

AMERICAN HARP SOCIETY COMPETITION WINNERS

First American Harp Society National Competition New York, New York, 1964

Advanced	Katherine Waterson
Intermediate(non-professional)	Lois Colin
Junior(under 12)	Katherine Karlsrud

Second American Harp Society National Competition Los Angeles, California, 1966

Advanced	Ursula Kwasnicka
Intermediate(17 and under)	Susan Page
Junior(12 and under)	Lucianne Buchanan
Troubadour/Irish(10 and under)	Marilyn Morrison

Third American Harp Society National Competition Rochester, New York, 1969

Young Professional (no age req.)	Robert Barlow
Advanced (no age req.)	Karen Lindquist
Intermediate II (17 and under)	Nancy Allen
Intermediate I (15 and under)	Rita Tursi (Costanzi)
Junior (Pedal harp, 12 and under)	Sharon Hanjian (Rondeau)
Troubadour (up to & including grade 8)	Judy Kogan

Fourth American Harp Society National Competition San Diego, California, 1972

Young Professional (35 and under)	1 st Place: Randall Pratt
	2 nd Place: Eva Jaslar
Advanced (25 and under)	Karen Porterfield
Intermediate II (17 and under)	JoAnn Turovsky

Intermediate I (15 and under)	John Senior
Junior (Pedal harp, 12 and under)	June Wachtler Vangerven
Troubadour (up to & including grade 8)	Amy Finnell

Fifth American Harp Society National Competition St. Paul, Minnesota, 1975

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: JoAnn Turovsky 2 nd Place: Kathy Kienzle
Advanced (23 and under)	Rita Tursi (Costanzi)
Intermediate II (18 and under)	Grace Paradise
Intermediate I (15 and under)	June Wachtler (Vangerven)
Junior (Pedal harp, 12 and under)	Ruth Emanuel (Maffa)
Non-pedal Harp (12 and under)	Beth Chelius

Sixth American Harp Society National Competition Sioux Falls, South Dakota, 1978

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: No Award 2 nd Place: John Senior 3 rd Place: Cynthia Heiden (Raatz)
Advanced (21 and under)	1 st Place: No Award 2 nd Place: Grace Paradise 3 rd Place: Rebecca Reinhard (Foreman)
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Deborah Hoffman 2 nd Place: Tamara Bischoff-(Oswald) 3 rd Place: Maria Casale
Intermediate I (16 and under)	1 st Place: Suzanne Handel 2 nd Place: Sunita Staneslow 3 rd Place: Rebecca Bard (Somsel)
Junior II (14 and under)	Beth MacGregor
Junior I (Pedal Harp, 12 and under)	Bryndis Jonsson
Non-pedal Harp (12 and under)	Laureen Kreuziger (Leigh)

Seventh American Harp Society National Competition Portland, Oregon, 1981

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Deborah Hoffman
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Advanced (18 and under)	2 nd Place: Catherine White
Intermediate (15 and under)	Maria Casale Gillian Benet

Eighth American Harp Society National Competition St. Paul, Minnesota, 1984

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Elaine Christy 2 nd Place: Susan Taylor
Grandjany Prize*	1 st Place: Elaine Christy 2 nd Place: Suzanne Handel
Advanced (21 and under)	1 st Place: No Award 2 nd Place: Stacey Shames
Grandjany Prize*	1 st Place: Stacey Shames 2 nd Place: Jeff Parsons
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Gillian Benet 2 nd Place: Laureen Kreuziger (Leigh)
Grandjany Prize*	1 st Place: Laureen Kreuziger (Leigh) 2 nd Place: Gillian Benet
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Kristen Agresta 2 nd Place: Clare Alden
David Del Tredici Award**	1 st Place: Elaine Christy 2 nd Place: Melinda Zak

Ninth American Harp Society National Competition Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 1987

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Stacey Shames and Kirsten Rydman Witt
Advanced (21 and under)	1 st Place: Licia Jaskunas 2 nd Place: Gillian Benet
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Julie Ann Gaisford 2 nd Place: Karen Easton
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Katherine Cannon 2 nd Place: Jennifer Swartz
Grandjany Prize*	1 st Place: Laurel Federbush 2 nd Place: Stacey Shames

