

MTAC-SAN DIEGO BRANCH CONCERTO COMPETITION
February 4-5, 2012
University of San Diego
Shiley Theatre

1. Open to students of MTAC members of San Diego Branch
2. Students must have studied at least 6 months with entering teacher

CLASSIFICATION AND DIVISIONS:

Division I Piano through age 11

Division II Piano 12-14 years old

Division III Piano 15-18 years old

Division IV Wind Instruments through age 18

Division V String Instruments through age 13

Division VI String Instruments 14-18 years old

AWARDS:

- Judges may select a First, Second and Third Place winner from each division. The First-Place winners will perform with an orchestra in the San Diego area during the spring or early summer. Second-Place winners are considered alternates.
- Winners and Honorable Mentions will be announced immediately following the completion of each division. Awards will be presented to all winners at that time. Each contestant will receive a Certificate of Participation after his/her performance.

AUDITION PROCEDURES:

- Each contestant is given 10 minutes maximum.
- Orchestral parts must be played on a second piano.
- Teachers cannot accompany their own students.
- Photocopied music at the performance will result in disqualification.
- NOTE: *No previous winner can compete in the same division. No winner can compete with the same concerto in a different division.*

REPERTOIRE:

- One complete movement of a work for soloist and orchestra.
Please keep in mind that twentieth-century concertos by composers such as Barber, Bartok, Prokofieff and Scriabin may be too difficult for the accompanying orchestra.
- All performances must be from memory.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

1. Use online registration.
2. Send one check *drawn on the teacher's account* for the total amount, payable to MTAC-San Diego Branch (Application fee is \$45 per student) to: Dr. Kay Etheridge (address in MTAC membership directory)
3. Deadline for all application materials: January 13, 2012 (postmarked)