

**PIANO FELLOWSHIP COMPETITION
FOR HIGH-SCHOOL SENIORS
February 20, 2010**

First Place: Four-Year, Renewable Piano Scholarship to Truman State University
including tuition plus room and board (at the average two-person room rate*)
Second Place: Four-Year, Renewable \$1,000 Piano Scholarship to Truman State University
Accompanying Stipends will also be awarded
All scholarships are renewable for eight semesters in total

(*The room and board rate is calculated using the standard two-person room rates in Truman's available residence halls, excluding West Campus Suites.)

ELIGIBILITY

- ❖ High-school seniors who are interested in pursuing a degree in music with piano as their primary instrument are eligible. **Entrants must also have already applied for admission to Truman State University before January 15, 2010.**
- ❖ Entrants must not have reached their 21st birthday by Jan. 1, 2010. Students who have already begun a college degree are not eligible.
- ❖ Awards must be accepted by May 1, 2010, and winners must be enrolled as full-time students no later than the fall of 2010.
- ❖ A minimum 3.0 grade-point average (on a 4.0 scale) must be maintained for annual renewal of the scholarship, and the student must continue to major in piano (B.M. in performance or B.A. Piano Emphasis Group).

SUGGESTED REPERTOIRE AND SIGHT READING

- ❖ One Baroque or Classical work
- ❖ One Romantic, Impressionistic, or Twentieth-Century work
- ❖ Single movements may be chosen.
- ❖ A sight reading component is required. This requirement will be used in determining Accompanying Stipend awards and general admission to the program.

All music must be memorized, and only solo works will be accepted (no concerto movements). One copy of the music with measure numbers must be provided for the judge. No photocopies are allowed.

PRELIMINARY AUDITIONS

- ❖ All students must submit a CD, DVD or cassette tape of the required repertoire. The repertoire performed in the final auditions must be the same as the preliminary audition repertoire. The audio quality of the recording can be a factor that the judges consider.
- ❖ Entries must be postmarked by January 15, 2010.
- ❖ If selected to perform in the final auditions, entrants will be notified of the exact time of their solo performance, as well as their sight reading audition, no later than February 9, 2010.
- ❖ All entrants will be given a written evaluation of their performance.

JUDGES

Preliminary auditions: Truman State University Piano Faculty
Final auditions: Professor Wha-In Lee, University of Kansas

The judges reserve the right to withhold any prize if, in their opinion, no pianist qualifies. The decision of the judges is final.

**PIANO EVALUATIVE AUDITIONS
FOR STUDENTS IN THE 10TH AND 11TH GRADES**

AWARDS

1st place: \$125

2nd place: \$100

SUGGESTED REPERTOIRE REQUIREMENTS

- ❖ Students must perform two memorized solo pieces from contrasting periods.
- ❖ One copy of the music with measure numbers must be provided for the judge. No photocopies are allowed.
- ❖ Because audition time is limited, the combined playing time for both pieces should not exceed 12 minutes.

PRELIMINARY AUDITIONS

- ❖ All students must submit a CD, DVD or cassette tape of the required repertoire, postmarked on or before January 15, 2010. The repertoire performed in the final auditions must be the same as the preliminary audition repertoire that is included on the CD, DVD or cassette tape. Finalists will be chosen to perform on campus.
- ❖ Entrants will be notified of the exact time of their audition no later than February 9, 2010.

ENTRY FEE FOR STUDENTS IN THE 10TH AND 11TH GRADES: \$20

(Seniors: No entry fee is required for the Truman Piano Fellowship Competition.)

(Your social security number is required on the application form in order to make out checks to the winners.)

TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY PIANO FESTIVAL APPLICATION FORM

Name _____ S.S. # _____

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Valid e-mail address _____

Phone _____ Teacher's name _____ Phone _____

Teacher's address _____

Teacher's e-mail address _____

Teacher's signature _____

(Teacher's signature indicates recommendation for the student's participation in the Truman Piano Festival.)

REPERTOIRE TO BE PERFORMED: INDICATE KEY, OPUS AND MOVEMENT IF APPLICABLE.

1. Title: _____

Composer: _____ Performance time _____

2. Title: _____

Composer: _____ Performance time _____

FOR PIANO FELLOWSHIP COMPETITION ENTRANTS ONLY:

Test scores (a minimum of one raw score is necessary): ACT _____ SAT _____

Name of high school _____

_____ Already applied to Truman Class Rank _____

_____ Have been accepted to Truman G.P.A. _____

Piano Fellowship entrants must have applied for admission to Truman before Jan. 15, 2010.

FOR EVALUATIVE AUDITION ENTRANTS ONLY:

Please check:

_____ I am in 10th or 11th grade and I wish to participate in the Piano Evaluative Auditions.
The entry fee of \$20 and CD, DVD or cassette tape are enclosed.
(Please indicate grade _____)

Return this form, postmarked by January 15, 2010, along with your check (made out to Truman State University Piano Festival) and CD, DVD or cassette tape to:

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27th Annual Piano Festival 2010

Truman State University

Kirksville, Missouri

Friday, February 19, 8:00 p.m.
Ophelia Parrish Performance Hall
Piano Recital by Truman Piano Festival Guest Artist
Wha-In Lee
University of Kansas

Saturday, February 20: All events take place in the Ophelia Parrish Performance Hall

10:00-11:45	Piano Evaluative Auditions (Grades 10-11)
11:45	Announcement of results from the morning Piano Evaluative Auditions (registration area)
1:00-3:00	Truman Fellowship Competition (Grade 12)
3:30-4:30	Master Class with Prof. Wha-In Lee, featuring Truman State University Piano Majors
4:30	Announcement of results from Truman Fellowship Competition (OP Performance Hall)