjudicators' decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
10. Entry forms including fees payable are available on the MTA website or by contacting the Secretary.
11. Teachers of entrants do not necessarily have to be members of the MTA.

Our esteemed adjudicators are:

**** Mr Patrick Thomas MBE**

Patron of the MTA of NSW and celebrated orchestral conductor

**** Mrs Karen Walmsley**

*professional lyric coloratura and former
Australian Opera Chorus member*

**** Mr John Colwill**

*ABC FM Classic presenter and immediate past President,
the Music Teachers Assoc of Queensland*