

NFA Flute Competitions

The National Flute Association's competitions recognize outstanding performers, composers, publishers, scholars, and entrepreneurs in the flute community. Competitions take place at the NFA annual convention, the largest convening of flutists in the world, with between 2,500 and 3,000 flutists in attendance.



2023 Competitions

The following competitions, unless otherwise specified, will be held for the 51st Annual NFA Convention in Phoenix, AZ, August 3–6, 2023, including solo, masterclass, flute choir and non-performance categories. Prizes range from \$100 to \$6,000 (where applicable). Plan to enter this winter!

SOLO CATEGORY

Adult Amateur (winners perform virtually)

Convention Performers

High School Soloist

Teacher: Orlando "Maraca" Vallé

maracavalle.com/home

Junior Soloist

Teacher: Daniel Pardo

danielpardo.com

Young Artist

FLUTE CHOIR CATEGORY

Collegiate Flute Choir

High School Flute Choir

Jazz Flute Big Band | Guest soloists include:

Mike Mower, Orlando "Maraca" Vallé, Billy Kerr, and a few surprises! (Audition repertoire is the same as the Jazz Flute Masterclass.)

Professional Flute Choir

MASTERCLASS CATEGORY

Baroque Flute Masterclass

Teacher: Kathie Stewart | kathiestewart.com/about

Jazz Flute Masterclass

Teacher: Mike Mower | itchyfingers.com/mikemower.php

Masterclass Performers Competition

Teachers: Carol Wincenc | carolwincencflute.com and

Carlos Cano | carloscanoflute.com

Orchestral Audition and Masterclass

Teacher: Aralee Dorough | houstonsymphony.org/about-us/musicians/aralee-dorough/

Piccolo Orchestral Audition and Masterclass

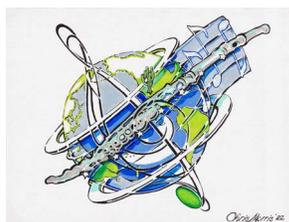
Teacher: Amal Gochenour | baltimoresymphonymusicians.org/team_member/amal-gochenour/

NON-PERFORMANCE CATEGORY

Flute Choir Call for Scores

Graduate Research

Newly Published Music



Competition deadlines and information

nfaonline.org/convention/nfa-competitions