

# **College Vocal Soloists**

- 1. **Division definition** A vocal soloist will consist of one performer with accompaniment of no more than 8 people.
- 2. **Date of performance** Friday, February 28
- 3. **Eligibility** Students enrolled for spring semester 2020 are eligible to perform. Any semi-professional may enter in the Open Division. If necessary, non-students may accompany a college vocal soloist; however, accompanists may not sing.
- 4. **Classification structure** Classification is based on the type of school performing and the musicians in the group:
  - a. College/University
  - b. Community College
  - c. Open Division:
    - i. Any group that consists of, or includes, **non-students** in the performance.
    - ii. *Soloists* should only enter in the open Division if the soloist is a **non-student** or **semi-professional**, not the rhythm section.
    - iii. The Open Division is a non-competitive track. Ensembles in this division will not be eligible to perform in the evening concert.
  - d. The same group of individuals may not enter in two different classifications.
- 5. **Equipment provided** performance sites:
  - a. Music stands (8)
  - b. Guitar and bass amps
  - c. Drum set (bass, bass pedal, snare, two rack toms, floor tom, hi-hat, crash, ride)
    - i. Cymbals not provided in warm up rooms.
  - d. Piano or Keyboard
  - e. You may use your own equipment, but your time limit must be observed.
- 6. Reminder Equipment not provided
  - a. Auxiliary percussion
  - b. Drumsticks
  - c. Patch cords
  - d. Additional Keyboards or keyboard stands

# 7. Standard Vocal Solo Set Up:



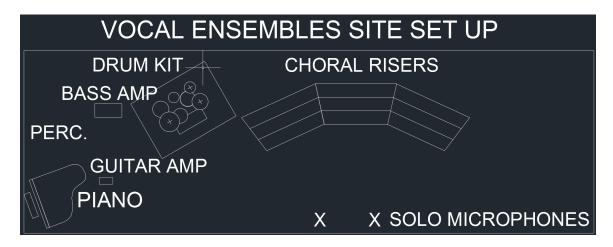
- 1. Please complete the following paperwork prior to arrival (these documents will be downloadable from website the week of the festival)
  - a. Performance information sheet (1 copies)
  - b. List of charts and soloists (4 copies)
- 2. Please check in at your performance site at least 30 minutes prior to your performance.
- 3. Soloists will have 15 minutes to warm up. An escort will guide the soloist and ensemble to the performance site 5 minutes prior to scheduled time.
- 4. Soloists will have **12 minutes to perform their set**. The performance will end after 12 minutes. There will be a mandatory 5-minute clinic on stage. **Playing beyond the allotted time will not be permitted**.
- 5. Every effort will be made to reschedule performers who miss their scheduled performance times. Due to tight schedules and logistics, a rescheduled performance is not guaranteed.

- 1. Scoring competitive entries will receive scoring in the following categories:
  - a. Improvisation quality, quantity (10%)
  - b. Time drive steadiness, rhythm (10%)
  - c. Intonation ensemble, section, individual (10%)
  - d. Articulation style, diction (15%)
  - e. Balance/Blend section, ensemble (10%)
  - f. Dynamics contrast, musicality (10%)
  - g. Style/Interpretation rhythmic, melodic, lyrical (25%)
  - h. Programming/Presentation variety, suitability, preparation, memorization, appearance (10%)
- 2. Comments all entries will be given comments in "real time" from adjudicators via voice recording.
- 3. Winning soloists *may* be selected to perform on the main stage during the **evening concert**. The selected soloists will be limited to those with extraordinary performances during the day.
- 4. Winning soloists selected to perform at the evening concert will be announced during the afternoon Young Artist's Winners Concert starting at 4:30 PM at the ASUI Kibbie Activity Center.

#### **College Vocal Large Ensemble**

- 1. **Division definition** A vocal ensemble with 10 or more performers.
- 2. There are two types of vocal large ensembles:
  - a. area microphone
  - b. multi-microphone
    - 16 microphones will be available for multi-microphone performances
    - -each multi-microphone ensemble must provide its own sound technician
- 3. **Date of performance** Friday, February 28
- 4. **Eligibility** Students enrolled for spring semester 2020 are eligible to perform. Any semi-professional or groups that include non-students may enter in the Open Division. If necessary, non-students may accompany a college vocal large ensemble; however, accompanists may not sing.
- 5. **Classification structure** Classification is based on the type of school performing and the musicians in the group:
  - a. College/University
  - b. Community College
  - c. Open division:
    - i. Any group that consists of, or includes, **non-students** in the performance.
    - ii. This is a noncompetitive classification.
- 6. **Equipment provided** warm up, performance and clinic sites
  - a. Risers (performance site only)
  - b. Music stands (10)
  - c. Guitar and bass amps
  - d. Drum set (bass, bass pedal, snare, two rack toms, floor tom, hi-hat, crash, ride)
  - e. PA system (performance site only)
  - f. Piano or keyboard
  - g. LP congas (large ensemble performance sites only)
  - h. You may use your own equipment, but your time limit must be observed.
- 7. **Reminder** Equipment **not** provided
  - a. Auxiliary percussion
  - b. Drumsticks
  - c. Patch cords
  - d. Additional Keyboards or keyboard stands
  - e. Bass acoustic or electric

