

## 2024 Sonata Festival Report.

The Sonata Festival was a big success this year. There were 890 students who participated this year. 210 students were selected for 2nd round, and 58 students were chosen as winners.

There were 99 teachers who participated this year. We ran the event at George Mason University on Saturday May 18th. There were 17 rooms and 58 judges used for the 1st round.

There were three rooms and three judges in the 2nd round. 2nd round judges were:

Narciso Solero  
Amy Rothstien  
Julee Ann

Chairs were:

Greg Genter (chair)  
Jeri Bennett (co-chair)  
Alex Chung (co-chair)

The Honors Recital was Sunday May 18st at the Harris Theatre (GMU).

There were 28 teachers represented in the honors recital. They were: Alex jahyoung Chung, Allison Yi, Aphrodite Mitsopoulou, David Kosutic, Douglas Harrington, Ellen Im, Faith Zuniga, Gina Hong, Giulia Askins, Hyena Ganahl, Jennifer Su, Kent McWilliams, Kueihua Lu, Lai-Lan Ko, Laura Marchisotto Bogart, Lihua Fang, Lisa Emenheiser Sarratt, Livia Lai, Margarita Gramaticova, Marjorie Lee, Michelle Richardson, MiHyang Joo, Misha Tumanov, Oxana Titova, Patricia Huff-Palumbo, Rebecca Sun, Sung shin Park, and Silva Blazquez.

The event ran smoothly due to the wonderful teamwork of everyone involved.

-Greg Genter  
Sonata Festival Chair