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Summary:

(December 10, 2003)-The University of Minnesota, Morris music discipline was awarded a \$500 grant from the Minnesota Band Directors Association (MBDA). This grant was used to help fund the 25th Annual UMM Concert Band Festival, which was held at UMM in November.

The Annual Concert Band Festival included a conducting symposium in which seven high school band conductors participated, as well as the Festival Honor Band, in which over 120 high school students participated.

Said Dr. John Stanley Ross, UMM director of bands, “We would like to thank the MBDA for their support of our program.”

The MBDA college workshop grants are to be used for clinics or workshops that directly benefit Minnesota band directors. The grant must constitute no more than 50 percent of the total clinic/workshop budget.

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