



MMTA 2024 Judged Festival Awards List	Student	Teacher	Piece
<b>Group A-1 (9 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Yidan Guo &amp; Jonathan Yasuda</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Anne Zhang	Norman Chan	Manuel Ponce: Cielito Lindo
<b>Second Place</b>	Takayuki Abe	Kumiko Higuchi	Alexander Tansman: Folk Dance
	Yuxi Gu	Yi-Chen Yeh	Lorenzo Fernandez: 1. Despertar (from Suite das 5 notas)
<b>Third Place</b>	Leo Hsu	Sanae Koinuma	Lorenzo Fernandez: 6. Lamento (from Suite das 5 notas)
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Lexie Chen	Wendy Tai	Lorenzo Fernandez: 3. Acalanto (from Suite das 5 notas)
	Emma Wong	Erin Tellier	Lorenzo Fernandez: 3. Acalanto (from Suite das 5 notas)
<b>Group A-2 (9 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Ivan Gusev &amp; Isabella Li</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Chloe Sun	Tingting Hang	Manuel Ponce: Cielito Lindo
<b>Second Place</b>	Aaron Li	Wendy Tai	Barbara Assiginaak: Niimi Andes (Crow Dances)
<b>Third Place</b>	Kaho Matsubara	Ranko Konishi-Houston	Manuel Ponce: Cielito Lindo
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Leo Pan	Yi-Chen Yeh	Lorenzo Fernandez: 4. Roda (from Suite das 5 notas)
	Victoria Yan	Kumiko Higuchi	Denes Agay: Sailors' Dance
<b>Group A-3 (9 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Alison Barr &amp; Minkyung Oh</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Abby Zhang	Norman Chan	Manuel Ponce: Cielito Lindo
<b>Second Place</b>	Qilin Yang	Minghao Liu	Alexander Tansman: Folk Dance
	Bowen Xie	Erin Tellier	Lorenzo Fernandez: 7. Valsinha (from Suite das 5 notas)
<b>Third Place</b>	Ella Wang	Ana Popa	Edward Han Jiang: A Ditty of Yimeng Mountain
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Renee Chou	Ellyses Kuan	Lorenzo Fernandez: 4. Roda (from Suite das 5 notas)
	Kevin Luo	Jia Shi	Manuel Ponce: Cielito Lindo
<b>Group B-1 (11 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Yidan Guo &amp; Jonathan Yasuda</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Max Yuan	Erin Tellier	Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky: Kamarinskaya Op.39, No.13
	Vivian Zhang	FannYu Liao	Isaak Berkovich: Mazurka (from 10 Lyric pieces No.2)
<b>Second Place</b>	Bransen Chen	Matthew Xiong	Isaak Berkovich: Mazurka (from 10 Lyric pieces No.2)
<b>Third Place</b>	Haliuna Bohnuud	Norman Chan	George Frederick McKay: Cowboy Song
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Mia Goa	Aleksandra Lvin	Jennifer Linn: Tarantella
	Emma Zhao	Olga Berkovich	Jennifer Linn: Tarantella
<b>Group B-2 (13 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Ivan Gusev &amp; Isabella Li</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Frederick Gao	Norman Chan	Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky: Kamarinskaya Op.39, No.13
<b>Second Place</b>	Adrielle Xue	Ioana Flonta-Randall	Isaak Berkovich: Mazurka (from 10 Lyric pieces No.2)
<b>Third Place</b>	Joshua Lee	Veda Kogan	Jennifer Linn: Tarantella
	Angela Ning	Niva Fried	Isaak Berkovich: Mazurka (from 10 Lyric pieces No.2)
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Misa Arai	Sanae Koinuma	Heitor Villa-Lobos: O Ciranda, O Cirandinha
	Olivia Chen	Sohyun Jun	Jennifer Linn: Tarantella
<b>Group B-3 (12 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Alison Barr &amp; Minkyung Oh</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Man Hu	Jia Shi	Isaak Berkovich: Mazurka (from 10 Lyric pieces No.2)
<b>Second Place</b>	Rachel Ma	Ana Popa	Isaak Berkovich: Mazurka (from 10 Lyric pieces No.2)
<b>Third Place</b>	Jonah Fung-A-Fat	Wendy Tai	Jennifer Linn: Tarantella

