

MSMTA Spring Festival: Piano Ensemble

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Date: Sunday, March 26, 2017
Deadline: Saturday, February 18, 2017
Location: Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center, University of Maryland, College Park
Fee: **\$10.00** per person per ensemble for online registration (msmta.org/registration)

Entering teacher must submit **forms online** and send **one check** for all entries, made payable to MSMTA, to:

Daniel Lau, 507 Walker Ave, Baltimore, MD 21212

Eligibility: Students through 12th grade, age 6 and above as of the date of the event.

Time Limits:

Ages 6-9	4 minutes
Ages 10-12	6 minutes
Ages 13-15	8 minutes
Ages 16-18	10 minutes

Rules: The following rules apply to this festival:

1. Participating teacher must use **online registration**. (Exceptions will be made to participating teachers without computer access. Please contact chair.)
2. Only one composition per team may be entered in an event. One composition is defined as from the opening signature to the double bar at the end.
3. Only one movement of a Sonatina, Suite, etc., will be accepted. Entries not conforming to this rule will be returned.
4. Original compositions, arrangements and transcriptions of entire compositions may be used by performers and presented to the judges.
5. A photocopied individual page may be used to facilitate page turns. Photocopies of entire compositions may not be used by performers or presented to the judges. Please bring a second original score for the judge if at all possible. *A student will not be disqualified if it is impossible to present a second original score.*
6. Music need not be memorized.
7. Concertos may not be used for the Duo category.
8. The music for the judges must have measure numbers.

**The general rules governing MSMTA events also apply.
Please read them carefully.**

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Application Form

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Online registration only for this event. This form is for reference only.

- By submitting this application, the participating teacher agrees with all rules governing this event and understands that he/she **must** be available to assist with this event. The teacher understands that his/her students will be declared ineligible to participate in this event if this rule is violated.
- Application forms must be **submitted online** by the MSMTA teacher only.
- Please send *one check* for all entries, made payable to **MSMTA**, to **Daniel Lau**, at the address listed above, no later than 2 days after online registration submission.

Name of Teacher: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email: _____

Composition to be Performed
(only one composition or movement may be performed per entry)

Title	Composer	Performance Time
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Category: (Choose One) Duet, One Piano Duo, Two Pianos Trio Quartet
(Choose One) Competitive Non-Competitive

Name of Student	Age as of March 26, 2017	Date of Birth
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____

I hereby acknowledge that I have read and understand the rules governing MSMTA events and this specific event and agree to abide by them. My students and/or parents have also been apprised of the rules. I understand that I must be available to assist on the day of the event. If I fail to fulfill my work obligation, I understand and agree that my students may be declared ineligible to participate in this event. Please do not request exceptions to this requirement.

I am available to help in the: AM PM Either

I am using my: first substitute second substitute to help at this event.

My substitute for this event is: _____ . Please see the substitute rule on page 1, #5.

Teacher's signature: _____