

orchestra@uwaterloo  
2018 CONCERTO and ARIA COMPETITION: Saturday, January 27, 2018  
Winner's performance with orchestra: Thursday, March 29, 2018  
**Deadline for Application: Friday, October 27, 2017**

INSTRUMENTAL CATEGORY

ELIGIBILITY

Candidates must be registered as full-time students during at least one of the following terms: Winter 2017, Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Winter 2018. Previous winners are not eligible to compete.

REPERTOIRE

- Any art music written for solo instrument(s) accompanied by symphony orchestra, chamber orchestra, or string orchestra. Works for multiple soloists are especially welcome.
- Choose a minimum of two contrasting movements totalling at least 20 minutes
- The music must be in its original key and instrumentation - arrangements are not permitted.
- Candidates are encouraged not to choose repertoire already performed by previous winners.

REPERTOIRE APPROVAL

Before a formal application is submitted, the proposed repertoire must be approved by the orchestra's music director. Reasons for rejecting music might include unavailability or excessive expense of renting parts, and unsuitability for the orchestra for reasons of instrumentation or extreme level of difficulty.

**\*\*\* It is strongly recommended that proposed repertoire be submitted for approval as early as possible**

ACCOMPANIMENT

All candidates except pianists must bring an accompanist. Piano candidates may bring an accompanist. A list of accompanists in the K-W area is available upon request.

TO APPLY (See last page for contact and mailing information)

- Complete the form and repertoire list on the next two pages
- Attach a resume of no more than one page outlining your musical background. Include training with approximate dates and teachers' names, performing experience, and honours awarded.

DEPOSIT

A deposit of \$50 is required to confirm each candidate's participation. The money will be refunded at the competition on January 27, 2018. Please send email if you cannot afford the deposit.

JOINT APPLICATIONS

In the case of applications featuring a work for multiple soloists, each person on the team must submit a separate form, resume, and deposit.

CANCELLATION OF APPLICATION

- If an application is withdrawn on or before December 15, 2017, there will be no penalty; the candidate's deposit will be refunded in full.
- The deposit will not be refunded if an application is withdrawn after December 15, 2017, or if the candidate fails to appear at the competition.

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APPLICATION FORM: INSTRUMENTAL CATEGORY

CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address in January 2018 (if known): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Local \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

For joint applications—Name(s) of partner(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO AFFILIATION Student ID \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty \_\_\_\_\_ Program/Major area of study \_\_\_\_\_

CHECK ALL BOXES THAT APPLY: Currently registered for the Fall 2017 term

Registered in Winter and/or Spring 2017  Not yet a full-time UW student. Entering in Winter 2018

Undergraduate  Graduate  Exchange student  Other (specify)  \_\_\_\_\_

PROPOSED REPERTOIRE *Please ensure the information below is complete, legible, and spelled correctly*

Your instrument: \_\_\_\_\_ Total duration of proposed repertoire: \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Composer: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

I/We will play (check one box only):  Entire work  Movements or Sections \_\_\_\_\_

I will be available to attend the competition on Saturday, January 27, 2018.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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The winner will perform with orchestra@uwaterloo in concert on Thursday, March 28, 2018  
Dress rehearsal is Sunday, March 25 from 7pm to 10pm

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2017

BUT FIRST

\*\*\* AS SOON AS YOU KNOW WHAT IT IS, EMAIL YOUR PROPOSED REPERTOIRE FOR APPROVAL TO  
orchestra@uwaterloo.ca

AND THEN

YOUR APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE

- The fully completed application form
- One-page music resume
- Cheque for \$50 to “Conrad Grebel University College”

DO NOT INCLUDE THE INSTRUCTION SHEET OR THIS PAGE

DELIVER OR MAIL YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION TO

orchestra@uwaterloo 2018 Concerto and Aria Competition  
c/o Angelica Allen  
a26allen@uwaterloo.ca  
Room 1103  
Music Department, Conrad Grebel University College  
140 Westmount Road North  
Waterloo, Ontario, N2L 3G6

[Direct inquiries to orchestra@uwaterloo.ca](mailto:orchestra@uwaterloo.ca)

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