#### 8. Standard Vocal Large Ensemble Set Up:



- 1. Please complete the following paperwork prior to arrival (downloadable from website)
  - a. Performance information sheet (1 copies)
  - b. List of charts and soloists (4 copies)
- 2. Please check in at your performance site at least 30 minutes prior to your performance.
- 3. Ensembles will have 25 minutes to warm up. An escort will guide the ensemble to the performance site 5 minutes prior to scheduled time.
- 4. Ensembles will have **27 minutes to perform their set**. The performance will end after 27 minutes. There will be no penalty for not completing a set. However, **playing beyond the allotted time will not be permitted**.
- 5. Immediately following performance, ensembles will be escorted to their clinic site with an adjudicator.
- 6. Every effort will be made to reschedule performers who miss their scheduled performance times. Due to tight schedules and logistics, a rescheduled performance is not guaranteed.

- 1. Scoring competitive entries will receive scoring in the following categories:
  - a. Improvisation quality, quantity (10%)
  - b. Time drive, steadiness, rhythm (15%)
  - c. Intonation ensemble, section, individual (15%)
  - d. Articulation style, diction (15%)
  - e. Balance/Blend section, ensemble (10%)
  - f. Dynamics contrast, musicality (10%)
  - g. Style/Interpretation rhythmic, melodic, lyrical (15%)
  - h. Programming/Presentation variety, suitability, preparation, memorization, appearance (10%)
- 2. Comments all entries will be given comments in "real time" from adjudicators via voice recording.
- 3. One site winner from each represented division will perform at the Young Artist's Winners Concert at 4:30pm in the ASUI Kibbie Activity Center.
- 4. All large ensembles advancing to the Young Artist's Winners Concert will be permitted to perform one song, limited to five minutes on the main stage.

# **College Vocal Combo**

- 1. **Division definition** A vocal ensemble with 9 or fewer performers. There is NO division distinction for non-mixed vocal groups. Non-mixed groups refer to all males or all females.
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- 4. **Classification structure** Classification is based on the type of school performing and the musicians in the group:
  - a. College/University
  - b. Community College
  - c. Open Division:
    - i. Any group that consists of, or includes, **non-students** in the performance.
    - ii. This is a noncompetitive classification.
- 5. **Equipment provided** performance sites
  - a. Music stands (9)
  - b. Guitar and bass amps
  - c. Drum set (bass, bass pedal, snare, two rack toms, floor tom, hi-hat, crash, ride)
    - a. Cymbals not provided in warm up rooms.
  - d. PA system (if necessary)
  - e. Piano or Keyboard
  - f. You may use your own equipment, but your time limit must be observed.
- 6. **Reminder** Equipment **not** provided
  - a. Auxiliary percussion
  - b. Drumsticks
  - c. Patch cords
  - d. Additional Keyboards or keyboard stands
  - e. Bass acoustic or electric

# 7. Standard Vocal Combo Set Up:



- 1. Please complete the following paperwork prior to arrival (downloadable from website)
  - a. Performance information sheet (1 copies)
  - b. List of charts and soloists (4 copies)
- 2. Please check in at your performance site at least 30 minutes prior to your performance.
- 3. Combos will have 15 minutes to warm up. An escort will guide the ensemble to the performance site 5 minutes prior to scheduled time.
- 4. Combos will have **12 minutes to perform their set**. The performance will end after 12 minutes. There will be a mandatory 5-minute clinic on stage. **Playing beyond the allotted time will not be permitted**.
- 5. Every effort will be made to reschedule performers who miss their scheduled performance times. Due to tight schedules and logistics, a rescheduled performance is not guaranteed.

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  - c. Intonation ensemble, section, individual (15%)
  - d. Articulation style, diction (15%)
  - e. Balance/Blend section, ensemble (10%)
  - f. Dynamics contrast, musicality (10%)
  - g. Style/Interpretation rhythmic, melodic, lyrical (15%)
  - h. Programming/Presentation variety, suitability, preparation, memorization, appearance (10%)
- 2. Comments all entries will be given comments in "real time" from adjudicators via voice recording.
- 3. Winning combos <u>may</u> be selected to perform on the main stage during the **evening concert**. The selected combo will be limited to those with extraordinary performances during the day.
- 4. Winning combos selected to perform at evening concert will be announced during the afternoon Young Artist's Winners Concert starting at 4:30 PM at the ASUI Kibbie Activity Center.

