



“FLORIDA KEYS” INTERNATIONAL MUSIC COMPETITION

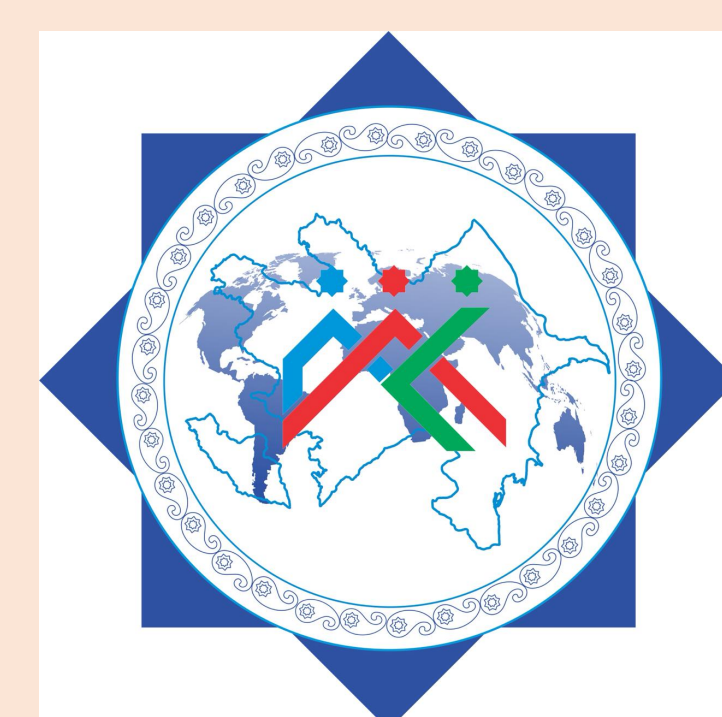
IN HONOR OF THE GREAT AZERBAIJANI COMPOSER JEVDET HAJIYEV



Winners Gala Concert Program

Carnegie Hall/Weill Recital Hall

April 5, 2022 at 8:00PM



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This year marks the official launch of the First International Music Competition, entitled “Florida Keys”, in honor of the great Azerbaijani composer Jevdet Hajiyev. The name “Florida Keys” stems from the fact that the composer’s family is based in Florida. The organizer of the competition is his daughter, Pervin Muradov, NCTM. This project was started as a collaboration between Pervin Muradov, Kay Lang (a pianist/pedagogue/author “My Piano Time” method), Vivian Fang Liu (a Chinese pianist and New York State Music Festival adjudicator), and Tohfa Eminova (President of the AACA). The purpose of the competition is to discover and promote gifted talents around the globe, and to acquaint the world with the best examples of musical literature from different countries. This provides an opportunity for musicians to perform on the world-renowned stage, Carnegie Hall. Another aim of this competition is to promote rich Azerbaijani musical heritage.

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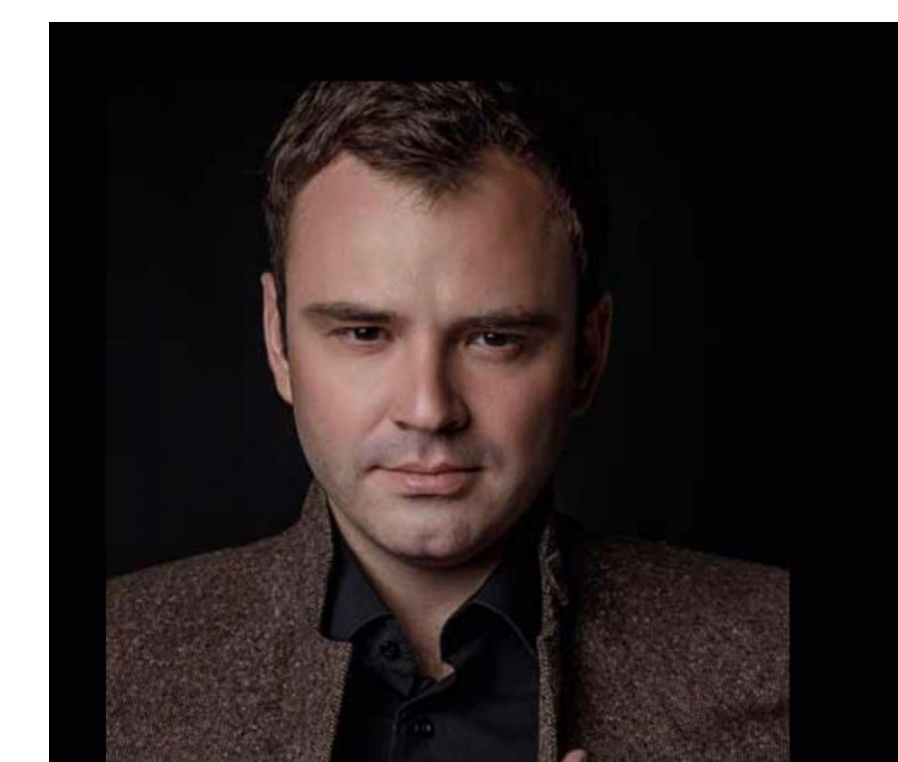
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Thanks to all CONTESTANTS for their hard work, performance, and participation in “Florida Keys” IMC 2022! CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FINALISTS WHO PERFORM AT CARNEGIE/WEILL HALL!

