



## THE BARBARA BUEHLMAN PRIZE FOR COMPOSITION RULES

- A. Composition for High School - \$3,000 awarded. Maximum duration: 6 minutes
- B. Composition for Middle School - \$2,000 awarded. Maximum duration: 4 minutes

### DETAILS:

- Composers must have been born on or after January 1, 1986 to be eligible.
- Compositions must be completed by one composer. Group compositions will not be accepted.
- A composer may submit both a High School and Middle School composition, but they can only submit one piece per category.
- No compositions exceeding the maximum duration cited above will be considered.
- Compositions must not have been published or publicly performed.
- Women and minority composers are encouraged to enter.
- International applicants are also welcome to submit a composition.
- Composers must submit scores electronically.
- Synthesized recordings are permissible if a live recording option is not available.
- Winning compositions will be announced in December, 2020.
- Premiers will be awarded to two ensembles selected to perform at the 75h Anniversary of the Midwest Clinic, December, 2021.

Deadline for submissions to the Midwest Office: September 1, 2020.

Please send completed applications, electronic scores, and recordings to [info@midwestclinic.org](mailto:info@midwestclinic.org).



# THE BARBARA BUEHLMAN PRIZE FOR COMPOSITION ENTRY FORM

## Contact Details

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Education (Please list degree and dates received):

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Title of Composition: \_\_\_\_\_ Duration: \_\_\_\_\_

This submission is for:     \_\_\_ Middle School (Maximum Duration 4 minutes)

                                  \_\_\_ High School (Maximum Duration 6 minutes)

Please include the following:

\_\_\_ Electronically submit score

\_\_\_ Synthesized or live recording

\_\_\_ Brief composer biography

## Required Signatures

By participating in THE BARBARA BUEHLMAN PRIZE FOR COMPOSITION, each entrant represents and warrants that they have read and agrees to be bound by the contest's official rules.

This form must accompany all contest submissions.

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

Please send completed application, audio file and copy of your score to [info@midwestclinic.org](mailto:info@midwestclinic.org).  
Deadline for all submissions is September 1, 2020.