

23rd NATIONAL COMPETITION (2019)

The American Harp Society, Inc. is pleased to announce the 23rd American Harp Society, Inc. National Competition.

The competition is open to harpists up to the age of 30 who are national members of the American Harp Society, Inc. and who are United States citizens or who are citizens of the Americas.

Finalists will be chosen by a recorded preliminary round and will be notified 30 days prior to the start of the competition.

Finalists will compete in person.

There will be monetary awards for winners in all divisions of the competition.

YOUNG PROFESSIONAL DIVISION	1st PRIZE	\$2,500
In addition, the 1st Prize winner will be awarded AHS Concert Artist status		
	2nd PRIZE	\$2,000
	3rd PRIZE	\$1,500
	4th PRIZE	\$1,000
	5th PRIZE	\$ 750
	6th PRIZE	\$ 500
ADVANCED DIVISION	1st PRIZE	\$1,500
	2nd PRIZE	\$1,250
	3rd PRIZE	\$1,000
4th PRIZE \$500, 5th I	PRIZE \$500, 6th PRIZE	\$ 500
INTERMEDIATE II DIVISION	1st PRIZE	\$1,250
	2nd PRIZE	\$1,000
	3rd PRIZE	\$ 750
4th PRIZE \$250, 5th Pl	RIZE \$250, 6th PRIZE	\$ 250
INTERMEDIATE I DIVISION	1st PRIZE	\$1,000
	2nd PRIZE	\$ 750
	3rd PRIZE	\$ 500
4th PRIZE \$250, 5th Pl	RIZE \$250, 6th PRIZE	\$ 250
JUNIOR DIVISION	1st PRIZE	\$1,000
	2nd PRIZE	\$ 750
	3rd PRIZE	\$ 500
4th PRIZE \$250, 5th Pl	RIZE \$250, 6th PRIZE	\$ 250

A non-refundable entry fee will be charged in each Division. **All entries must be received by April 15, 2019.**THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.

Application Forms and Guidelines will be posted in fall, 2018 at: www.harpsociety.org/CompetitionsAwards/NationalCompetition.asp



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REQUIRED REPERTOIRE

ALL COMPOSITIONS IN ALL DIVISIONS MUST BE PERFORMED BY MEMORY. ALL REPEATS OPTIONAL except where stated otherwise.

JUNIOR DIVISION (Maximum age 12 years on June 1, 2019)

CPE Bach Solfeggietto (any edition)

Thomas The Minstrel's Adieu to his Native Land

Grandjany Automne

<u>INTERMEDIATE I DIVISION</u> (Maximum age 15 years on June 1, 2019)

Handel/Zingel Tema con variazioni

Tournier Au Matin Natra Sonatine

<u>INTERMEDIATE II DIVISION</u> (Maximum age 18 years on June 1, 2019)

Bach Largo in F Major, from the Sonata No. 3 in C Major, BWV 1005 for solo

violin. Any edition. (Note: The Grandjany edition is entitled Largo from

Bach's Sonata No. 5 for violin.)

Grandjany Fantasie on a Theme of Haydn

Watkins Petite Suite

ADVANCED DIVISION (Maximum age 21 years on June 1, 2019)

Spohr Variations sur l'air "Je suis encore dans mon printemps"

Presle Le Jardin Mouille Rota Sarabande e Toccata

YOUNG PROFESSIONAL DIVISION (Maximum age 30 years on June 1, 2019)

Faure Une Chatelaine en sa Tour

Choose one:

Paradisi Toccata in A Major

or

Loeillet *Toccata in F Major*

Choose one:

Renie Ballade Fantastique

or

Salzedo Ballade

Spoken program notes will be required in the final round.

Finalists will be asked to submit a program appropriate for Concert Artist recitals.