Thank you dear PARENTS for your daily support and help! We really appreciate everything that you are doing!

Thank you our VOLUNTEERS for your amazing work at “Florida Keys” Winners Gala 2022:

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Mrs. Pervin Muradov, NCTM
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Congratulations to all the Winners and Finalists of the “Florida Keys” International Music Competition on their great accomplishments!

Thank you parents for supporting and encouraging your children’s passions, and giving them the opportunity to participate in this competition. Never stop dreaming, and never give up!

“Music is what tell us that the human race is greater than we realize”



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Our Winners and Finalists of the “Florida Keys” International Music Competition 2022!



Johanna Liersch,12
Germany



Avery Sun Liu,4
USA



Christopher Wong,7
USA



Marilyn Cheng,7
USA



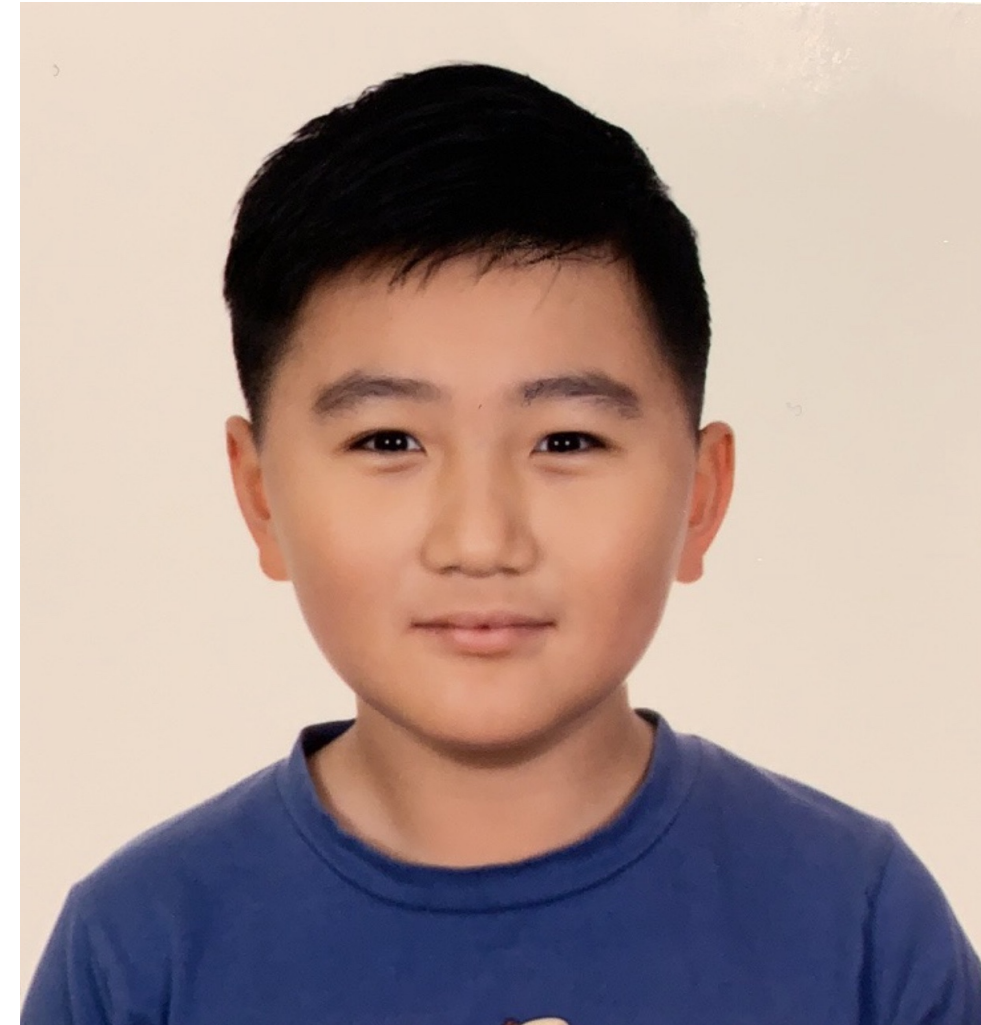
Chamberlain Jones,8
USA



Michael Ma, 9
USA



Alana Sotorrio, 9
USA



Lukas Yim,9
USA



Carolyn Roth, 9
USA



Annabella Du,14
USA



Wanting Lily Shen,14
USA



Zahar Zouaki,12
USA



Ethan Li,11
USA



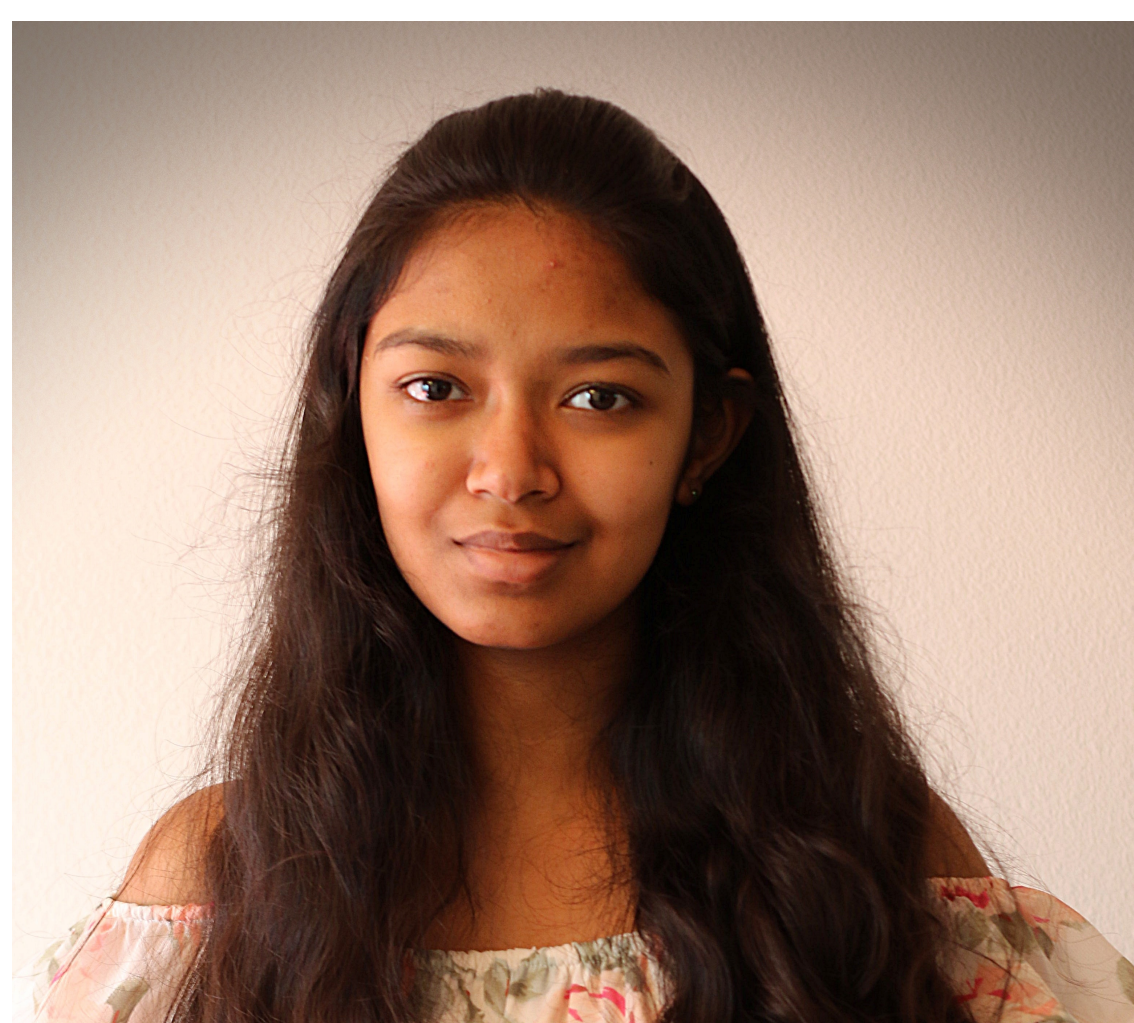
Jingyi Du,15
USA



Kiana Tse,16
USA



Keelan Tse,13
USA



Aneesha Guna,14
USA



Jayden Ai,14
USA



Abigail Cochran,16
USA



Jude Fradillada,17
USA



Our Winners and Finalists of the “Florida Keys” International Music Competition 2022!



