

The Liederkrantz Foundation, Inc.

2010 Annual Competitions for Voice – 50th Year

Granting awards of \$1000 to upwards of \$8000 in three divisions

[There are some changes from previous applications.]

<p style="text-align: center;">General Opera Division</p> <p>Requirements: 5 operatic arias (in at least 3 languages) Age limits: 20-35 years as of 1/1/2010</p> <p>Bass-Baritones are eligible to compete for the Norman Carlberg Prize and must offer repertoire appropriate to that <i>Fach</i>.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Wagner Division</p> <p>Requirements: 5 arias (at least 4 by Wagner) Age limits: 25-45 years as of 1/1/2010</p>
<p>Competition Dates</p> <p>Area contestants (Tri-state, Philadelphia and Washington, D.C. areas) - January 11 - January 15, 2010 Contestants from outside the above areas - January 14 & 15, 2010</p> <p>Do not enter the contest if you are not available for the Finals – Saturday, January 16, 2010</p>	

Lieder/Art Song Division

Requirements: 5 art songs written for voice and piano including at least 3 in German, 1 of which must be by Schubert.
If you wish, you may offer an additional (6th) song outside these parameters, such as an *a cappella* piece, or a song for voice and orchestra.
Age Limits: 18-30 years as of 1/1/2010

Competition Dates

Area contestants (Tri-state, Philadelphia and Washington, D.C. areas) - January 18 – January 22, 2010
Contestants from outside the above areas - January 21 & 22, 2010

Finals – Saturday, January 23, 2010

A small group of finalists will be selected to perform in a public Finals Concert on Saturday evening, January 17th at which time the prizewinners will be selected.

Location - The Liederkrantz Foundation
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Please read the following carefully: You may apply in one division only.
Former winners may not compete in the division in which they previously won, but MAY compete in a different category.

Winners from all 3 divisions **MUST PARTICIPATE** in the Winners Concert on Saturday, March 20, 2010 in **Weill Recital Hall** at Carnegie Hall in order to receive their prize money.

Entries must be postmarked by 11/15/2009 at which time they will be processed. If you have not received a response by December 15 please contact our office.

Please enclose the following four (4) items. Failure to do so will void your application

- 1. A completed application form. Please **DO NOT SEND** a resume, photo or cover letter. They are not necessary.
- 2. A stamped, self-addressed business (9 1/2 x 4 1/8) envelope with the Liederkrantz address as the return address.
- 3. A \$50.00 (non-refundable) application fee. Checks or money orders may be made out to *The Liederkrantz Foundation, Inc.*
If the check is from a joint account or from another party please make sure that YOUR name is indicated on the check.
- 4. Proof of age (a copy of your passport, driver's license or photo ID). PLEASE **HIGHLIGHT** YOUR DATE OF BIRTH.

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2010 Liederkrantz Foundation Competition Application Form

Last Name _____ First, etc _____

Address _____

Apt. _____ Primary Phone _____ Second Phone _____

City/State/Zip _____

Division _____ Voice Type _____ e-mail _____

Signature of applicant _____ Date _____