

# MMEA Awards

MMEA members are encouraged to submit nominations for these prestigious awards. An awards display case in Ted Mann Concert Hall at the University of Minnesota now houses a series of perpetual plaques honoring winners of MMEA awards. You are encouraged to visit our display during any event at Ted Mann Concert Hall.

## Hall of Fame Awards

For significant career contributions to music education in Minnesota. Up to six awards can be given.

Requirements:

1. Current member of MMEA-MENC.
2. Service as an active music educator or administrator in music education in a Minnesota public or private school or institution of higher learning for a period of not less than ten years.
3. Significant contributions to the music education profession in Minnesota.
4. All nomination materials must be submitted by June 1.

## Previous Hall of Fame Winners

### 1986

Hal Freese  
Murrae Freng  
Harriet Nordholm  
Gerald Prescott  
Ronald Riggs  
Adolph White

### 1987

Earl Bohm  
Willard "Woody" Budnick  
Curtis Hanson  
Vernon Malone  
George Regis  
Ted Thorson

### 1988

A. B. "Bud" Engen  
Charles Erickson  
T. P. Giddings  
James Gronseth  
Erwin Hertz  
Harvey Waugh

### 1989

Don Gjerdrum  
Hugh Gibbons  
Paul Stoughton

### 1990

Joe Fennie  
Morris Johnson  
Hazel Nohavec Morgan

### 1991

William Allen Abbott  
Gordon Peterson  
Alan E. Raitor

### 1992

Frank Bencriscutto  
Paul Heltne  
Mark Lammers  
Helen Nelson

Clinton Peterson  
Paul Montan

### 1993

Roger Barrett  
Georgia Garlid  
Ellwood Hoiseth  
Arnold Krueger  
John Solie  
Edgar Turrentine

### 1994

Jan Gilbertson  
Miles Johnson  
Jim Stellmaker

### 1995

Carl Lipke  
Helge Nasby  
Shirley Schrader  
Carl Thompson

### 1996

Allan Cornell  
Fulton Gallagher  
Alice Larsen  
Paul Storti  
Peter Tkach

### 1998

Gloria Kiestler  
John Zdechlik

### 1999

Earl Benson  
Paul Brandvik  
Paul Christiansen  
J. Robert Hanson  
Roger Tenney

### 2000

Dick Foley  
Duayne Malewicki  
Allen Opland

Stephen Schultz

### 2001

Roger Bjorklund

### 2002

John Hansen  
Robert Iverson  
Ron Larson  
Claire McCoy

### 2003

Paul Haack  
William Lavato  
Vernon Opheim  
Thomas Swanson

### 2004

Margaret Newton  
Bonnie Swanson

### 2005

Axel Theimer

### 2006

James Carlson  
Arvida Steen

### 2007

Peggy Johnson  
Doug Miller

### 2008

Steven Boehlke  
Jane Frazee

### 2009

Bruce Phelps

### 2010

Stanley Carlson  
Michael Hiatt

### 2011

Tom Haugen

### 2014

Wendy Barden

### 2015

Douglas Orzolek

**2018**

Joanna Cortright

**2019**

Catherine Schmidt

**2020**

Michael Peterson

**2021**

Linda Berger