Funding for a Personal Recording Device

With the Miller Arts Minigrant, I was able to purchase the Tascam Portacapture X8 High Resolution Adaptive Multi-Recorder as well as some accessories. This past semester I have been able to borrow a personal recording device to record my own practice, practice with my chamber group, as well as performance recordings. Despite the progression of phone microphones, with this high quality device, I will be able to record practices and performances for future use in evaluating my own performance as well as for competitions/my portfolio. It will be incredibly time and cost-effective in the long term. I have recently begun using the device in my own practice to begin work on flute pieces for my upcoming DMP recital in this upcoming school year.

I am incredibly excited and grateful to the Miller Arts Program for this minigrant, this device will last for many years and allow me to grow as a musician in both skill and opportunity.

Budget:

- Tascam Portacapture X8: \$374.90
 - https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B093LFP3RD/ref=ewc_pr_img_3?smid=A TVPDKIKX0DER&psc=1
- Hard case compatible: \$33.99
 - https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0BM8NYWXR/ref=ewc_pr_img_2?smid = A118TZ4LLBWILH&psc=1
- Puccy screen protector: \$12.68
 - https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B09NRN53ZT/ref=ewc_pr_img_1?smid=A2W9PFRGN38AL7&psc=1
- Total: \$421.57