

## Annual Student Competition Piano, Voice, Strings

Co-Chairs: Liana Gheorghita & Cheryl Tchansz  
Date: April 18, 2009  
Location: TBA

The Annual Student Competition is a highly competitive Event. This competition is open to students of CFMTA members in good standing. A teacher may enter **two** students at each level. Judges will be apprised of all requirements. **Performances must be completed in the allotted time without cuts in the music.** Repeats and first endings may be excluded. Two judges will be assessing the competition.

**Teachers whose students are involved in this event are required to assist if notified.**

<u>Level</u>	<u>Grade In School</u>	<u>Time Limit</u>
Primer	1,2	3 minutes
I	3, 4, 5	6 minutes
II	6, 7, 8	9 minutes
III	8, 9, 10	12 minutes
IV	10, 11, 12	15 minutes

Vocal auditions are restricted to contestants in Level III & Level IV  
The Auditions are open to piano and string contestants at all levels.

### Repertoire Requirements

Contestants must perform works representing two of four stylistic periods\*. More than two pieces may be performed.

\*1. Baroque 2. Classical 3. Romantic 4. Impressionistic or Contemporary

Questions regarding composers or stylistic periods should be directed to the CFMTA Musicologist, or consult the April/May 2008 issue of the American Music Teacher Magazine.

## Awards

Judges will select a 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place at each level, if deemed appropriate.  
**Please note: We must have a minimum of 3 entries in a level, or that level will be cancelled.**

	<u>1<sup>st</sup> Place</u>	<u>2<sup>nd</sup> Place</u>	<u>3<sup>rd</sup> Place</u>
Primer	\$25.00	\$15.00	\$10.00 gift certificate to Borders
Level I	\$50.00	\$25.00	\$10.00 gift certificate to Borders
Level II	\$75.00	\$40.00	\$10.00 gift certificate to Borders
Level III	\$100.00	\$50.00	\$10.00 gift certificate to Borders
Level IV	\$125.00	\$60.00	\$10.00 gift certificate to Borders

## Application Information

Each application should include the following:

- Applicant's name, level, and medium
- Teacher's name, address and phone number(s)
- Compositions, composers, and performance times
- **Length of performance must conform to time limits or applicant is automatically disqualified**

**Once submitted, the student's program may not be altered or the performance will not be heard.**

Application fees:

Primer - \$15.00; Level I - \$25.00; Level II - \$30.00; Level III - \$35.00;  
Level IV - \$40.00

Application Deadline: March 27, 2009

Please use the Student Event Registration Form found on this website. Submit a separate form for each student along with ONE check for the total amount of entry fees to:

Liana Gheorghita  
7921 Clubhouse Estates Drive  
Orlando, FL 32819

ALL Winners (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place) will perform at the CFMTA Spring Soiree on April 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. – **location TBA**