



2012 Seattle-Kobe Female Jazz Vocalist Audition Application

Application and CD must be **received by February 5, 2012**

Eligibility: Applicants must (1) be a female high school student or adult 18 years or older (2) reside in the greater Seattle area, and (3) be able to represent Seattle in Kobe, Japan on Saturday, May 6, 2012.

Applicant Information:

Name: _____ Entering Division (*check one*): High School Adult

Address: _____

City _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email _____ Tel (+area code): (_____) _____ - _____

What jazz tunes are you submitting with this application? (1) _____

(2) _____

For Youth Division Applicants only:

Grade Level _____

School Name: _____

School location (city): _____

Audition Schedule:

I. **February 5, 2012:** Submit (by email) your [application](#) (click here to download) and [two songs](#) for finalist selection. Email all to: mari.m.carpenter@gmail.com **Entries must be received on or before Feb. 5, 2012 to qualify.**

II. **March 7, 2012:** Finalists will be notified by email

III. **March 19, 2012:** Live audition at Jazz Alley, 6:30-9:30 pm

Guidelines/Required Preparation:

I. Finalist selection:

- Complete application form
- Two jazz tunes of contrasting styles for a total of no more than 10 minutes.

II. Live audition*:

- Perform two tunes of contrasting jazz styles
- May bring ONE accompanist (pianist, guitarist, etc.)
- Each vocalist will have a total of 12 minutes to set-up, perform, and leave the stage.
- Performances will be judged on technical and artistic merit
- Valid passport (must bring passport or copy of passport photo page to event)

III. Grand Prize: Performance in Kobe, Japan Roundtrip travel from Seatac to Kobe, 4 nights lodging, some meals, and ground transportation to/from airport to hotel in Kobe.

***IMPORTANT** If selected as a finalist, you will be asked to provide a headshot and music résumé. **You will also need a valid passport.** Any costs associated with these items are the responsibility of the finalist.

Incomplete applications received after February 5, 2012 will be disqualified!

SKSCA is grateful to the following sponsors of this event:
Sankei Travel (www.sankeitravel.com), Dimitriou's Jazz Alley,
Kobe Trade Information Office, Shinkaichi Music Street

For more information:
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