

Mississippi Music Teachers Association



State Collegiate Competitions

Saturday, March 4, 2017
Millsaps College - Jackson, MS

Attention all College Professors and Students! MMTA is sponsoring its State Collegiate Competitions on **Saturday, March 4, 2017** at Millsaps College — Jackson, MS. Undergraduate and graduate voice, piano, and instrumental (brass, woodwinds, percussion, strings, or guitar) students are encouraged to apply!

THIRD YEAR WITH TWO NEW OPPORTUNITIES: We are pleased to offer an “**Emerging Artist**” division for older undergraduate students who are at a maximum age of 30 by **February 23rd** of the competition year.

This is the third year that we will offer a “**Graduate Level**” division. This is for students who have completed an undergraduate degree, and are at a maximum age of 35 by **February 23rd** of the competition year.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

CATEGORIES: Voice, Piano, Instrumental (brass, woodwinds, percussion, strings, or guitar).

DIVISIONS: Freshman/Sophomore Solo, Junior/Senior Solo, Emerging Artist Solo, Graduate Solo, Freshman/Sophomore Jazz Solo, Junior/Senior Jazz Solo, Freshman/Sophomore Jazz Ensemble, Junior/Senior Jazz Ensemble, Freshman/Sophomore Chamber, Junior/Senior Chamber, Undergraduate Orchestra Concerto/Aria.

ELIGIBILITY: Competitions are open to undergraduate and graduate students of teachers whose current dues have been paid to the national MTNA office by **February 23rd**. College students are not required to be student members in order to participate. For more information on eligibility requirements, please visit <http://msmusicteachers.org/competitions-info.php>.

AWARDS: A first and second place winner will be named in each area. At the discretion of the judge(s), honorable mention may also be named. Winners in each category will receive medals and certificates.

Visit: <http://msmusicteachers.org/competitions-info.php> to read more about the competition rules and guidelines. For solo entries, click on "College Competition Application," or for chamber entries, click on "College Chamber Application" (for chamber music).

Application deadline is **February 23, 2017**. Entry fee is \$35.00 for each event entered for students whose teachers are members of MMTA/\$85.00 for each event entered for students whose teachers are not members of MMTA. **ENTRY FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE. Questions?** Please contact **Dr. Phyllis Lewis-Hale**, VP for Collegiate and National Competitions, at phyllis.a.lewis_hale@jsums.edu.