

# MACRO Research Award

Funding for a wide range of projects has been made available to encourage research activities incorporating macro analysis techniques in all aspects of music.

## Eligibility

Research award money is only available to members of the organization. Projects must take place within one year of application.

## **Projects**

MACRO encourages projects in all areas of music. Projects should result in at least one of the following:

- 1. A session at our annual MACRO workshop in Madison, Wisconsin.
- 2. Development of research or teaching tools incorporating macro analysis.
- 3. Giving a MACRO workshop.
- 4. An article for our newsletter, the *Macro Circular*.
- 5. An article for *Musical Insights*, or other journals.
- 6. Lecture/recitals and other performance presentations incorporating aspects of macro analysis
- 7. Other short-term research projects, subject to approval by the Board.
- 8. Compositions involving a macro-analytical aesthetic.
- Projects involving instructor and student/joint participation are strongly encouraged.

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Funding will not be provided for:

- 1. On-going student employment (funded teaching / project assistants).
- 2. Faculty salaries or release time.
- 3. Activities that have already taken place.
- 4. Projects already receiving significant funding from another source.

Exception: We would prefer not to fund equipment, supplies, materials or assistance normally obtained through University, College, or Department budgets, but as most awards do not provide this kind of assistance, we may make exceptions on a case-by-case basis if need merits.

### **Award Amounts**

Average award amounts will be in the range of \$500–1,000. Funding requests for amounts over \$1,000 are possible, but will be addressed by the Board on a case-by-case basis.

## Review Process, Timetable, and Payment Process

Award applications are reviewed twice during the academic year. Applications must be received by either November 1, or February 1 annually. Applicants may discuss projects with members of the MACRO Board. Projects must be completed within one year of the date they are accepted. The following credit must appear on any printed and published materials: Funded in part by the Macro Analysis Creative Research Organization.

You will receive a copy of an award acceptance form with your congratulatory letter regarding the award. You must complete and return the form to the MACRO Chair before your award can be processed.

## **Application Form**

The MACRO Research Award application form is available online at www.macromusic.org/applications/researchGrant.html. For further information, please contact:

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