

50th
Anniversary

Young Artists Competition

Competition:

Saturday, January 23, 2010

Conrad Prebys Music Center, UCSD

New location this year! Please note that the 2010 Young Artists Competition will be held in UCSD's new Conrad Prebys Music Center. Directions can be found at www.lajollasympphony.com.

Entry Deadline: December 31, 2009

Prizes & Performances

Instrumental Division

First place – \$1,500

Second place – \$1,000

Third place – \$500

Most Promising – \$250

Vocal Division

First place – \$1,500

Second place – \$1,000

Third place – \$500

Most Promising – \$250

- First place winners will be required to perform at a 50th Anniversary Concert on Sunday, January 24, 2010. Please confirm that you and your accompanist are available to perform at this concert. Inability to meet this requirement may result in forfeiture of your award.
- First place winners may be featured as paid soloists with the La Jolla Symphony & Chorus contingent upon repertoire and scheduling.
- Winners will be given the opportunity to perform in the Mini-Concert Series at either the Athenaeum in La Jolla or the Lyceum Theatre in downtown San Diego.
- Winners may be invited to perform in schools as part of the outreach programs of the La Jolla Symphony & Chorus.

Eligibility

Instrumental
age 14-26
at time of contest

Vocal
age 18-28
at time of contest

Contestants must be residents of San Diego County or Baja California or have studied with a music teacher in San Diego County or Baja California. Contestants must provide their own accompanists. **All contestants must bring a copy of each selection for the judges.**

50th Anniversary Concert

First-place winners of the vocal and instrumental divisions will be asked to perform in the 50th Anniversary Concert on Sunday, January 24, 2010 in La Jolla. It is imperative that first-place winners and their accompanists are available to perform at this concert.

The La Jolla Symphony & Chorus will provide a \$35 stipend for each accompanist on the Sunday 50th Anniversary Concert.

Repertoire

Instrumental & Vocal:

The La Jolla Symphony and Chorus strongly supports contemporary music and requires that Young Artists contestants include at least one piece written from 1925 to the present among their audition selections. Contestants are urged to bring a mix of selections that show their skill and musicality across a wide range of styles, periods, and aesthetics.

Instrumental Division:

The performer should come prepared with three different compositions from three different composers. Two of these should have orchestral accompaniment. The third selection should be an unaccompanied solo work for the instrument.

The two selections with orchestral accompaniment may be single movement works such as Ravel's *Tzigane* or concerto movements. Of the three selections, two must be performed from memory.

At least one of the above three selections must date from 1925 to the present. Sample repertoire can be found at www.lajollasympphony.com

Vocal Division:

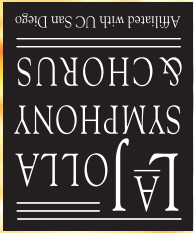
1. An aria from an opera.
2. An aria from an oratorio or cantata. (*Music need not be memorized for this selection*)
3. A non-operatic, non-oratorio vocal/piano reduction of a piece written specifically for voice and orchestra or voice and chamber orchestra. **This selection must be at least 10 minutes in duration.**

At least one of the above three selections must date from 1925 to the present. Sample repertoire can be found at www.lajollasympphony.com

Applications

To receive an application by mail or fax, please call the La Jolla Symphony & Chorus office at 858-534-4637. Applications can also be found at www.lajollasympphony.com.

Applications must be postmarked by December 31, 2009.



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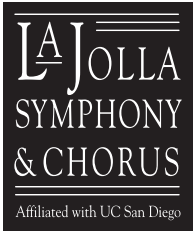
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