



Davidson Institute  
**Fellows Scholarship**

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## **BELLINGHAM TEEN AWARDED \$25,000 SCHOLARSHIP FOR HIS PROJECT EXPLORING MUSIC COMPOSITION DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC**

### **Henry From Named A 2022 Davidson Fellows Scholarship Winner**

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Bellingham, Wash. – The Davidson Fellows Scholarship Program has announced the 2022 scholarship winners. Among the honorees is 18-year-old Henry From of Bellingham. From won a \$25,000 scholarship for his project, *Composing New Music Amidst Covid-19*. He is one of only 21 students across the country to be recognized as a 2022 scholarship winner.

“I am honored and deeply grateful to be named a Davidson Fellow,” said From. “Not only does it recognize my work and provide significant support for my university studies, but it also introduces me to a community of young people from a broad range of disciplines who all share the motivation and passion required to truly benefit and enrich our society.”

For his project, From navigated the changes to musical composition and performance as a result of the pandemic. In addition to the creation of four solo piano works, three small ensemble works, and two orchestral works, a total of 60 minutes of music, From experienced a myriad of challenges, including cancellations, social distancing, reduced ensemble size, and technical aspects of livestreaming.

From will attend The Royal Conservatory of Music in the fall where he plans to earn a Bachelor of Music in piano performance with John O’Conor.

“This year’s class of Davidson Fellows Scholarship recipients continue to find new and innovative ways to pursue their educational and research journeys while striving to solve some of the world’s most vexing problems,” said Bob Davidson, founder of the Davidson Institute. “These students have not just overcome the challenges of doing significant work during a pandemic; our Fellows have embraced the new opportunities that have come from creative, outside-the-box thinking to use technology to expand their networks of mentors and access new sources of information and data, resulting in a very diverse portfolio of projects.”

The 2022 Davidson Fellows will be honored during a reception at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and with a virtual project presentation ceremony in September 2022.

The Davidson Fellows Scholarship program offers \$50,000, \$25,000 and \$10,000 college scholarships to students 18 or younger, who have completed significant projects that have the potential to benefit society in the fields of science, technology, engineering, mathematics, literature and music. The Davidson Fellows Scholarship has provided more than \$9 million in scholarship funds to 407 students since its inception in 2001, and has been named one of the

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most prestigious undergraduate scholarships by [U.S. News & World Report](#). It is a program of the Davidson Institute, a national nonprofit organization headquartered in Reno, Nev. that supports profoundly gifted youth.

### **About the Davidson Institute**

Founded by Bob Davidson in 1999, the Davidson Institute recognizes, nurtures and supports profoundly intelligent young people, and provides opportunities for them to develop their talents to make a positive difference. The Institute offers support through a number of programs and services, including the Davidson Fellows Scholarship and the [Davidson Academy of Nevada](#). For more information about the 2022 Davidson Fellows, please visit: [DavidsonFellows.org](#)

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