2021 SLU CONCERTO COMPETITION RULES

1-Who is eligible to participate:

Any student who is currently registered at the Southeastern Louisiana University Department of Music and Performing Arts

2-Registration:

Fill out the official registration form (attached below and also available at the Department’s website) and send it to: victor.correa-cruz@selu.edu with the subject: SLU 2021 Concerto Competition

3-Deadline to register:

Thursday, April 1, 2021, 5.00 pm

4-Date and Time of the competition:

Friday, April 23rd, 2021, 10.00 am

5-Location:

SLU Recital Hall

6-Rounds:

One round on April 23rd, 2021

7-Repertoire

Instrumentalists: One movement of a concerto.

Singers: 2 arias of different character.

Any student can participate in the competition as soloist or as part of a group of soloists (double, triple concertos, opera duettos, trios etc.). In case the student wants to participate in different formats, a maximum of 2 entries per contestant will be allowed.

8-Orchestration

The contestants will keep in mind that the accompaniment for their pieces can’t exceed the dimensions of the Southeastern Symphony Orchestra:

1picc 2Fl 2Ob 2Cl 2Bssn-4Hn 3Tpt 3Tbn 1Tba-Perc-Timp-Strings
SLU orchestra director, Dr. Victor Correa-Cruz, will have the option of requesting a different piece from any winner whose repertoire is beyond the capabilities of the orchestra.

9-Categories

1) Strings/Piano/Guitar
2) Winds/Percussion
3) Voice

10-Prizes

One candidate will be selected from each category. The winners will perform as soloists at the Gala Concert to be held during the 2021/22 season. The Jury has the right to choose more than one winner per category. The prize can be declared void in any category if none of the candidates reach the required standards.

11-Jury

TBA

12-Piano accompaniment

The contestants will have to be accompanied by a pianist. Anyone who chooses to hire a pianist from the Music Department will have to fill out the official request form available at the Music Department office or online:

http://www.southeastern.edu/acad_research/depts/mus/current_students/index.html

and leave it at Dr. Irina Cunev’s mail box along with a copy of the piano part by April 1, 2021. The cost of this service will be $35, which includes one rehearsal and the performance at the competition.

13-Final considerations

The judges will have the right to stop the candidate during the performance at any point if they consider they have enough information on the candidate’s level and merit.

The decisions of the Jury are final.

Hammond, March, 2021
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REGISTRATION FORM
(Email to: victor.correa-cruz@selu.edu
Subject: “SLU 2021 Concerto Competition”. Deadline: April 1, 2021)

Full Name________________________________________________________

Age____

Phone (___)____________________________

E-mail: ____________________________

Instrument_________

Pursued Academic Degree______________________________________________

What year are you currently in? __________

Piece/s you will be playing/singing________________________________________

Duration _____

Brief CV of the contestant (one-page maximum). You can write it here or add a separate page:

Signature____________________________ Date_________________

NOTE: If you need to request a pianist from the Music Department, fill out the proper official request form and leave it in Dr. Cunev’s mailbox along with a copy of the piano accompaniment of your piece by April 1, 2021. The cost of this service is $35 which includes one rehearsal and the performance at the competition.