Tenth American Harp Society National Competition San Antonio, Texas, 1990

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Ann Yeung 2 nd Place: Laura Porter 3 rd Place: Suzanne Handel
Advanced (21 and under)	1 st Place: Ann Yeung 2 nd Place: Julie Ann Gaisford 3 rd Place: Celia May-Wai Chan and Park Stickney
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Elisabeth Remy 2 nd Place: Heather Tamm 3 rd Place: Alysa Rey
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Phala Tracy 2 nd Place: Nicole Brubaker 3 rd Place: Erik Nielsen
Grandjany II*	1 st Place: Jennifer Swartz 2 nd Place: Julie Ann Gaisford Garner
Grandjany I*	1 st Place: Erik Nielsen 2 nd Place: Erin Walker
Prix Renie*	Ann Yeung

Eleventh American Harp Society National Competition Ann Arbor, Michigan, 1993

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Kirsten Agresta 2 nd Place: Heidi Krutzen and John Wickey
Advanced (21 and under)	1 st Place: Elisabeth Remy 2 nd Place: No Award 3 rd Place: Kimberly Houser
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Nicole Brubaker 2 nd Place: Alissa Stephens 3 rd Place: Erik Nielsen
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Adriana Horne 2 nd Place: Heather Horne 3 rd Place: Katherine Attanasi
Grandjany II (18 and under)*	Laura Michelle

Grandjany I*
Prix Renie*

Heather Horne
Kirsten Agresta

Twelfth American Harp Society National Competition Tacoma, Washington, 1996

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: No Award 2 nd Place: Celia May-Wai Chan 3 rd Place: Rebecca Todaro
Advanced (21 and under)	1 st Place: Erik Nielsen 2 nd Place: No Award 3 rd Place: Nicole Brubaker, Elizabeth Keadle Carla Maria Roth
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Sarah Daugherty 2 nd Place: Adriana Horne 3 rd Place: Heather Horne Marguerite Williams
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Sarah Worrall 2 nd Place: Ann Marie Liss 3 rd Place: Amanda Brosius Megan Levin Anna Wengreen
Grandjany Prize*	1 st Prize: Heather Horne 2 nd Prize: Carla Maria Roth Honorable Mention: Elizabeth Keadle
Prix Renie*	No Award

Thirteenth American Harp Society National Competition Los Angeles, California, 1999

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Maria Luisa Rayan 2 nd Place: Baltazar Juarez 3 rd Place: Amy Levy
Advanced (21 and under)	1 st Place: Adriana Horne 2 nd Place: Julie Ann Smith 3 rd Place: Leigh Brown
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Kristin Ohlson 2 nd Place: Sarah Worrall 3 rd Place: Sonja Wangensteen
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Taurean Chasse

Grandjany II (18 and under)*	2 nd Place: Kristie Withers 3 rd Place: Annabelle Taubl 1 st Place: Maria Luisa Rayan
Grandjany I*	2 nd Place: Baltazar Juarez 1 st Place: Lisa Spurlock
Prix Renie II*	2 nd Place: Kristie Withers 1 st Place: Maria Luisa Rayan
Prix Renie I*	2 nd Place: Erin Earl Wood 1 st Place: Annabelle Taubl 2 nd Place: Piper Runnion-Barsford

Fourteenth American Harp Society National Competition College Park, Maryland, 2001

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Annabelle Taubl 2 nd Place: Cate Cannon Todd 3 rd Place: Albertina Chan Adriana Horne
Advanced (21 and under)	1 st Place: No Award 2 nd Place: Julie Smith Nuiko Wadden 3 rd Place: Ruth Bennett Heidi Tims
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Angela Dastrup 2 nd Place: Kristie Withers 3 rd Place: Lisa Spurlock
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Heidi Van Hoesen Gorton 2 nd Place: Clarke Carriker 3 rd Place: Cameron Huster Elizabeth White
Grandjany Prize	No Award
Prix Renie*	Nuiko Wadden
Malone Prize Inermediate II*	Angela Dastrup
Malone Prize Intermediate I*	Heidi Gorton

