

Pittsburg State University  
College of Arts & Sciences  
Department of Music  
Proudly presents  
**THE 2008 SOUTHEAST KANSAS SYMPHONY  
CONCERTO & ARIA COMPETITION**



McCray Recital Hall  
Sunday, May 4, 2008  
5:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Judging Panel  
TBA

The Concerto & Aria Winners Concert has been a long-time SEK Symphony tradition. Up to 3 winners will be programmed into the following season's concerts (2008-2009). Each winner will be the featured concerto performer on one of the four regular season concerts.

#### ELIGIBILITY

Must be a current full-time student at PSU studying with a member of the PSU Department of Music. The applied instructor must sign the application form enclosed to indicate permission for the student to audition. Winners from last year are not eligible to compete this year on the same instrument or media. Competition winners must agree to study with a member of the PSU Department of Music faculty during the semester of performance.

#### REPERTOIRE

**Singers:** An aria from an opera or oratorio, or other solo song with orchestral accompaniment. **Audition performance time should not exceed 8 minutes.**

**Instrumentalists:** A movement of a concerto or other solo piece for your instrument and orchestra. **Audition performance time should not exceed 15 minutes.**

#### AUDITION INFORMATION

1. Please be very accurate when stating the time length of your piece including orchestral tutti, even if you plan to omit them during the audition.
2. Application forms are due by Friday, April 25. Please place completed form in Mrs. Hastings' mailbox in the main office.
3. An audition schedule will be posted on the Ensemble board by Tuesday, April 29.
4. Memorization for the audition and the performance is required.
5. Please provide **4 copies** of the solo part or complete aria for the judges. These parts will be returned following the competition.
6. The competition is not open to the public.

*Please keep this information sheet and complete the form provided*

SEK Symphony  
CONCERTO/ ARIA COMPETITION  
Application Form  
Deadline: Friday, April 25, 2008

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument/ Voice: \_\_\_\_\_

Accompanist: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Composer: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of Piece: \_\_\_\_\_  
(please be as exact as possible)

Length of Audition: \_\_\_\_\_  
(please be as exact as possible)

Teacher's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Completed forms should be placed in Mrs. Hastings' mailbox.

Find this application and the information sheet on the SEK Symphony Orchestra website:  
[www.seksymphony.org](http://www.seksymphony.org)