

2023/2024 NATIONAL CONCERTO COMPETITION - PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE

Tuesday 5th December 2023:

Time (approx.)	Contestant	Concerto	Accompanist
EVENING SESSION			
7.30 p.m.	Enshean Lin (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto in D minor, Op. 47 – Jean Sibelius	Sarah Watkins
7.50 p.m.	Eunseong Kim (<i>Christchurch</i>)	Trombone Concertino, Op. 4 – Ferdinand David	Yifan Yang
8.10 p.m.	Christine Jeon (<i>Christchurch</i>)	Cello Concerto in E minor, Op. 85 – Edward Elgar	Sarah Watkins
8.30 p.m.	Sho Woodhouse (<i>Christchurch</i>)	Concerto for Marimba and Strings – Emmanuel Séjourné	Oscar Chin
EVENING ENDS	At 8.50 p.m.		

Wednesday 6th December 2023:

Time (approx.)	Contestant	Concerto	Accompanist
MORNING SESSION			
9.00 a.m.	Max Chen (<i>Auckland</i>)	Cello Concerto in B minor, Op. 104 – Antonin Dvorak	Sarah Watkins
9.20 a.m.	Owen Xiao (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto No. 3 in B minor, Op. 61 – Camille Saint-Saëns	Xing Wang
9.40 a.m.	Emica Taylor (<i>Christchurch</i>)	Flute Concerto – Jacques Ibert	Sarah Watkins
10.00 a.m.	Kimberley Yuan (<i>Auckland</i>)	Variations on a Rococo Theme (Cello), Op. 33 - Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky	Xing Wang
10.20 a.m.	Kate Xu (<i>Auckland</i>)	Cello Concerto No. 1 in A minor, Op. 33 - Camille Saint-Saëns	Sarah Watkins
10.40 a.m.	Rachel Davies (<i>Christchurch</i>)	Trombone Concerto in Bb major – Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov	Alison Holden
MORNING TEA	At 11.00 a.m. for 30 minutes		

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MORNING SESSION/AFTERNOON SESSION			
11.30 a.m.	Hazuki Katsukawa (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto in D minor, Op. 47 – Jean Sibelius	Sarah Watkins
11.50 a.m.	Benjamin Davey (<i>Auckland</i>)	Cello Concerto No. 1 in A minor, Op. 33 - Camille Saint-Saëns	Alison Holden
12.10 p.m.	Hamish Goodhue (<i>Wellington</i>)	Concierto de Aranjuez (Classical Guitar) – Joaquin Rodrigo	Noelle Dannenbring
12.30 p.m.	Nina Noble (<i>Christchurch</i>)	Concerto for Trumpet – Henri Tomasi	Alison Holden
12.50 p.m.	Lucas Baker (<i>Wellington</i>)	Violin Concerto No. 1 in A minor - Dmitri Shostakovich	Noelle Dannenbring
LUNCH	At 1.15 p.m. for 1.25 hours		
AFTERNOON SESSION			
2.30 p.m.	Marlon Sullivan (<i>Wellington</i>)	Clarinet Concerto No. 1 – Carl Maria von Weber	Sarah Watkins
2.50 p.m.	Hayden Chiu (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto in G minor – Max Bruch	Sarah Watkins
3.10 p.m.	Eve Lu (<i>Auckland</i>)	The Butterfly Lovers (violin) – Chen Gang & He Shanhao	Monica Chang
3.30 p.m.	Alina Chen (<i>Auckland</i>)	Flute Concerto – Carl Nielsen	Sarah Watkins
3.50 p.m.	Angel Tao (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto No. 4 in D major, K 218 - Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart	Monica Chang
4.10 p.m.	Louis Liu (<i>Auckland</i>)	Flute Concerto – Jacques Ibert	Camila de Oliveira
AFTERNOON TEA	At 4.30 p.m. for 30 minutes		
5.00 p.m.	HaoBo Yang (<i>Christchurch</i>)	Flute Concerto in G – Johan Joachim Quantz	Alison Holden
5.20 p.m.	Zi Xuan Wang (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto No. 2 in D minor, Op. 22 – Henri Wieniawski	Xing Wang
5.40 p.m.	Fengyao Liu (<i>Wellington</i>)	Violin Concerto No. 1 in G minor, Op. 26 – Max Bruch	Alison Holden
DINNER	At 6.00 p.m. for 2 hours		
EVENING SESSION			
8.00 p.m.	Hyun Jae Lee (<i>Auckland</i>)	Cello Concerto – William Walton	Sarah Watkins
8.20 p.m.	Tabitha Yates (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto No. 1 in G minor, Op. 26 – Max Bruch	Juan Kim
8.40 p.m.	Sarah Lee (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto in E minor, Op. 64 – Felix Mendelssohn	Sarah Watkins
EVENING ENDS	At 9.00 p.m.		

Thursday 7th December 2023:

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MORNING SESSION			
9.00 a.m.	Boudewijn Keenan (<i>Dunedin</i>)	Variations on a Rococo Theme (Cello), Op. 33 - Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky	Sarah Watkins
9.20 a.m.	Peter Gjelsten (<i>Wellington</i>)	Violin Concerto in D minor, Op. 47 - Jean Sibelius	Noelle Dannenbring
9.40 a.m.	Tessa Frazer (<i>Wellington</i>)	Concertino da Camera (Alto Saxophone) - Jacques Ibert	Sarah Watkins
10.00 a.m.	Mana Waiariki (<i>Wellington</i>)	Symphonie Espagnole (violin) - Edouard Lalo	Noelle Dannenbring
10.20 a.m.	Lorna Zhang (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto in D major, Op. 35 - Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky	Sarah Watkins
MORNING TEA	At 10.40 a.m. for 30 minutes		
11.10 a.m.	Esther (Elio) Oh (<i>Auckland</i>)	Violin Concerto in D minor, Op. 47 - Jean Sibelius	Sarah Watkins
11.30 a.m.	Anastasia Bell (<i>Christchurch</i>)	Flute Concerto in D major, Op. 283 - Carl Reinecke	Gabriel Baird
11.50 a.m.	Ben van Leuven (<i>Lower Hutt</i>)	Concerto for Clarinet - Aaron Copland	Sarah Watkins
12.10 p.m.	Tor Chiles (<i>Christchurch</i>)	Oboe Concerto in C major - Joseph Haydn	Gabriel Baird
12.30 p.m.	Ryan Yeh (<i>Auckland</i>)	Cello Concerto in D minor - Edouard Lalo	Chin Yeh
LUNCH	At 1.00 p.m. - Semi-Finalist announcement in the Concert Hall at 2.00 p.m.		