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More than **\$10,000** in prizes



Designed for advanced pianists aged 14–18, this prestigious international competition offers more than \$10,000 in prize money, scholarship opportunities to Michigan State University, and recognition on a distinguished stage. Following a rigorous preliminary video screening, ten semifinalists will be invited to MSU's campus to compete in the semifinal and final rounds, held in the beautifully refined Cook Recital Hall. Participants will also enjoy masterclasses with MSU piano faculty, hands-on experience with state-of-the-art facilities in the Billman Music Pavilion, and the chance to explore MSU's comprehensive music programs.

RALPH VOTAPEK INTERNATIONAL YOUNG ARTIST PIANO COMPETITION

DATES

August 14–17, 2025

LOCATION

Michigan State University, Music Building, East Lansing, MI

PRIZES

More than \$10,000 in prize money, with \$5,000 for first place

ELIGIBILITY

Advanced pianists aged 14–18

APPLICATION DEADLINE

April 15, 2025

The MSU International Piano Competition reflects the College of Music's dedication to nurturing young talent, fostering creativity, and advancing piano performance. Pianists eager to compete are encouraged to apply.

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