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# Fall Youth Concerto Competition

SAT, OCT 9, 2010

## GENERAL INFORMATION

**TIME AND PLACE** The competition will take place on Saturday, October 9, 2010 at the Madison Area Technical College Downtown Campus, 211 North Carroll Street, Madison.

**PURPOSE** Provide an opportunity for outstanding young instrumentalist(s) to perform solo repertoire with a professional symphony orchestra at the annual Fall Youth Concerts.

**AWARD** The winner(s) will perform with the MSO under the direction of Maestro John DeMain on Tuesday, November 23, 2010, during the Madison Symphony Orchestra's Fall Youth Concerts and will receive a scholarship to attend the UW-Madison Summer Music Clinic.

**FEE** An entry fee of \$25 (non-refundable) payable to the Madison Symphony Orchestra must accompany this application form.

**ELIGIBILITY** Students between the ages of 8 and 14 (through grade 8) who are residents of Wisconsin are eligible to enter. Previous winners may not compete in consecutive years on the same instrument. Contracted musicians of the Madison Symphony Orchestra are not eligible to compete in MSO Concerto Competitions.

## RULES

1. Music must be an original version of a concerto and not a simplified arrangement. Applicants must select a work for which orchestral accompaniment parts are readily available.
2. The soloist must provide his or her own accompanist and bring to the auditions three copies of the score with the measures numbered.
3. Music must be memorized and no longer than 10 minutes. Applicants playing longer selections will be asked to make cuts. Soloists may audition on one instrument only.
4. Winners must be available to rehearse on Monday evening, November 22, 2010 and perform during the school day on Tuesday, November 23, 2010.
5. Applications are due by Friday, September 24, 2010 and should be mailed with the \$25 fee to: Madison Symphony Orchestra Concerto Competition, 222 W. Washington Ave. Suite 460, Madison, WI 53703. Phone 608.257.3734.
6. Audition information will be emailed to participants 10 days prior to auditions.
7. Judges have complete discretion in naming or not naming winner(s). The judges' decisions shall be final.

## 2010 FALL YOUTH CONCERTO COMPETITION APPLICATION

DUE FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 24, 2010

Please print clearly. Additional copies of this form can be found at [madisonsymphony.org/fycc](http://madisonsymphony.org/fycc). Payment **MUST** accompany application. Checks made payable to the Madison Symphony Orchestra.

### SOLOIST INFORMATION

Name _____		Birth Date/Current Age _____	
Instrument _____		Years of Study _____	
Street Address ( _____ )	City _____	State _____	Zip _____
Telephone _____	E-mail _____		
School _____	Grade _____		
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) _____			

### MUSICAL SELECTION

Title (including No., Op. and key) _____	
Movement _____	Duration _____
Composer _____	
Music Publisher/Edition _____	

### ACCOMPANIST INFORMATION

Name _____			
Street Address ( _____ )	City _____	State _____	Zip _____
Telephone _____	E-mail _____		

### PRIVATE TEACHER INFORMATION

Name _____			
Street Address ( _____ )	City _____	State _____	Zip _____
Telephone _____	E-mail _____		

### SIGNATURES

We have read all competition information and understand audition requirements of participants.

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Private Teacher Signature

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Parent/Guardian Signature