Fifteenth American Harp Society National Competition Salt Lake City, Utah, 2003

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Kristie Withers 2 nd Place: Sarah Worrall 3 rd Place: Nicole Staker
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Advanced (21 and under)	4 th Place: Sara Shute 5 th Place: Julie Ann Smith 6 th Place: Kristen Ohlson 1 st Place: Rachel Brandwein 2 nd Place: Allison Cheung 3 rd Place: Megan Landfair 4 th Place: Piper Runnion-Bareford 5 th Place: Claire Happel
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Elizabeth Jaxon 2 nd Place: Heidi Gorton 3 rd Place: Cameron Huster 4 th Place: Amanda Kim 5 th Place: Hannah Watkins
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Emily Grace Levin 2 nd Place: Hannah Kuipers 3 rd Place: Natalie Richards 4 th Place: Kayla Chang Julia Coronelli
Junior (12 and under)	5 th Place: Kerry Watson 1 st Place: Angela Liu 2 nd Place: Jeremy Keppelmann Elizabeth Ann White 3 rd Place: Hannah Davison Joy Wan 4 th Place: Melody Rose Lindsay 5 th Place: Kathryn Zurcher
Salzedo Centennial Fund Prize	Kristie Withers
Grandjany Prize	Elizabeth Jaxon
Prix Renie*	Rachel Brandwein
Malone Prize	Hannah Kuipers
Karl Carlson Award	Angela Liu

Sixteenth American Harp Society National Competition Los Angeles, California, 2005

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Adriana Horne 2 nd Place: Jane Yoon 3 rd Place: Sara Shute 4 th Place: Ruth Bennett 5 th Place: Michelle Gott Megan Landfair Nuiko Waddington
Advanced (21 and under)	1 st Place: Cheryl Losey 2 nd Place: Emily Levin

Intermediate II (18 and under)	3 rd Place: Valerie Milot 4 th Place: Elizabeth Jaxon 5 th Place: Sarah Oliver 1 st Place: Joy Wan 2 nd Place: Mia Crager 3 rd Place: Elizabeth White 4 th Place: Sadie Turner 5 th Place: Julia Coronelli Marielle Smith Kerry Watson Julia Wilson
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Natalie Richards 2 nd Place: Angela Liu 3 rd Place: Hannah Blalock 4 th Place: Melody Lindsay 5 th Place: Chelsea Carlson Sierra Crane Chelsea Sky Link Haley Rhodeside
Junior (12 and under)	1 st Place: Noel Wan 2 nd Place: Seika Dong 3 rd Place: Alexandra Mullins 4 th Place: Melodie Moore Vivian Hsu Brooke Rowland
Salzedo Centennial Fund Prize	Advanced: Valerie Milot
Grandjany Prize*	Intermediate I: Natalie Richards
Prix Renie*	Advanced: Cheryl Losey Junior: Noel Wan Young Professional: Adriana Horne Intermediate II: Joy Wan

Seventeenth American Harp Society National Competition Chicago, Illinois, 2007

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Sadie Turner 2 nd Place: Nuiko Wadden 3 rd Place: Angela Dastrup 4 th Place: Lisa Spurlock 5 th Place: Cheryl Losey Noel Wan
Advanced (21 and under)	6 th Place: Megan Landfair 1 st Place: Joy Wan

Intermediate II (18 and under)	2 nd Place: Hannah Kuipers 3 rd Place: Emily Levin 4 th Place: Madeline Blood 5 th Place: Grace Browning 1 st Place: Elizabeth Anne White 2 nd Place: Julia Coronelli Angela Liu
Intermediate I (15 and under)	3 rd Place: Alexandra Mullins 4 th Place: Sadie Turner 1 st Place: Seika Dong 2 nd Place: Vivian Hsu 3 rd Place: Hannah Blalock Natalie Hoffmann
Junior (12 and under)	4 th Place: Parker Ramsay 1 st Place: Anne Nielson 2 nd Place: Carrie Brown 3 rd Place: Kira Krupa 4 th Place: Helen Gerhold Kinsey McNevin 5 th Place: Marshall Columbia Kaitland Garner Wesley Hsu
Salzedo Centennial Fund Prize	Young Professional: Nuiko Wadden
Grandjany Prize*	Junior: Anne Nielson
Prix Renie*	Junior: Anne Nielson Advanced: Hannah Kuipers
Malone Prize	Intermediate II: Elizabeth Anne White Seika Dong

