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*The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary*

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# AMERICAN MUSIC FESTIVAL

A Piano Competition & Workshop

with

**Dr. Maurice Hinson**

*Guest Clinician*

**February 23, 1991**

Mabee Fine Arts Center  
Ouachita Baptist University  
Arkadelphia, Arkansas

# Competition Requirements

1. The American Music Festival Competition is open to all students K-12.
2. Each entrant will perform from memory a composition by an American composer of his or her choice. In addition, each entrant will select one contrasting piece to be performed from memory.
3. Entrants will provide judges with an unmarked score of each selection with measures numbered.
4. Photocopied music will not be accepted. Entrants utilizing photocopies will not be heard.
5. In Divisions I (K-3) and II (4-6) performances will be limited to 5 minutes.
6. In Divisions III (7-9) and IV (10-12) performances will be limited to 10 minutes.
7. Registration Fee for Divisions I & II (K-6) is \$7.50. Registration for Division III & IV (7-12) is \$10.00.
8. Participants in the competition will have lunch provided. Parents and teachers may reserve lunches at \$2.50 each.
9. The deadline for submitting application is January 18, 1991.

## Awards & Prizes

Cash awards will be given to the winners of each division as follows:

### Division I

1st Prize - \$35

2nd Prize - \$20

### Division II

1st Prize - \$60

2nd Prize - \$40

3rd Prize - \$30

### Division III

1st Prize - \$100

2nd Prize - \$75

3rd Prize - \$50

### Division IV

1st Prize - \$200

2nd Prize - \$100

First place winners in each division will perform in a master class conducted by Dr. Hinson.

On Thursday, February 21, at 7:30 p.m., Dr. Hinson will present a lecture recital of music by American composers. The recital will be held in the Mabee Fine Arts Recital Hall on the campus of Ouachita Baptist University. The recital is free and open to the public.

**American Music Festival** is a piano competition and workshop which focuses on music by American composers. Dr. Maurice Hinson will speak to teachers and parents on *“Introducing Your Students To American Music.”* The competition and workshop will be held in Mabee Fine Arts Center at Ouachita Baptist University in Arkadelphia, Arkansas, on Saturday, February 23. A schedule of the day’s events will be sent to each contestant.



**Dr. Maurice Hinson**

Maurice Hinson, Professor of Piano at The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky, holds the B.A. degree from the University of Florida and the M.M. and D.M.A. degrees from the University of Michigan. He has also studied at The Juilliard School and the University of Nancy, France. A prolific author, Dr. Hinson has published numerous texts and articles on piano repertoire, including the popular **Guide to the Pianist’s Repertoire**, and was founding editor of the **Journal of the American Liszt Society**, which he edited from 1977 to 1987. Dr. Hinson is Past President of the Greater Louisville Music Teachers Association, the Kentucky Music Teachers Association, and the Music Teachers National Association, Southern Division. He has performed throughout the United States and in Canada, England, France, Germany, The Netherlands, Mexico, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Japan, and Australia.