

FLORIDA FESTIVAL OF NEW MUSICALS

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

I. Eligibility:

- A. The new musical's script and music must be ready for readings, workshop and productions at the time of submission and available for performance at the Festival in August 2017.
- B. The new musical must have a demo that represents the musical style of the show.
- C. The new musical must have full underlying rights clearance for any pre-existing material used in the script and score.
- D. The new musical cannot already be licensed through any licensing house or have had a fully mounted production.

II. Application:

- A. Once an application request has been received, a copy of the application and the application guidelines will be sent to the applicant.
- B. The application must be submitted via email to mail@winterparkplayhouse.org, **no later than December 31, 2016**. There is no application fee required.
- C. All submissions must include the following components in order to be considered:
 - 1) Title page
 - 2) Brief synopsis (1/2 page max.)
 - 3) Character breakdown
 - 4) Numbered pages
 - 5) Unattributed author's note, if applicable
 - 6) Demo CD, including track listings, demonstrating a current representation of the music and lyrics in the show, and highlighting the scope and depth of the score, in a quality recording with clear vocals and clear accompaniment.
 - 7) Demo track numbers in the script shall correspond to the appropriate track to be played when reading.
 - 8) Script must be in PDF format and it and the demo should be uploaded via Dropbox or a similar cloud-based file sharing service and the link sent along with the application via e-mail to mail@winterparkplayhouse.org with "FFNM Application" in the subject line.

III. Proof of Rights:

- A. Submit a letter from the creators that the musical is original, is not licensed and has not been produced.
- B. If the new musical contains any copyrighted material, submit a signed letter from the authors and underlying rights representatives stating the rights have been secured.
- C. If there is material that is now in the public domain, submit a letter stating when the material entered the public domain.

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