

YOUNG ARTIST CONCERTO COMPETITION

SUNDAY, MARCH 3, 2024, 12 P.M.



University of Northern Iowa
Davis Hall at the Gallagher-Bluedorn Performing Arts Center
8201 Dakota Street, Cedar Falls, Iowa

ELIGIBILITY

Piano, string, woodwind, brass, and percussion students enrolled in grades eight through twelve are invited to participate. Additionally, the applicants must be residents of Iowa.

APPLICATION

The application is available at wcf-symphony.org, under EDUCATION. The application and entry fee of \$40 must be postmarked no later than February 5, 2024.

REPERTOIRE REQUIREMENTS

- Applicants must be prepared to perform from memory on the day of competition, one fast movement of a standard solo concerto for which there is an orchestral accompaniment.
- Each applicant will be allowed eight minutes to play for the judges.
- Applicants are required to provide their own accompanist and music. Upon request, names of local accompanists will be provided by the YACC chairperson listed below.
- One published copy of the piano score with appropriate cuts clearly marked, must be provided for the judges. NO PHOTOCOPIES PLEASE.

PRIZES

First prize - \$400

Second prize - \$250

Third prize - \$150

The judges reserve the right to award only those prizes that meet the standards expected in the competition. The winner may be invited to perform with the *wcf-symphony* during the 2024-25 season at the discretion of Artistic Director Jason Weinberger.

DATES & TIMES

Application and fees – Postmarked no later than February 5, 2024

Audition times – Applicants will be notified of their audition time by mid-February

Warm up times – Assigned warm-up times will begin at 11:00 a.m.

Competition – Begins at noon

FURTHER INFORMATION

All primary communications will be via email. Questions or concerns may be directed to:

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