

2018-2019 MTNA NATIONAL COMPETITIONS

GEORGIA REPRESENTATIVES

MTNA COMPETITIONS: NATIONAL LEVEL

The 2018-2019 MTNA Performance Competitions were held March 16-20, 2019 in Spokane, Washington.

COMPOSITION

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Third Place Finalist Zachary McDonald James Ogburn

BRASS PERFORMANCE

SENIOR CATEGORY

Winner Joseph Bickel David Zerkel

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Third Place Kolyo Vanchev David Zerkel

MTNA COMPETITIONS: SOUTHERN DIVISION LEVEL

The 2018-2019 MTNA Southern Division Performance Competitions will be held through an online video-only round.

COMPOSITION

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Winner Zachary McDonald James Ogburn

BRASS PERFORMANCE

SENIOR CATEGORY

Winner Joseph Bickel David Zerkel

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Winner Kolyo Vanchev David Zerkel

VOCAL PERFORMANCE

SENIOR CATEGORY

Winner Aurora Manley C Coleman

STRING PERFORMANCE

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Alternate Samuel Vargas Sergiu Schwartz

CHAMBER MUSIC WINDS

Alternate

Floria Saxophone Quartet
Alexander Smith, Soprano Saxophone
Prescott Brown, Alto Saxophone
Nicholas Winkles, Tenor Saxophone
Emily Franklin, Baritone Saxophone

Connie Frigo

WOODWIND PERFORMANCE

SENIOR CATEGORY

Alternate

Natalia Warthen

Jan Baker

MTNA COMPETITIONS: STATE LEVEL

The 2018-2019 MTNA State Performance Competitions were held on October 26-27, 2018 at the University of North Georgia in Dahlonega, GA under the supervision of Dr. Joanna Kim, VP for MTNA Competitions. There were 94 total entrants participating. There were 87 solo entrants and 4 chamber ensembles in the Performance Competitions. There were 3 entrants in the composition category. State Coordinators were Joy Poole, Junior Coordinator, Rebekah Healan, Senior and Chamber Music Coordinator, Dr. Joanna Kim, Young Artist Coordinator. Rebekah Healan was the State Composition Coordinator. The results of the Competitions are as follows:

CHAMBER MUSIC WINDS

Winner

Floria Saxophone Quartet
Alexander Smith, Soprano Saxophone
Prescott Brown, Alto Saxophone
Nicholas Winkles, Tenor Saxophone
Emily Franklin, Baritone Saxophone

Connie Frigo

Alternate

Vinea Quartet
Hassan High, Soprano Saxophone
Ciara Hill, Alto Saxophone
Curtis Gay, Tenor Saxophone
Joseph Lyons, Baritone Saxophone

Jan Baker

Honorable Mention

Augmented Triad
Douglas Tiller, Saxophone
Christopher Kowalewski, Flute
Ian Hardemon, Clarinet

Jan Baker

Honorable Mention

Schwob Sax Quartet
Kirk-Jearvin Habana, Soprano Saxophone
Jonas Lonzanida, Tenor Saxophone
Jared Cummings, Alto Saxophone
Mary Katherine McClung, Bari Saxophone

Joseph Girard

COMPOSITION

SENIOR CATEGORY

Representative

Brian Shon

Soojung Jeon

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Winner

Zachary McDonald

James Ogburn

Honorable Mention

Giuseppe Gallo-Balma

James Ogburn

BRASS PERFORMANCE

SENIOR CATEGORY

Representative

Joseph Bickel

David Zerkel

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Winner

Kolyo Vanchev

David Zerkel

Alternate

Andrew Taylor

Josh Bynum

Honorable Mention

Lucas Testin

Natalie Higgins

PIANO PERFORMANCE

JUNIOR CATEGORY

Winner

Katherine Yang

Elena Cholakova

Alternate

Ethan Liu

Alexander Wasserman

Honorable Mention

Susan Meng

Anne Sun

SENIOR CATEGORY

Winner

Charles Li

Elena Cholakova

Alternate

Jason Guo

Elena Cholakova

Honorable Mention

Jihoon Choi

Keiko Ransom

Honorable Mention

Helen Bryant

Alexander Wasserman

Honorable Mention

Yannie Tan

Tatiana Muzanova

Honorable Mention

Jesse Cook

Robert Henry

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Winner

Alexandre Tchaykov

Liza Stepanova

Alternate

Juan Collazos

Henry Kramer

Honorable Mention

Caroline Owen

Liza Stepanova

STRING PERFORMANCE

JUNIOR CATEGORY

Winner

Eugenie Lim

Sonja Foster

Alternate

Claire Cho

Nadir Khashimov

Honorable Mention

Roy Lee

Levon Ambartsumian

Honorable Mention

Zach Tseng

Sonja Foster

SENIOR CATEGORY

Winner

Richard Cho

Sergiu Schwartz

Alternate

Passacaglia Mason

Sergiu Schwartz

Honorable Mention

Richard Lee

Levon Ambartsumian

Honorable Mention

Rebekah Willard

Sonja Foster

Honorable Mention

Lexine Feng

Wendy Warner

Honorable Mention

Julia Su

Jan Sloman

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Winner	Samuel Vargas	Sergiu Schwartz
Alternate	Hanna Hrybkova	Sergiu Schwartz
Honorable Mention	Ireh Lee	Katrin Meidell
Honorable Mention	Teuin Kim	Wendy Warner
Honorable Mention	Fei Tong	Levon Ambartsumian

VOCAL PERFORMANCE

SENIOR CATEGORY

Winner	Aurora Manley	C Coleman
Alternate	Scott Johnson	Patricia Callaway

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Winner	Erica Humbert	C Coleman
Alternate	Brielle Sims	Dian Lawler-Johnson

WOODWIND PERFORMANCE

SENIOR CATEGORY

Winner	Natalia Warthen	Jan Baker
Alternate	Emily Howard	Andree Martin

YOUNG ARTIST CATEGORY

Winner	Daniel Phipps	Connie Frigo
Alternate	Maggie Archer	Andree Martin
Honorable Mention	Joseph Lyons	Jan Baker
Honorable Mention	Alexander Smith	Connie Frigo

PIANO DUET CATEGORY

SENIOR CATEGORY

Representative	Anna Hu & Emma Hu	Lois Finlay/Hwee Boon Ng
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