# Young Artist Piano Competition February 29, 2020



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Held in the Bryan Fine Arts Building's Wattenbarger Auditorium at Tennessee Tech University, the annual TTU Artist Piano Competition is a showcase for young pianists, grades 9-12, in Tennessee.

#### **Awards**

First Prize: Herman Godes Award (\$1,000)

Second Prize: S.K. Ballal Award (\$600)

Third Prize: Dave M. McCall Award (\$500)

Fourth Prize: Rodney L. Carlson Award (\$300)

## **Competition Rules**

- Students must be in grades 9-12 in the 2020 school year.
- The jury will include faculty from the TTU
  music school and regional professionals. If
  a jury member is related to or has taught a
  contestant, that jurist will recuse himself
  or herself from voting on that contestant.
- Previous first place winners are ineligible to compete.
- Deadline for application and 50.00 entrance fee is February 19, 2020

#### **Admission Audition**

Graduating seniors who plan to attend TTU are eligible for additional scholarship awards, including the prestigious Herman Godes Memorial Scholarship (\$1,000).

### **Required Repertoire & Performance**

- At least two works of contrasting style from the standard piano repertoire; Popular music selections are not appropriate.
- The performance must not exceed 20 minutes.
- Memorization is required.

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