

Student Awards

1992 St. Mary's College, MD \$16,000 Music Scholarship
Joshua Kaye

1995 James R. Anthony Honors Recital Junior High Winner
Kelly Huseby

1997 James R. Anthony Honors Recital Gold Medalist with Distinction
Kelly Huseby

1997 ASMTA High School Composition Competition Winner
Diana Holtzman

1998 James R. Anthony Honors Recital Gold Medalist with Distinction
Kelly Huseby

Gold Medalist
Kristin Smith

1998 Phoenix Young Artists Piano Competition Senior High Division Winner
Kelly Huseby

Junior High Division Winner
Catherine McKernan

1999 ASMTA Junior High Composition Competition Winner
Tyler Gillies

1999 ASMTA High School Composition Competition Winner
Robert Springer

1999 ASMTA Collegiate Composition Competition Winner
Sara Paque

1999 AZ Federation of Music Clubs Junior High Composition Winner
Tyler Gillies

1999 Cleveland Institute of Music \$10,000 Performance Scholarship
Kristin Smith

2000 Southwestern Division Winner of the MTNA Junior High Composition
Competition
Tyler Gillies

2000 Southwestern Division Winner of the Federation of Music Clubs Junior High Composition
Competition
Tyler Gillies

2000 Arizona State University \$1,000 Composition Scholarship
Robert Springer

2000 George Welik \$2,000 Scholarship
Robert Springer

2000 Wickenburg Chamber Orchestra \$1,000 Scholarship
Robert Springer

2000 ASMTA High School Composition Competition Winner
Catherine McKernan

2000 Oberlin Conservatory of Music Scholarship Winner
Lance Libby

2001 ASMTA Collegiate Composition Competition Winner
Lauren Olson

2001 Phoenix MTA Fall Festival Gold Medal Winner
Danielle Fowler

2002 Chet & Ann Goldberg Young Musicians Competition Division One Winner
Stephen Charnicki

2002 Grand Canyon University \$60,000 Music Ed. Scholarship
Danielle Fowler

2002 ASMTA Elementary Composition Competition Winner
Sarah Keeling

2004 Phoenix MTA Celebration of Music Elementary I Division Superior with Distinction Trophy
Winner
Aisha Tritle

2004 Phoenix MTA Celebration of Music Junior High Division Superior Trophy Winner
Stephen Charnicki

2004 Phoenix MTA Rainbow Sonatina Celebration Late Intermediate Gold Medal Winner
Aisha Tritle

2004 Phoenix MTA Rainbow Sonatina Celebration Early Advanced Gold Medal Winner
Emily Mitchell

2005 Phoenix MTA Celebration of Music Senior Division Superior Trophy Winner
Stephen Charnicki

2005 James R. Anthony Honors Recital Senior Division Gold Medalist With Distinction
Stephen Charnicki

2006 Phoenix MTA Celebration of Music Senior High Division Superior Trophy Winner
Stephen Charnicki

2007 Young Artist Piano Competition Senior Concerto Division First Prize Winner
Stephen Charnicki

2007 Arizona District Fine Arts Festival Keyboard Solo Division Superior with Invitation and Award of
Excellence Winner
Alexandra Dawson

2007 National Youth Fine Arts Festival Piano Solo Division Superior Award Winner
Alexandra Dawson

2007 Schimmel Piano Competition High School Concerto Division 1st Place Winner, Barber Concerto
Op. 38 III. Allegro Molto
Stephen Charnicki

2007 Symphony of the Southwest Schimmel Piano Competition Winners Concert, Beethoven
Concerto Op. 37 No. 3
Stephen Charnicki

2008 Arizona District Fine Arts Festival Keyboard Solo Division Superior with Invitation and Award of
Excellence Winner
Alexandra Dawson

2008 Fountain Hills Piano Competition Senior Division 3rd Place \$500 Winner
Emily Mitchell

2008 Arizona Music Educators Association Festival Junior High Piano Solo Division Superior Award
Winner
Hannah Hansell

2008 National Youth Fine Arts Festival Piano Solo Division Superior Award Winner
Alexandra Dawson

2009 Arizona District Fine Arts Festival Piano Solo Division Superior Award Winner
Alexandra Dawson

2009 National Youth Fine Arts Festival Piano Solo Division Superior Award Winner
Alexandra Dawson

2010 National Youth Fine Arts Festival Piano Solo Division Award of Excellence Winner
Alexandra Dawson

2010 Phoenix MTA Sonata Festival Gold Medalist Winners
Sarah Chon, Paul Shin and Kyle Conway

2011 Arizona District Fine Arts Festival Keyboard Solo Division Superior with Invitation Award
Hayden Dawson

2011 Phoenix MTA Celebration of Music Upper Elementary Division Gold Medalist Winner
Sarah Chon

2011 Phoenix MTA Fall Festival Gold Medalist Winner
Sarah Chon

2013 University of Arizona \$16,000 Music Scholarship
Jacob Heid

2015 Phoenix MTA Fall Festival Silver Medalists
Laila Elias and Ayden Schure

2016 Arizona District Fine Arts Festival Piano Solo Division and Classical Piano Division
Superior with Invitation and Award of Merit
Hayden Dawson