



CLIBURN INTERNATIONAL JUNIOR PIANO COMPETITION AND FESTIVAL

MAY 31–JUNE 8, 2019 | DALLAS, TEXAS, USA



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

****Competitor Field Trip Chaperones** (6) Accompany competitors/participants on Cliburn-sponsored field trips. Expected dates Tuesday, June 4, and Thursday, June 6, 2019.

****Competitor Lounge:** Work with competitor lounge chairmen and Cliburn staff to coordinate all details of competitor lounge, which serves as home base for competitors, participants, and their families, and will be located on campus at SMU. Work shifts to staff the lounge, including providing hospitality to competitors, competitor families, official guests, and press; setting up and replenishing snack items; and keeping area clean. Volunteers should have organizational, team, and time management skills, as well as be comfortable communicating with individuals whose English is limited. Shifts are approximately 4-5 hours long (TBD). Orientation spring 2019. Concentration June May 28–June 9, 2019.

Gift Shop Sales: (12) Work Cliburn Gift Shop shifts during the Competition. Duties include program book sales, working the shop sales floor, promoting and restocking Cliburn merchandise, and providing customer service. Focus on organizational, retail, and team skills. Orientation, training, and merchandise preparation in April and May 2019, with concentrated hours during the Competition. Day and night shifts are approximately 4 hours in length, which includes time for parking & gift shop preparation.

Simulcast Hosts: (10) Staff simulcast of Final Round concert and Awards Ceremony at Klyde Warren Park on Saturday, June 8, 2019, under direction of simulcast coordinator. Serve as welcome committee and Cliburn representatives for attendees and ensure event success. Volunteers must be willing to work outside from approximately 1 to 8 p.m. Shifts possible. Orientation May 2019.

Student Volunteers: (10) Assist Cliburn staff in preparing for and executing the Competition. Duties include: load-in and load-out at SMU and the Meyerson Symphony Center (including gift shop, jury room, competitor lounge, offices, etc.); preparation of volunteer and guest information packets; transport, organization, set-up, and tear-down of purchased and donated goods; stepping in for volunteer shifts as needed; running errands; and more. Volunteers must be willing to work long hours and must be efficient multitaskers with strong customer service skills and positive attitudes. Concentration May 26–June 10, 2019, with orientation and some preparation earlier in May. Ideal for high school and college students.

Transportation: Provide transportation to and from DFW International and/or Dallas Love Field airports for Competition jurors, artists, press, and other personnel. Concentration May 28–June 9, 2019.

Ushers: (24) Work usher shifts during Competition performances, May 31–June 8, 2019, on the SMU campus in Caruth Auditorium. Both day and night shifts needed. Volunteer ushers serve as welcome hosts to patrons attending Competition concerts, and also help create the ideal performance environment for competitors. Emphasis on customer service and professionalism. Training required week of May 28, 2019.

ALL VOLUNTEERS are required to sign a Release Form & the Safety Acknowledgement Form

****REQUIREMENTS:** Safety Statement signed, online training completed, & background check for protection of minors

QUESTIONS? Contact Kay Howell at khowell@cliburn.org