



Langley Community Music School

YOUNG COMPOSERS COMPETITION

Composition Submission Deadline: March 1, 2022 **Workshop Date:** April 2, 2022

Application fee: Level A (Junior, 10-13 yrs): \$50 Level B (Senior, 14-18 yrs): \$50

Level C (College/University, 19-25 yrs): \$75

We are inviting young composers to participate in the LCMS Young Composers' Competition. Composers will have the opportunity to work with the Rose Gellert String Quartet and professional musicians during a workshop in which their pieces will be performed and critiqued by the musicians and a jury of three prominent composers. Winning works will receive cash awards and a public performance. **Composers must be present for the workshop.**

COVID-19: Please note that the workshop will take place in-person at LCMS, and will comply with all provincial health orders. COVID is an evolving situation, and LCMS reserves the right to modify the format of the workshop as required.

Rules and Regulations

- Each composer may submit only one work.
- The submission consists of the application form and fee, one full score and performance parts.
- The score and parts must be professionally rendered, using one of the current music notation software programs (e.g. Finale, Sibelius)
- All levels:
 - The work may be scored for any two, three or four instruments from the following list:
 - String Duos: Two Violins; Violin/Viola; Violin/Cello; Viola/Cello
 - String Trio: Violin/Viola/Cello
 - String Quartet: Violin I & 2, Viola, Cello
- Junior level ONLY: composers have the option to submit a work for solo piano
- The duration of the work should not exceed five minutes at the Junior & Senior levels, and seven minutes at the College/University level.
- The submission must be an original, un-commissioned and un-published work with no previous public performance.
- Compositions will be reviewed upon receipt, and applicants qualifying for the workshop will be notified.
- The qualifying compositions will be judged by a three-member jury comprised of respected members of the music community.
- Following the workshop, the winners will be announced. The Leonard Woods Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to the winners in each category (cash awards): Junior \$200, Senior \$300, College/University \$500
- The jury reserves the right to not award any of the available prizes or split a prize between several composers. All decisions of the judges are final.



YOUNG COMPOSERS COMPETITION REGISTRATION FORM

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CONTACT INFORMATION	
Last Name:	First Name:
Date of Birth:	Email:
Address:	Phone:
Teacher/School: (please provide additional information about yourself if neither applies)	
Application Fee: <input type="checkbox"/> Level A Junior: \$50 (10-13 yrs) <input type="checkbox"/> Level B Senior: \$50 (14-18 yrs) <input type="checkbox"/> Level C College/University: \$75 (19-25 yrs)	
Title of Composition:	
Instrumentation:	Approximate Duration:
COMPOSER SIGNATURE	
I have read the rules of the competition and agree to be present for the competition workshop.	
Signature:	
PHOTO RELEASE	
LCMS may take photos of me/my child taken during the workshop for publicity purposes, including the LCMS website and social media.	
<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO Signature (Parent/Guardian/Adult Student):
PAYMENT	
Payment may be made by cheque or credit card, and applications will be processed upon receipt of payment. A complete submission consists of payment, application form, required score and parts.	
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
Date Rec'd:	Parts Rec'd: