



ACDA Southern Region 2024 Conference Colleen Kirk Award Application

Choral music teachers in their first three years of full-time pre-collegiate teaching are eligible to apply for the Colleen Kirk Award, which provides complimentary registration to the regional conference and a stipend to assist with travel. Recipients of the award will submit a report to the region president within one year, following receipt of the award. Availability of funds will determine the number and amount of the awards presented annually.

The application process consists of an application form, a one-page letter stating your goals in attending the conference, and a letter of recommendation from a teacher, colleague, or administrator (include phone number and email address in recommendation for verification).

Name: _____ ACDA Membership #: _____

Current teaching/director position: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home/Mobile Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Professional Teaching / Conducting History

Education History – university/college(s) attended, degree(s) earned:

Letter of Recommendation is requested from: _____

Please submit the following by November 6 to Jeffery Ames at presidentelect@acdasonthern.org

1. This completed application form;
2. One-page letter stating your goals in attending the conference;
3. Letter of recommendation from a teacher, colleague, or administrator.

Completed applications for the 2024 Colleen Kirk Award will open on October 6, 2023 and will be due by November 6, 2023. Only fully completed applications will be considered. The award recipient will be notified by November 19, 2023.