

California State University, Fresno

Announcing the

2009-2010 Annual Concerto Competition

Preliminary Round:

Tuesday, November 24, 2009

8:00 PM

Wahlberg Recital Hall

Finals:

Wednesday, December 9, 2009

8:00 PM

Department of Music Concert Hall

Applications and Information Available at the Department of Music Office

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Prize: The opportunity to perform as soloist with the Fresno State Wind Orchestra or the Fresno State Symphony Orchestra at their concerts during the second semester of the 2008-2009 Academic Year.

Eligibility: Applications will be accepted from instrumental or vocal soloists as well as from groups performing double concertos and similar works with more than one soloist. Winners of the previous year's competition are not eligible to apply. All applicants must be either:

- A. Enrolled undergraduate or graduate music major or music minor students at the California State University, Fresno, or
- B. An active participant in either the Fresno State Wind Orchestra or the Fresno State Symphony Orchestra.

Repertoire: Candidates may play either:

A complete concerto or other work for soloist(s) and **wind orchestra/symphony orchestra** of 20 minutes or less in duration, OR

One movement of a concerto or concerted work for soloist(s) and **wind orchestra/symphony orchestra** of 20 minutes in duration or less

Works from any period are acceptable. Please consult the conductor of the appropriate wind orchestra/symphony orchestra before applying to determine if your concerto is suitable for the ensemble. The suitability of the concerto for either the wind orchestra/symphony orchestra and the availability of performance materials may be considered in the judging of the auditions.

Competition: There will be two rounds for the 2009-2010 Concerto Competition. The preliminary round will take place on Tuesday, November 24, 2009 at 8:00 PM at the California State University, Fresno, Department of Music Wahlberg Recital Hall. The finals will be held on Wednesday, December 9, 2009, at 8:00 PM at the California State University, Fresno, Department of Music Concert Hall.

Candidates must be prepared to play the complete work or movement that they intend to perform with wind orchestra/symphony orchestra.

Candidates must perform all works from memory.

At the competition, works must be performed with piano accompaniment. Candidates will be responsible for providing their own accompanist for the competition.

Candidates will provide three copies of the score of their piece for the jury members.

Application: Performers wishing to audition must complete an application form (available in the Department of Music Office). Applications must be returned to the Department of Music Office by noon on Friday, November 13, 2009. No late applications will be considered.

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Application Form

Name of Soloist(s): _____

Instrument(s): _____

Name of accompanist: _____

Work to be performed with: Wind Orchestra Symphony Orchestra

Composer: _____

Title: _____

Movement(s): _____

Total Duration: _____

Orchestration: _____

I (we) agree to abide by the regulations of this competition.

Signature of each soloist

I (we) know and approve of the above student's (students') application for this competition.

Signature of applied instructor of each soloist

Signature of Fresno State Wind Orchestra/Symphony Orchestra conductor

Forms must be submitted by 12:00 P.M. on Friday, November 13, 2009. Incomplete forms will not be accepted.