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	Jason Son	Euddeum Choi	Heitor Villa-Lobos: O Ciranda, O Cirandinha
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Joshua Gale	Victoria Razumov	Jennifer Linn: Tarantella
	Ethan Zhao	Olga Berkovich	Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky: Kamarinskaya Op.39, No.13
<b>Group C-1 (11 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Yidan Guo &amp; Jonathan Yasuda</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Ryan Ren	Sivan Etedgee	Dmitri Kabalevsky: Fairy Tale Op.27, No.20
<b>Second Place</b>	Angelina Wang	Olga Berkovich	Agathe Backer-Grondahl: Spanish Op.55, No.5
<b>Third Place</b>	August Henry	Yoko Hagino	Bela Bartok: Romanian Folk Dances No.1 & No.2
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Angelina Ding	Helena Vesterman	Dmitri Kabalevsky: Fairy Tale Op.27, No.20
<b>Group C-2 (11 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Ivan Gusev &amp; Isabella Li</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Isabelle Moy	Rebecca Helm	Agathe Backer-Grondahl: Spanish Op.55, No.5
<b>Second Place</b>	Landon Xu	Sohyun Jun	Bela Bartok: Romanian Folk Dances No.1 & No.2
<b>Third Place</b>	Francis Gao	Norman Chan	Dmitri Kabalevsky: Fairy Tale Op.27, No.20
	Annette Xie	Wendy Tai	Bela Bartok: Romanian Folk Dances No.1 & No.2
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Felix Chen	Ellyses Kuan	Dmitri Kabalevsky: Fairy Tale Op.27, No.20
	Angela Heo	Euddeum Choi	Dmitri Kabalevsky: Fairy Tale Op.27, No.20
<b>Group C-3 (11 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Alison Barr &amp; Minkyung Oh</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Leo Wang	Yiling Shi	Bela Bartok: Romanian Folk Dances No.1 & No.2
<b>Second Place</b>	Xavier Trevor	Yerim Kang	Agathe Backer-Grondahl: Spanish Op.55, No.5
<b>Third Place</b>	Yiman Ding	Ranko Konishi-Houston	Germaine Tailleferre: Jasmine de Provence (from Fleurs de France)
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Eva Fridman	Ludmila Zilich	Agathe Backer-Grondahl: Spanish Op.55, No.5
	Kevin Zheng	Tingting Hang	Agathe Backer-Grondahl: Spanish Op.55, No.5
<b>Group D-1 (8 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Yidan Guo &amp; Jonathan Yasuda</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Cyrus Yeung	Ranko Konishi-Houston	Florence Price: Ticklin' Toes
<b>Second Place</b>	Alexander Tran	Anastasia Seifetdinova	Edvard Grieg: Folksong Op.12, No.5
<b>Third Place</b>	Lily Hayashi	Sivan Etedgee	Edvard Grieg: Folksong Op.12, No.5
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Amrita Das	Euddeum Choi	Edvard Grieg: Folksong Op.12, No.5
	Jane Zhang	Niva Fried	Edvard Grieg: Folksong Op.12, No.5
<b>Group D-2 (10 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Ivan Gusev &amp; Isabella Li</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Clement Cheng	Nilly Shilo	Dmitri Kabalevsky: Seven Good-humored Variations on a Ukrainian Folk Song Op.51, No.4
<b>Second Place</b>	Anneleen Van Herck	Yoko Hagino	Edvard Grieg: Folksong Op.12, No.5
<b>Third Place</b>	Ryan Jin	Vivian Tsang	Florence Price: Ticklin' Toes
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Kristina Pan	Olga Berkovich	An-Lun Huang: Streams of Yang River
	Sofia Slywotzky	Esther Yau	An-Lun Huang: Streams of Yang River
<b>Group D-3 (10 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Alison Barr &amp; Minkyung Oh</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Henry Huang	Yiling Shi	Florence Price: Ticklin' Toes
<b>Second Place</b>	Serena Field	Rebecca Helm	Dmitri Kabalevsky: Seven Good-humored Variations on a Ukrainian Folk Song Op.51, No.4
<b>Third Place</b>	Elsa Yang	Sohyun Jun	An-Lun Huang: Streams of Yang River
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Sebastien Millet-Woo	Elizabeth Abramowitz	Edvard Grieg: Folksong Op.12, No.5
	Claire Wang	Yi-Chen Yeh	Florence Price: Ticklin' Toes

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<b>Group E-1 (11 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Yidan Guo &amp; Jonathan Yasuda</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Jenny Lin	Ellyses Kuan	Edward Han Jiang: A Moonlit Night on the Spring River
<b>Second Place</b>	Clarissa Field	Rebecca Helm	Manuel Ponce: Serenata Marina (from Suite Cubana)
<b>Third Place</b>	Arhan Kumar	Aleksandra Lvin	Edward Han Jiang: A Moonlit Night on the Spring River
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Sophie Chang	Ayako Hattori	Edward Han Jiang: A Moonlit Night on the Spring River
	William Song	Veda Kogan	Mikhail Glinka: Variations on a Russian Folk Song (Among the Gentle Valleys)
<b>Group E-2 (12 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Alison Barr &amp; Minkyung Oh</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Joshua Zhang	Veda Kogan	Edward Han Jiang: A Moonlit Night on the Spring River
<b>Second Place</b>	Minh Le	Sivan Etedgee	Alberto Ginastera: Danza de la Moza Donosa (from Danzas Argentinas Op.2)
	Bethesda Yeh	Rebecca Helm	Mikhail Glinka: Variations on a Russian Folk Song (Among the Gentle Valleys)
<b>Third Place</b>	Alex Pinnix	Vivian Tsang	Manuel Ponce: Serenata Marina (from Suite Cubana)
<b>Honorable Mention</b>	Allison Liu	Esther Yau	Edward Han Jiang: A Moonlit Night on the Spring River
	Nileya Liu	Yoko Hagino	Manuel Ponce: Serenata Marina (from Suite Cubana)
<b>Group F (4 contestants)</b>			
<b>Judges: Ivan Gusev &amp; Isabella Li</b>			
<b>First Place</b>	Wanrui Huang	Olga Berkovich	Astor Piazzolla: Milonga del Angel (from Angel)
	Gavin Yu	Xu Guo	Bela Bartok: No.1 & No.5 from Six Dances in Bulgarian Rhythm
<b>Second Place</b>	Safina Abramova	Ellyses Kuan	Florence Price: Summer Moon
<b>Third Place</b>	Harry Zheng	Bert Yocom	Florence Price: Summer Moon