Important dates & deadlines for the 7th annual UAH Piano Competitions & Festival (online)

Online Application Deadline: 4PM CST, MAY 10th, 2020
Online Video Submissions Deadline: MAY 17th, 2020

The competition is divided into the following categories:

- Solo Piano: Junior (ages 11-14)
- Senior (ages 15-19)

Age of applicant determined as of May 10th, 2020
Previous 1st place winner may not enter again in the same category

Solo Piano Prize Awards:

**SENIOR CATEGORY:**

- 1st place ($120) and a 2-hour professional recording session at UAH Roberts Recital Hall (session scheduling will take place after campus reopens for full operation)
- 2nd place ($90)
- 3rd place ($70)

**JUNIOR CATEGORY:**

- 1st place ($100) and a 2-hour professional recording session at UAH Roberts Recital Hall (session scheduling will take place after campus reopens for full operation)
- 2nd place ($70)
- 3rd place ($50)

Application Fees:

Solo Piano Application Fee: $25 per competitor. Application Fees will be processed through EventBrite. Once you have filled out the online application, you will receive the EventBrite link to process your payment online. Completed application and paid application fee must be **RECEIVED by 4pm CST, May 10th, 2020.**

Repertoire Requirements for Solo Piano Junior Category
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- Applicant should prepare three pieces, performed from memory and representing at least two contrasting stylistic periods. No repeats. No maximum performance time.
- Each student competitor will only submit ONE video YouTube link that captures the entire performance by memory with no edits. Students can use the AMTA Video that they have already made for submissions. Please review the Video Submission Requirements.

Repertoire Requirements for Solo Piano Senior Category

- Applicant should prepare three pieces, performed from memory and representing at least two contrasting stylistic periods. No repeats. No Maximum Performance Time.
- Each student competitor will only submit ONE video YouTube link that captures the entire performance by memory with no edits. Students can use the AMTA Video that they have already made for submissions. Please review the Video Submission Requirements.

Additional Rules

1. No changes in repertoire are allowed following submission of the online application.
2. Video Submissions must follow all the Video Submission Requirements.
3. Complete the online application form, pay through the Eventbrite Link by 4pm, May 10th, 2020 to be eligible to enter the competition.
4. Selected Videos will be chosen to be posted on UAH website.

Video Submission Requirements (adapted from AMTA)

1. Each video will contain only ONE student audition.
2. Before the student begins playing, the student will say their name clearly and list the three pieces in the order that they will perform them.
3. Record the student playing in a way to demonstrate that the performance is memorized.
4. The video audition will be in one continuous video stream without any editing or cuts.
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5. All video auditions will be submitted as a YouTube link via email. The YouTube video may be unlisted or public so it can be accessed by the submitted link by the judge. Be sure privacy setting are set so that anyone with the link can view. Submit video auditions by email to keyboard@uah.edu.

6. Review the YouTube video upload guideline for more information.

2020 UAH PIANO COMPETITION APPLICATION FORM