

THE JOSEPH ISRAEL BOOKSTABER MEMORIAL COMPETITION

This competition is held in memory of a remarkable young man. Joseph Israel Bookstaber played for the NJFMC for many years, then went to Yale to study something else but continued his love of piano music. His tragic accidental death occurred while doing service abroad for a year in Thailand. His father, Rick Bookstaber, established this competition in his son's memory, and funds the awards and costs. The high level of dedication to music represented by the winners shows that the spirit of Joseph Israel Bookstaber still lives on.

JOSEPH ISRAEL BOOKSTABER MEMORIAL COMPETITION WINNERS

1st Place: Elizabeth Yang

2nd Place: Jasmine Meyer

3rd Place: Geoffrey Li

Honorable Mention: Sophia Kim

TEACHERS OF STUDENTS PERFORMING

Lisa Villamaria Casia

Judy Dewette

Maria Doukhnaï

Barbara Landi Hause

Judy Kessler

NEW JERSEY FEDERATION OF MUSIC CLUBS

Gold Cup Concert
Sunday, May 2, 2021
Live stream 1:00 PM



Etude Brillante..... Goldston

Vinayak Sinha, 2nd Gold Cup

A Gentle Joke..... Olson

Mikaela Catuncan, 2nd Gold Cup

Omar Shariff from "The Band's Visit" Yazbek

Aarushi Vatsyayan, 2nd Gold Cup

Nocturne in Eb, Op. 9 no. 2..... Chopin

Jedrik Digao, 3rd Gold Cup

Montague and Capulet.....Prokofiev

Quinnie Mei, 3rd Gold Cup

Prelude from English Suite No. 3.....Bach

Winnie Mei, 3rd Gold Cup

Another Hundred People from "Company" Sondheim

Alyssa Fuentes, 3rd Gold Cup

TEACHERS OF BOOKSTABER WINNERS

Grace Yang,
Julia Lam
Stella Xu
Mansoon Kim

BOOKSTABER JUDGES

Magdalena Baczkewska
Daniel Paul Horn

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Hungarian Dance No. 8..... Brahms

Quinnie & Winnie Mei, 3rd Gold Cup, Duets

Sonata in D Major, No. 84, III. Allegro..... Soler

John Mullen, 4th Gold Cup

Fantasy-Impromptu, Op. 66.....Chopin

Samantha Howden, Grand (5th) Cup

Sonata No. 3 in A minor, Op. 28.....Prokofiev

Sophia Kim, Honorable Mention – Bookstaber Competition

Piano Sonata, Sz. 80, III. Allegro Molto..... Bartok

Ballade No. 4 in F Minor, Op. 52.....Chopin

Jasmine Meyer, 2nd Place Winner – Bookstaber Competition

Thanks to Lisa Villamaria Casia for running today's program, Barbara Landi Hause for organizing this program, Judy Dewette for running the Junior Composers Composition Competition, to Rebecca Eng for running the Bookstaber Competition, and special thanks to Rick Bookstaber for his continued support.

