



**JACKIE McGEHEE  
YOUNG ARTISTS'  
CONCERTO COMPETITION  
FOR PIANO & STRINGS**

February 13, 2010

**presented by**

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Saturday, February 13, 2010  
Albuquerque, New Mexico

**FIRST PRIZE IN EACH DIVISION  
SYMPHONY CONCERTO PERFORMANCE WITH  
NEW MEXICO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA  
& Five Hundred Dollars**

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

- The competition will be held February 13, 2010, Center for the Arts, University of New Mexico.
- The competition is open to all piano and string students who reside in New Mexico and who are in high school grades 9-12 as of entry deadline. Former Grand Prize winners are not eligible to compete.
- A qualified committee will evaluate applications for acceptance into the competition. Evaluations will be based on application, audition CD, teacher recommendation and applicant's biography.
- Written comments from the judges will be available to contestants and their teachers.
- An awards presentation and reception will be held following the competition.

**ENTRY FEE AND INFORMATION**

- A \$35.00 non-refundable fee must accompany the application form.
- Entry deadline for receiving all information is January 4, 2010. **Deadline will be strictly enforced.**
- The following items must be included in your entry packet:
  - Completed application
  - \$35.00 entry fee
  - Two 3"x 5" black and white photographs suitable for publicity purposes. Photographs cannot be returned
  - Non-returnable CD or DVD of a sample repertoire, labeled with applicant's name and selection(s)
  - 150 to 200 word biographical sketch
  - Teacher recommendation

**\*\*\*\*Please use the above as a "checklist" when mailing your packet!\*\*\*\***

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## THE JACKIE McGEHEE YOUNG ARTISTS' CONCERTO COMPETITION APPLICATION FORM

### JUDGES:

Renowned judges will be chosen to adjudicate the competition. Names to be announced.

### AWARDS:

- **First place** in each division.  
Five hundred dollars and performance with  
the New Mexico Symphony Orchestra.
- **Second place** in each division.  
Three hundred dollars.
- **Third place** in each division.  
Two hundred dollars.
- Additional cash awards may be offered.

### RULES:

Applicants who are accepted into the competition understand:

- A letter of acceptance and performance information will be emailed by January 19, 2009.
- One memorized movement of a standard repertoire concerto, preferably an allegro movement, is required.
- The highest quality of performance is expected.
- Suitable attire for competition and performance is required.
- Contestants are responsible for their own expenses and must provide their own accompanist. A list of local accompanists is available upon request.
- Entry in this competition constitutes the contestant's authorization for use of his/her name for publicity purposes.
- One unmarked score (no photocopy) of the concerto movement must be provided for the judges, with all cuts clearly marked and measures marked by the number every tenth measure.
- The First Place winner in each division is required to attend all scheduled rehearsals before the performance with the NMSO.

(Please duplicate for additional copies)

Return this form and \$35.00 nonrefundable application fee payable to:

JACKIE McGEHEE YOUNG ARTISTS' COMPETITION,

Mail to KARLA BRESSAN, 6514 Prairie Dunes NE, Albuquerque, NM 87111, (505) 296-6158, bressanabq@comcast.net

Form, fee, and all required materials due January 4, 2010

(Please type or print)

**DIVISION:**                      **PIANO** \_\_\_\_\_                      **STRINGS** \_\_\_\_\_

**SPECIFIC STRING INSTRUMENT** \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICANT NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

**HOME ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY** \_\_\_\_\_ **STATE** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL ADDRESS (Mandatory)** \_\_\_\_\_

**HOME PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_ **CELL PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOOL** \_\_\_\_\_ **GRADE** \_\_\_\_\_

**CONCERTO TO BE PERFORMED** \_\_\_\_\_

**COMPOSER** \_\_\_\_\_

**OPUS** \_\_\_\_\_ **KEY** \_\_\_\_\_ **MOVEMENT** \_\_\_\_\_

**EXACT PLAYING TIME** \_\_\_\_\_

**MUSIC TEACHER** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY** \_\_\_\_\_ **STATE** \_\_\_\_\_ **ZIP** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL ADDRESS (Mandatory)** \_\_\_\_\_

**DAYTIME PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_ **CELL PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_

**ACCOMPANIST'S NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**MUSIC TEACHER'S SIGNATURE**

For further information, please contact:

KARLA BRESSAN

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Application available at: [www.newmexicosymphonyguild.org](http://www.newmexicosymphonyguild.org)

(Click on Educational Programs)

Applicant's signature affirms compliance with the rules.  
Teachers who have students that are not participating in the competition are  
encouraged to have those students attend the performance.