



한미장학재단 남부지부
Korean American Scholarship Foundation
Southern Regional Chapter

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Online Music Competition 2021

Instruments: Piano, Voice, String, and Wind (Classical)

Application Deadline: June 30, 2021 (11:59pm ET)

Recording Submission Deadline: July 24, 2021 (11:59pm ET)

Announcement of Winners: August 15, 2021

I. Qualifications:

- 1) **Korean Heritage / Korean War Veterans Descendants:** Applicants must be (1) of Korean Heritage (at least one parent, grandparent, great-grandparent must be Korean, or participant must be an adoptee from Korea) **OR** (2) a direct descendant of American veterans who served in the Korean War.
- 2) **Enrollment:** Applicants must be a High School, Undergraduate, or Graduate student who will become a full time student at a school in one of the designated Southern region states (Alabama, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, and Tennessee) as of April 1, 2021.
 - *For example, if a contestant is a graduating senior in high school on April 1, 2021, he/she will be considered a high school contestant for the 2021 competition.*

II. Application Fees:

High School Students: \$40

College / Graduate School Students: \$50

III. Rules:

1. Application

- a) Applications will only be validated when all documents and fees are received **by June 30, 2021** via Google Forms: <https://forms.gle/dvMfTPmwJaANAiMq5>
- b) Required documents are as follows:
 - Application form
 - A copy of passport/driver license **and** a copy of student ID to verify date of birth and student's status (please provide to kasfsrc.music@gmail.com)



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- **Only for Korean War Veterans Descendants:** Government Issued DD214 (Military Discharge Document; please provide to kasfsrc.music@gmail.com)
- An application fee receipt (copy of a check or a screenshot of Venmo will be accepted)
 - **Venmo Account:** @src-kasf (www.venmo.com/SRC-KASF)

Mailing Address:

Korean American Scholarship Foundation Southern Regional Chapter (KASF SRC)
P.O. Box 67, Duluth, Georgia 30096

Email Address: KASFSRC.MUSIC@gmail.com

- c) Applications will not be accepted if not complete or containing false information.
- d) Applications and fees will not be returned after submission.

2. Repertoire

- a) Free choice of repertoire representing two contrasting periods - entire work or movement(s).
- b) Two pieces, in total, should not exceed the maximum duration of 20 minutes.
- c) The entire repertoire should be played by memory.

3. Video Requirements

Each applicant must upload an unedited video of their performance to YouTube, Dropbox, or Google Drive and provide the URL link to us via Google Forms (<https://forms.gle/dvMfTPmwJaANAiMq5>) or email (kasfsrc.music@gmail.com) no later than **July 24, 2021**.

The video must adhere to the following parameters:

- a) The applicant's face and hands must be clearly visible throughout the recording. If possible, please include your feet in the frame as well.
- b) Recordings must be made on acoustic pianos. No electronic pianos should be used in a submission.
 - ❖ Please note that the adjudicators are primarily evaluating each applicant's performance, technique, and interpretation. The audio/video quality is of secondary importance.
- c) The video recording must have been made within 1 year of the submission of the application. **Professional performances, including concerts, recitals, or other events outside a home or studio, are also eligible for submission.**
- d) The video must be recorded in one unedited take. Any evidence of multiple takes, or of audio that does not match the performance, will result in applicant's disqualification.
- e) Do not include titles, fade-outs, or video transitions. Please do not introduce yourself in your video.
- f) The video recording file must be labeled accordingly:
 - Last Name, First Name. City, State – Instrument (Piano, Voice, String, or Wind)
 - Example: Kim, John. Atlanta, Georgia – Piano
- g) Once a video is submitted, no substitutions will be allowed.



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IV. Credit and Rights:

Finalists and category winners may publicize their success in this competition. However, we ask that you credit us as KASF SRC Online Music Competition in your publication.

Also, by applying to the KASF SRC Online Music Competition, you are agreeing to give KASF Competition the right to use, distribute, and publish photos or videos of you and your performance without remuneration. Publication by KASF of such media may include publication, posts, or articles on local media, social media, digital streaming services online, and may be used for other marketing purposes.

By applying to participate in the competition, you are also agreeing to abide by and uphold the rules and regulations of the KASF Competition. Participants who do not comply with any part of the rules and regulations of the Competition will be immediately disqualified upon discovery of such non-compliance.

V. Awards:

	High School	College / Graduate School
1st Prize Winner	\$300	\$1,200
2nd Prize Winner	\$200	\$700
3rd Prize Winner	\$100	\$500
The 1st, 2nd, 3rd Winners (College/Graduates) & The 1st Winner (High School) will perform at the annual KASF SRC music concert (TBD)		

**** Please note that the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Prize Winner will be selected per each division (High School & College / Graduates) and **NOT** per each instrument.*

- ✓ Award ceremony will be held during the banquet of Korean American Scholarship Foundation Southern Regional Chapter on September 11, 2021 either in-person or virtually depending on the status of the COVID-19 pandemic (TBD).