2012 IPFW Gene Marcus Piano Competition

The Indiana University–Purdue University Fort Wayne Department of Music
Proudly Presents

The 2012 IPFW Gene Marcus Piano Competition
To Be Held at
The John and Ruth Rhinehart Music Center
On the Campus of
Indiana University–Purdue University Fort Wayne

June 16-17, 2012

Application Postmark Deadline: Friday, June 1, 2012
Winners Recital and Awards Ceremony: Sunday, June 17, 2012, 5:30 pm

2012 IPFW Gene Marcus Piano Competition Rules

A. Eligibility
1. The competition is open to all piano students (ages 18 and under as of June 16, 2012) who reside within 100 miles of Fort Wayne.
2. All applicants must have been studying with their current teachers for at least six of the nine consecutive months immediately before June 16, 2012.

B. General Rules for All Divisions and Repertoire Requirements
1. All performances are to be from memory and must stay within the time guidelines listed below. The jury reserves the right to stop a performance if it exceeds the time limit for the respective division (this will not disqualify the participant).
   • Elementary Division (ages 9 and under): 3–5 minutes
   • Intermediate Division (ages 10-12): 6–8 minutes
   • Junior Division (ages 13-15): 10–12 minutes
   • Senior Division (ages 16-18): 14–16 minutes
2. Only complete, unabridged solos in the original form and key will be accepted. No arrangements may be used.
3. For all divisions, contestants are to perform at least TWO (2) contrasting works from at least TWO (2) of the musical periods listed below:
   • Baroque
   • Classical
   • Romantic
   • Impressionistic
   • 20th/21st Century
4. All contestants will perform on June 16-17, 2012 at the Rhinehart Music Center on the campus of Indiana University – Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW).
5. Contestants may choose which piece to start with; the jury will determine the order for the next piece(s) performed.

C. Application Procedures and Additional Regulations
1. Entry fees for each division are as follows (non-refundable):
   • Elementary ............... $25
   • Intermediate ............. $30
   • Junior .................... $35
   • Senior .................... $40
2. Once an application is submitted, students, teachers, and parents agree to abide by the rules and regulations as stated on the website. Failure to comply will result in immediate disqualification.
3. Questions regarding the appropriateness of chosen repertoire should be directed via email to Dr. Hamilton Tescarollo at tescaroh@ipfw.edu prior to submission of the application. No repertoire changes will be permitted once the application is submitted.
4. Late applications will not be considered.
5. The Competition Committee will determine all schedules.
6. An ORIGINAL copy of the music to be performed must be provided to the jury at the competition. Photocopies will not be accepted.
7. Applicants may not reveal their names or their teachers’ names to the Adjudication Panel until winners are announced.
8. The jury reserves the right to declare no winner, or fewer than three winners, in any division as it deems appropriate. The jury’s decision is final and may not be challenged by anyone, including the Competition Committee.
9. Applicants will be disqualified when non-compliance with any part of the rules and regulations occurs or is discovered.
2012 IPFW Gene Marcus Piano Competition Awards

Elementary Division (ages 9 and Under)
First Prize: $200 cash award • trophy
Second Prize: $150 cash award • trophy
Third Prize: $75 cash award • trophy

Intermediate Division (ages 10-12)
First Prize: $300 cash award • trophy
Second Prize: $200 cash award • trophy
Third Prize: $100 cash award • trophy

Junior Division (ages 13-15)
First Prize: $400 cash award • plaque
Second Prize: $300 cash award • plaque
Third Prize: $200 cash award • plaque

Senior Division (ages 16-18)
First Prize: $500 cash award • plaque
Second Prize: $400 cash award • plaque
Third Prize: $300 cash award • plaque

Special Awards for the Senior Division
Winners in the senior division may be offered a scholarship to pursue a music degree at the IPFW Department of Music. Scholarships offered will cover at least half of tuition costs for up to fifteen (15) credits a semester, and will be renewable for up to eight (8) semesters.

2012 IPFW Gene Marcus Piano Competition Application Guidelines

Please read all rules and regulations carefully.

All correspondence with the applicants regarding performing times will be via e-mail.
This form must be typed or printed legibly.
Postmark deadline is Friday, June 1, 2012.

For general inquiries, e-mail Melinda Haines at hainesmd@ipfw.edu or call (260)481-6059
For repertoire inquiries, e-mail Dr. Hamilton Tescarollo at tescaroh@ipfw.edu

Application check list:
☐ Completed application
☐ Application fee
☐ Student, parent, teacher signature

Send completed application and application fee to:

IPFW College of Visual and Performing Arts
c/o Community Arts Academy, VA 102
2101 E. Coliseum Blvd.
Fort Wayne, IN 46805-1499
2012 IPFW Gene Marcus Piano Competition Application

Name of Student ________________________________________________________________

Date of Birth ____________________________ Age as of June 16, 2012 _________________________

Name of Parent/Guardian ______________________________________________________________

Home Phone ____________________________ Cell Phone ____________________________

Street Address _______________________________________________________________________

City, State, ZIP _____________________________________________________________________

E-mail ______________________________________________________________________________

Name of Piano Teacher ____________________________ Teacher’s Phone _______________________

Teacher’s Street Address _______________________________________________________________________

Teacher’s City, State, ZIP _____________________________________________________________________

Teacher’s E-mail _______________________________________________________________________

Length of study with current teacher, as of June 16, 2012: _____ years, _____ months.

Repertoire to Be Performed

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<th>Musical Period</th>
<th>Composer (full name)</th>
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Competition Divisions

Please check one only.

☐ Elementary (Ages 9 and under) $25
☐ Intermediate (Ages 10-12) $30
☐ Junior (Ages 13-15) $35
☐ Senior (Ages 16-18) $40

Enclosed is a check for $______ as a non-refundable application fee made payable to IPFW.

Payment via Visa, MasterCard or Discover may be made over the phone by calling Melinda Haines at (260) 481-6059.

By signing this application I agree to abide by the rules and regulations as published above.

__________________________________  ____________________________________  __________________________
Student Signature                  Parent Signature                  Teacher Signature