Chloe Cheng, 11
USA



Mary Zhang, 12
USA



Lauren Elise Norman, 16
USA



Nailah Clarke, 16
USA



Lily Peng, 12
USA



Renee Zhu, 15
USA



Daphne Landis, 16
USA



Catherine Psarakis, 29
USA



Charlotte Liersch, 15
Germany



Junwen Liang, 26
USA



Program Gala Concert 2022

1. Johanna Liersch

Scherzo by Jevdet Hajiyev, 1:45 min

Violin Sonata in G minor Op. 1 No. 10 "Didone abbandonata", 1st mov. by G. Tartini, 4:00min

2. Avery Sun Liu

Bumblebee Toccata by Lynn Freeman Olson, 50 sec

3. Marilyn Cheng

Aragonaise by Massenet, 2:05min

4. Chamberlain Jones

Marching Procession by Khodosh, 1 min 8 sec

Dance Caprice by Timothy Brown, 1 min 16 sec

5. Christopher Wong

Bumblebee Toccata by Lynn Freeman Olson, 50 sec

6. VOCAL: Michael Ma

What If from The Addams Family by Andrew Lipka, 2min 20 sec

7. Alana Sotorrio

Mazurka and Waltz by V. Kosenko, 2:05 min

8. Lukas Yim

Allegro by G.B. Pescetti, 1:38 min

9. Carolyn Roth

Valse Mélancolique by C. Fisher, 1:20 min

10. DUET: Annabella Du - Wanting She

Jewish Fantasy by O. Krut, 3:00 min

11. Zahar Zouaki

Passacaglia by F. Handel (Suite no.7, HWV 432), 4:30 min

12. Mary Zhang

Giant Purple Butterflies by Wynn-Anne Rossi, 1:20 min

13. Chloe Cheng

Picking Tea Leaves And Catching Butterflies by Lily Chao, 2:45 min

14. Ethan Li

Liebestraum No.3 in Ab Major by Franz Liszt, 4:50 min



15. VOCAL: Jingyi Du

I Enjoy Being A Girl by Richard Rodgers and Oscar Hammerstein II, 3 min

16. ENSEMBLE: Kiana Tse -Keelan Tse

Concerto in C-Maj mov.1 by D.Kabalevsky, 5:10 min

17. Aneesha Guna

Gypsy Flamenko by C.Rollin, 1:50 min

18. Lauren Norman

“Los Gitanos” by E.Rocherolle, 3 min

19. VIOLIN: Jayden Ai

Symphonie Espagnole Op. 21 by Edouard Lalo, 4:20 min

20. Keelan Tse

Fantasy in C-Maj by Handel, 2:30 min

21. DUET : Abbigail Cochran - Jude Fradilllada

S.Bortkiewicz “Songs and Dances” n.6, 3:10 min

Schumann Bilder aus Osten, Impromptu n.4, 2:30 min

22. Nailah Clarke

Impromptu in C-sharp op.28, n.3 by Reinhold, 4:10 min

23. VIOLIN : Lily Peng

Country Dance by C.M. von Weber, 2:20 min

24. Jude Fradillada

Gavotte in B Minor, Op. 19 no. 7 by V. Kosenko, 3:55 min

25. VOCAL: Renee Zhu

Giacomo Puccini “Signore, ascolta!”, 3:30 min

26. Abigail Cochran

“The Seasons” Op. 37b - VIII. August by Tchaikovsky, 3:50 min

27. Daphne Landis

"Malaguena" by Ernesto Lecuona, 4:00 min

28. VOCAL: Catherine Psarakis

Ravel “Fire Aria” and “Durch Zartichkeit”, 5 min

29. Charlotte Liersch

Prelude and Fugue f sharp min n.14 BWV 859 by J.S.Bach, 3:45 min

Ballade by J.Hajiyev, 4:30 min

30. Junwen Liang

Hungarian Rhapsody No. 12 in c-sharp min by Liszt, 9:50 min



**Congratulations
To Our Winners !**

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