# **College Instrumental Soloists**

- 1. **Division definition** An instrumental soloist will consist of one performer with accompaniment of no more than 8 people.
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- 3. **Eligibility** Students enrolled for spring semester 2020 are eligible to perform. Any semi-professional or groups that include non-students may enter in the Open Division. If necessary, non-students may accompany a college instrumental ensemble.
- 4. **Classification structure** Classification is based on the type of school performing and the musicians in the group:
  - a. College/University
  - b. Community College
  - c. Open division:
    - i. Any group that consists of, or included, **non-students** in the performance.
    - ii. *Soloists* should only enter in the open division if the soloist is a non-student or semi-professional, not the rhythm section.
    - iii. This is a noncompetitive classification.
  - d. The same group of individuals may not enter in two different classifications.
- 5. **Equipment provided** performance sites:
  - a. Music stands (8)
  - b. Guitar and bass amps
  - c. Drum set (bass, bass pedal, snare, two rack toms, floor tom, hi-hat, crash, ride)
    - a. Cymbals not provided in warm up rooms.
  - d. Piano or Keyboard
  - e. You may use your own equipment, but your time limit must be observed.
- 6. **Reminder** Equipment **not** provided:
  - a. Auxiliary percussion
  - b. Drumsticks
  - c. Patch cords
  - d. Additional Keyboards or keyboard stands
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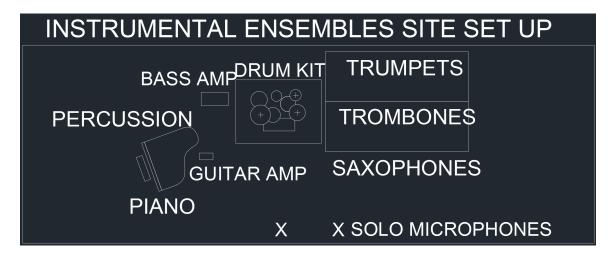
- 1. Please complete the following paperwork prior to arrival (downloadable from website)
  - a. Performance information sheet (1 copies)
  - b. List of charts and soloists (4 copies)
- 2. Please check in at your performance site at least 30 minutes prior to your performance.
- 3. Soloists will have 15 minutes to warm up. An escort will guide the soloist and their ensemble to the performance site 5 minutes prior to scheduled time.
- 4. Soloists will have **12 minutes to perform their set**. The performance will end after 12 minutes. There will be a mandatory 5-minute clinic on stage. **Playing beyond the allotted time will not be permitted**.
- 5. Every effort will be made to reschedule performers who miss their scheduled performance times. Due to tight schedules and logistics, a rescheduled performance is not guaranteed.

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  - c. Intonation ensemble, section, individual (10%)
  - d. Articulation appropriateness to style (10%)
  - e. Balance/Blend section, ensemble (10%)
  - f. Dynamics contrast, musicality (10%)
  - g. Style/Interpretation rhythmic, melodic (10%)
  - h. Programming/Presentation variety, suitability, preparation, appearance (5%)
- 2. Comments all entries will be given verbally via voice recording.
- 3. Winning soloists <u>may</u> be selected to perform on the main stage during the **evening concert**. The selected soloists will be limited to those with extraordinary performances during the day.
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    - ii. This is a noncompetitive classification.
- 5. **Equipment provided** warm up, performance and clinic sites
  - a. Music stands (25)
  - b. Guitar and bass amps
  - c. Drum set (bass, bass pedal, snare, two rack toms, floor tom, hi-hat, crash, ride)
  - d. PA system (performance site only)
  - e. Piano or keyboard
  - f. LP congas (large ensemble performance sites only)
  - g. You may use your own equipment, but your time limit must be observed.
- 6. **Reminder** Equipment **not** provided
  - a. Auxiliary percussion
  - b. Drumsticks
  - c. Patch cords
  - d. Additional keyboards or keyboard stands
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  - b. List of charts and soloists (4 copies)
- 2. Please check in at your performance site at least 30 minutes prior to your performance.
- 3. Ensembles will have 25 minutes to warm up. An escort will guide the ensemble to the performance site 5 minutes prior to scheduled time.
- 4. Ensembles will have **27 minutes to perform their set**. The performance will end after 27 minutes. There will be no penalty for not completing a set. However, **playing beyond the allotted time will not be permitted**.
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  - e. Balance/Blend section, ensemble (10%)
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- 3. Combos will have 15 minutes to warm up. An escort will guide the ensemble to the performance site 5 minutes prior to scheduled time.
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