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Southern Oregon Chapter**

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## **Annual Student Composition Contest – 2017**

**Deadline:** all entries must be postmarked by March 31, 2017.

**Eligibility:** any student in Jackson, Josephine or Siskiyou counties, age 14-20 on March 31, 2017.

**Award:** The winning composition will be professionally performed at a NACUSAsor concert in Ashland, OR, on Saturday, May 20, 2017. The winning composer is expected to attend the concert. In addition, the winner will receive an award of \$100.

### **Contest Rules:**

1. One composition per entrant
2. Composition must be an original work composed by entrant
3. Score must have been prepared by entrant
4. Duration of composition must be no more than 5 minutes
5. Composition must be for any solo or combination of the following three instruments:
  - 1 clarinet
  - 1 cello
  - 1 piano
6. Winning composer must be able to supply instrument parts upon notification.

### **To enter, please submit:**

1. Legible score of composition
2. Completed entry form
3. CD or MP3 of a live or MIDI performance of work is highly desirable, but not required.
4. Self-addressed, stamped envelope if return desired

Mail hard copy of score and application form, and CD to:

NACUSAsor Student Composition Contest  
c/o William Ashworth  
3080 Lone Pine Rd.  
Medford, OR 97504

or

Email PDFs of score and application form, and MP3 to [ashworth080142@gmail.com](mailto:ashworth080142@gmail.com)

**Judges:** A panel of member composers in NACUSAsor will select the winning composition. Compositions will be judged on quality, originality, clarity of notation, and playability. Decision of judges is final, and the judges may decline to name any award.

Direct questions to Bill Ashworth: 541-778-9470; [ashworth080142@gmail.com](mailto:ashworth080142@gmail.com)