



COMPOSERS' SHOWCASE

This showcase is designed to provide the opportunity for creative musicians - composers to have their works performed in the best concert halls of New York City.

Composers of **all ages** are welcome.

Auditioned pieces are limited to 10 min. and can be written for voice, any traditional instrumentation, solo or ensemble.

Auditions: DVD / YouTube only.

Application Deadline: February 6, 2016.



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INTERNATIONAL SUMMER TOUR



Paris, France
June 26 - July 3, 2016



Lisbon, Portugal
July 3 - July 10, 2016

You may choose both or either one week.

All Parents are welcome! Come join us and make this tour an unforgettable experience, combining artistic performances, educational master classes and sightseeing excursions with the pleasure of a family vacation.

- Two **Gala Concerts**.
- **Master Classes** with the leading professors of Europe's best Conservatories.
- **Select Winners** of the Concerto Competition 2016 will perform as the **soloists** with the "Orquestra Classica Do Centro" at the Concert Hall of the Coimbra University, **Portugal**.
- Guided excursions to the world famous historical sites of Paris - Versailles and Lisbon - Sintra.
- **Repertoire** - One or two pieces from Baroque, Classical, Romantic or Modern period.
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Summer Tour 2015 Portugal



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Welcome!

The Concert Festival, celebrating its Seventh Season, offers the unique opportunity for young musicians, composers and teachers to participate in various Concerts, Competitions, Showcases and Master Classes.

These events take place in the world's most prestigious concert halls such as Carnegie Hall, Lincoln Center and renowned concert halls of Europe.

Pianists, Instrumentalists (Classical and Traditional Folk), Vocalists and Chamber Ensembles are welcome!

CONCERT FESTIVAL COMPETITION

This competition provides talented musicians with the world class experience of performing in the best concert halls of New York City.

- **GRAND PRIX** winners perform at Weill Recital Hall at Carnegie Hall
- **FIRST PRIZE** - at Bruno Walter Auditorium at Lincoln Center
- **SECOND PRIZE** - at Leonard Nimoy Thalia at Symphony Space
- **THIRD PRIZE** - at Engelman Recital Hall at Baruch Performing Arts Center

Select Winners are awarded with Scholarships and Special Prizes.

Ages 5 - 25.

Repertoire - One selection of your choice from the Baroque, Classical, Romantic or Modern period performed from memory. The maximum duration of the performance is 6 minutes.

Auditions: Live / DVD / YouTube.

Application Deadline: January 16, 2016 (Live) & February 6, 2016 (DVD / YouTube).



CONCERTO COMPETITION

The Concert Festival in collaboration with:

- Orquestra Classica Do Centro, Portugal
 - North Shore Symphony Orchestra
 - Concert Festival Orchestra
 - Island Chamber Symphony
- provides the rare and unique opportunity for aspiring young musicians to perform solo with an orchestra.



WINNERS perform with an Orchestra and receive Grand Prix Medal & Certificate.

Ages 5 - 25.

Repertoire - One movement from a concerto or solo piece intended for performance with an orchestra from the Baroque, Classical or Romantic period.

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"I had the great privilege of conducting the OCC with these dynamic young soloists!... Come to Portugal again!"

David Wyn Lloyd, conductor

SOLO RECITAL COMPETITION

This competition is designed to provide the opportunity for aspiring musicians of all ages to perform a Solo Recital at the Engelman Recital Hall at Baruch Performing Arts Center.

- **First Prize Winner** is awarded with a Solo Recital up to 30 min. in length.
- **Second Prize Winner** is awarded with a Solo Recital up to 20 min.
- **Third Prize Winner** is awarded with a Solo Recital up to 20 min.

All Winners receive a complimentary DVD of their performance, 6 tickets & Certificate.

Repertoire - A program of your choice up to 30 min.

Auditions: DVD / YouTube only.

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