

2023 FRED EBB AWARD GUIDELINES

Eligibility:

Each applicant must be a composer/lyricist or composer/lyricist team wishing to create work for the musical theatre, and must not yet have achieved significant commercial success.

Application Materials:

1. A digital recording containing up to four songs from one or more musical theatre pieces, with typewritten lyrics and a description of the dramatic context for each song.

- o MP3, ZIP, and M4A song files are preferred, but Dropbox files are also acceptable. Dropbox files should not have time limits.
- o Please combine lyrics and context descriptions for all songs into **one** PDF.

2. A completed application form in PDF or Word format (see next page).

- Because all submissions will be reviewed anonymously, please do not place name(s) of writer(s) in any electronic file names, lyric sheets, or descriptions of dramatic context. Names should **only** appear on the Application Form.
- Only musical theatre work will be considered.
- Please do not submit recordings that include significant audience sound.
- The applicant(s) must have written all the songs included in the submission. For example, a composer cannot submit one song with her own lyrics, and a second song with lyrics by another writer.
- No individual may appear on more than one application. You cannot apply as an individual and again as part of a team, or as part of more than one songwriting team.

Submission Deadline and Award:

Applications will be accepted from **June 1–30, 2023**. Please email applications to fredebbfound@gmail.com with the subject line “Ebb Award Application 2023.” The winner will be selected in November 2023 and will receive \$60,000.

Due to the volume of applications, only finalists will be contacted.

2023 FRED EBB AWARD APPLICATION
FORM

Name(s):

Address:

Email:

Phone:

Materials Submitted (please describe):

Describe prior and current involvement in musical theatre writing (including any commercial success):

State reason(s) for seeking Award:

Email all application materials with subject line "Ebb Award Application 2023" to
fredebbfound@gmail.com