

American Guild of Organists — Twin Cities Chapter

2018 STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION

1ST PRIZE: \$2,000 - provided by the Schubert Club
2ND PRIZE: \$1,000 - provided by Phil Asgjan, TCAGO member

Date and Place of Competition

Saturday, April 21, 2018

Augustana Lutheran Church, 1400 Robert St S, West St Paul, Minnesota

Organ

Glatter-Götz/Rosales 2005, 2 manuals, 39 stops, mechanical key action, electric stop action

Eligibility

The competition is open to organists under 24 years of age as of August 1, 2018.

Competitors must reside (either home or school) in the North Central Region (formerly known as Region VI): Minnesota, Wisconsin, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, and Nebraska. Previous First Prize winners are not eligible to compete in this competition.

Registration

A completed official registration form, registration fee of \$50 made payable to TCAGO and an official proof of age must be sent to the competition coordinator and postmarked no later than **Monday January 29, 2018**. Application and rules are available for download at www.tcago.org (education/student competition page).

Repertoire

1. A prelude and fugue **OR** two contrasting movements of a Trio Sonata by J.S. Bach.
BWV 582 is acceptable; BWV 553-560 and 572 are not acceptable.
2. A work by a composer born between 1800 and 1890 (a single movement of a larger work is acceptable).
3. A work by a composer born after 1890 (a single movement of a larger work is acceptable.)
The works in categories 2 and 3 must be contrasting in mood.
4. Hymn (choose one):
 - Ein feste Burg
 - Lasst uns erfreuen
 - Lobe den Herren

The competitor will introduce the hymn and play two stanzas as if accompanying a congregation. One stanza must be played in a standard four-part setting. Published or improvised arrangements may be used for the introduction and/or other stanza.

The registration deadline is Monday January 29, 2018. For more information contact:

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