Eighteenth American Harp Society National Competition Salt Lake City, Utah, 2009

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Heidi Gorton (PA) 2 nd Place: None 3 rd Place: Emily Levin (CO) Noel Wan (CA) 4 th Place: Hillary Schefter (NY) Marguerite Lynn Williams (IL) 5 th Place: None
Advanced (21 and under)	6 th Place: Katie Buckley (Iceland) 1 st Place: Naomi Hoffmeyer (CA) 2 nd Place: Elizabeth Ann White (UT) 3 rd Place: Emily Belvedere, (Ontario Canada) 4 th Place : Maria Rindenello-Parker (MA)

Intermediate II (18 and under)	5 th Place : Andrea Mumm (NJ) 6 th Place: Emilie Lom (Ontario, Canada) 1 st Place: Hannah Lee Blalock (NC) 2 nd Place: Samuel Karlinski (NH) 3 rd Place: Vivian Hsu (CA) 4 th Place: Emily Clarkson (TX) MacKenzie Hammel (OH)
Intermediate I (15 and under)	1 st Place: Kinsey McNevin (CO) 2 nd Place: Helen Gerhold (PA) 3 rd Place: Kira Krupa (CO) 4 th Place: Carrie Brown (CO) 5 th Place: Amy Buescher (TX) 6 th Place: Sarah Mei Yeoh-Wang (NY) 7 th Place: Tess Michel (MT) Amy Thompson (TN)
Junior (12 and under)	1 st Place: Jessica Ding (PA) 2 nd Place: V. Ina McCormack (TX) 3 rd Place: Hannah Elizabeth Piston (PA) 4 th Place: Abigail Bachelor (OH) Caroline Richards (UT) 6 th Place: Chelsea Balmer (IN) 7 th Place: Hannah Thompson (TN)
Salzedo Prize	Advanced: Elizabeth Ann White (UT)
Stockton Prize	Intermediate II: Emily Clarkson (TX) Intermediate I: Kinsey McNevin (CO)

Nineteenth American Harp Society National Competition Denton, Texas, 2011

Young Professional (30 and under)	1 st Place: Elizabeth Anne White (UT) 2 nd Place: Ann Marie Liss (CO) 3 rd Place: Carolyn Lund (GA) 4 th Place: Alisa Coffey (PA)
Advanced Division (21 and under)	1 st Place: Alexandra Katelyn Mullins* (NC) 2 nd Place: Samuel Karlinski (NH) 3 rd Place: Rachel Miller (MI) 4 th Place: Mackensie Hammel (OH) 5 th Place: Emily Melendes (WI) 6 th Place: Hannah Lee Blalock (NC) 6 th Place: Natalie Severson (MN)
Intermediate II (18 and under)	1 st Place: Victoria-Ina McCormack (TX) 2 nd Place: Helen Gerhold* (PA) 3 rd Place: Aubrey Shumway (IN)

4th Place: Sage Po (CA)
5th Place: Madeline Claire Olson (CA)
6th Place: Tess Michel (MT)
Honorable Mention: Amy Buescher (TX)
Honorable Mention: Kinsey McNevin (CO)

Intermediate I Division (15 and under)

1st Place: Heidi Morey* (WV)
2nd Place: Heather Cornelius*** (MN)
3rd Place: Bonnie Bennett (UT)
3rd Place: Adam Phan (TX)
4th Place: Molly Langr*** (UT)
5th Place: Abigail Bachelor (OH)
5th Place: Marshall Columbia (CO)
5th Place: Elizabeth Yeoh-Wang (NY)

Junior Division (12 and under)

1st Place: Lucy A. Sotak (CO)
2nd Place: Caroline Jorgensen** (CO)
3rd Place: Alexis Smith (VA)
4th Place: Jasmine Shek Cheuk Lam (Hong Kong)
Honorable Mention: Fengyao Ding (CA)
Honorable Mention: Sara Kawai (MA)
Honorable Mention: Adeline Parker (NH)

*Grandjany Prize:

Advanced: Alexandra Katelyn Mullins

*Prix Renie

Intermediate II: Helen Gerhold

Intermediate I: Heidi Morey

**AHS Kathy Bundock Moore Prize:

Junior: Caroline Jorgensen

***Salzedo Prize:

Intermediate I: Heather Cornelius

Intermediate I: Molly Lang