The George Zingali Memorial Scholarship

The George Zingali Scholarship, sponsored by the George Zingali Scholarship Committee, is presented to the highest scoring individual competitor in an individual color guard caption (flag, auxiliary or dance) of the DCI Performer’s Showcase (the annual DCI Individual & Ensemble Competition). The award of $1000 will be presented on behalf of the winner to the school or corps to use for the winner’s tuition.

George Zingali was inducted into the DCI Hall of Fame in 1991. He is frequently hailed as a creative genius instrumental in the development of visual design in both Winter Guard International and Drum Corps International, working with the 27th Lancers, Garfield Cadets and Star of Indiana on the drum corps field and St. Anthony's of Revere, Quasar, and Emerald Marquis in the winter guard activity. The George Zingali Memorial Fund, which supports the scholarship awards, was formed soon after Zingali's death in 1992.