

\$16,000 SCHOLARSHIP

THEATRE · DANCE

ELIGIBILITY

This scholarship is available for students who participate in the Pittsburgh CLO Gene Kelly Awards as a member of a participating high school. All candidates should be completing their senior year of high school and have applied and been academically accepted to Seton Hill University.

Each candidate must have also received acceptance into a Theatre or Dance major. (Please note that some majors require applicants to audition.) Programs within these departments include:

Dance:

Dance (B.A.)
Dance Choreography (B.F.A.)
Dance - Integrated Studies (B.A.)
Dance Performance, Studio or Commercial (B.F.A.)

Theatre:

Theatre - Acting (B.F.A.)
Theatre Arts (B.A.)
Theatre Business (B.A.)
Theatre Design & Technology (B.F.A.)
Theatre - Musical Theatre (B.A., B.F.A.)
Theatre Performance (B.A.)

HOW TO APPLY

Submit a 400 to 600-word essay on why you plan to major in Theatre or Dance. This can include your past experience, your involvement with the Gene Kelly Awards, or your future ambitions.

Essays should be emailed to Joseph Domencic, Chair, Department of Theatre and Dance at domencic@setonhill.edu.

SCHOLARSHIP VALUE

The award will be a \$4,000 per year scholarship, for a total of \$16,000*.

Students interested in being considered for either award should complete a Gene Kelly Scholarship application and submit it to Joseph Domencic, by April 16, 2026.

*If the recipient is also awarded a Seton Hill Visual and Performing Arts (VPA) Scholarship, they choose the higher financial award of the two

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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SETON HILL UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: April 16, 2026

STUDENT INFORMATION:

Name:	Grade:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:
Address:	
E-Mail:	
Student Age:	Student Birthdate:
Student Current GPA:	Student SAT Score:

Name of Show Production Entered for Kellys: _____

Performing as Role (please list character): _____

Or

Production Assignment: _____

High School Drama Teacher Signature: _____

Applicants Signature: _____

Please forward to:
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