

*Congratulations to all my students for the following  
honors, awards, and performances since the December 2021 Recital*

**Keep up all the good work!**

***NJMTA "Children Helping Children Performathon" to benefit Homefront***

**Performers** ~ Adrianna Ang, Daniel Haiduc, Gracelynn Hao, Taksh Gupta, Averie Wu, Hannah Zou

***NJMTA Spring Recital Auditions***

**High Honors** ~ Adrianna Ang, Taksh Gupta(7yrs award), Daniel Haiduc, Gracelynn Hao, Lilian Ji(5yrs award), Dennis Ji, Evan Lin, Effie Li(10yrs award), Sammi Li(14yrs award), Averie Wu(5yrs award), Alex Wang, Alyssa Xu, Amber Wang(13yrs Award), Hannah Zou

***MTNA Senior Piano Duet Competition***

**2nd Place in National Division** ~ Sammi Li, Effie Li

***2022 Kaufman Music Center International Youth Piano Competition***

**Finalist (ongoing)** ~ Daniel Haiduc

***Piano Teachers Congress of New York***

**First Prize** ~ Lilian Ji(group I), Daniel Haiduc(group III), Alyssa Xu(group IV)

**Third Prize** ~ Averie Wu(group II)

***Young Maestro International Music Virtual Competition***

**Grand Prix** ~ Daniel Haiduc (Advanced Category)

**Gold Medal** ~ Evan Lin (Advanced Category)

**Bronze** ~ Alex Wang (Advanced Category)

***Orbetello piano competition international:*** **First Prize** ~ Averie Wu

***Franz Liszt Center International Piano competition:*** **First Prize** ~ Averie Wu

***Elite International Music Competition:***

**First Place** ~ Adrianna Ang, Taksh Gupta

***Music-Fest Rising Talent Festival***

**Grand Prix** ~ Dennis Ji, Hannah Zou

**Grand Prize** ~ Alex Wang

## ***Music International Grand Prix Piano***

**Finalist** ~ Alyssa Xu

**Semifinalist** ~ Dennis Ji, Averie Wu

## ***Great Composers Competition Series:***

***Best Chopin Performance:*** First Prize ~ Lilian Ji

***Best Rachmaninoff Performance:*** First Prize ~ Dennis Ji , Evan Lin

***Best Beethoven Performance:*** Second Prize ~ Dennis Ji

***Best Mozart Performance:*** Second Prize ~ Hannah Zou

***Best Kabalevsky Performance:*** Second Prize ~ Lilian Ji

## ***Musicale Winter Music Festival***

**Bronze Prize** ~ Dennis Ji, Evan Lin

**Russian Music Award, Judges Award** ~ Evan Lin

***Musicale Spring International Piano Music Festival:*** Bronze ~ Hannah zou

## ***CMC: Candlelight Music Showcase Ukraine Benefit Concert***

**Participants** ~ Adrianna Ang, Effie Li, Alex Wang

***International Young Artists Competition:*** Grand Prize Winner ~ Alex Wang

***Golden Key Music Festival:*** Gold Prize ~ Alex Wang

***Lyra Music Youth Competition :*** Finalist ~ Alyssa Xu

***American Protege international Concerto competition:*** First Place ~ Hannah Zou

***Concert Festival of New York:*** Grand Prix ~ Taksh Gupta

## ***More Awards + Accomplishments*** (in alphabetical order)

### **Adrianna Ang**

- Participated in International Festival
- Performed at a parent auction night
- Performed at church for multiple occasions

### **Taksh Gupta**

- Philadelphia Young Pianist's Academy Masterclass with Ching-Yun Hu

**Daniel Haiduc**

- AADGT International Young Musicians Competition, ALBUM YOUNG GIFTED PERFORMERS 2022 ~ Gold Medal
- Princeton Jazz Festival - playing with Princeton Middle School Jazz Band
- Performed at Ukraine Benefit Concert, Westminster Conservatory

**Gracelynn Hao**

- Invited to French and Music Honor Society in BRHS

**Effie Li**

- Accompanist for the Montgomery High School Symphonic Band

**Alyssa Xu**

- Masterclass with Dr. Krystian Tkaczewski
- Performance at several Concerts hosted by Connecticut Chopin Foundation

***Other Accomplishments*** (in alphabetical order)**Taksh Gupta**

- Accepted into the iResearch Institute Summer Research Program
- Set The Lawrenceville School Freshman Indoor Track Record in the 3200m with a time of 10:24

**Daniel Haiduc**

- Fellow of the Artemisia Akademie at Yale University

**Gracelynn Hao**

- AIME (American Invitational Mathematics Examination) qualifier
- Stanford Math Tournament: Honorable Mention in Calculus Round
- Purple Comet High School Mixed Team: National 6th, International 14th
- The President's Volunteer Service Award - Gold
- Accepted into Honors Summer Math Camp (HSMC)

**Dennis Ji**

- NJMTA spring recital auditions: Honors for Viola
- AMC8 Distinguished Honor Roll
- Accompanist for the Thomas Grover Middle School Chorus

**Lilian Ji**

- The Royal Conservatory Music Theory Exam Level 5: First Class Honors with Distinction

**Effie Li**

- Selected for the Montgomery High School Wind Ensemble
- Selected for the Montgomery High School Spring Musical Pit Orchestra
- Participated in the annual Montgomery High School Music From The Heart Fundraiser

**Sammi Li**

- Montgomery High School Senior Scholarship, winner
- NJ Seal of Biliteracy in German, recipient
- Montgomery High School Literary Magazine, selected for writing and artwork
- Montgomery High School Pit Orchestra, selected member

**Evan Lin**

- Cornell Model United Nations Conference 2022 - WHO Saudi Arabia, won Best Delegate
- Duke University Science Olympiad Invitational 2022 - 6th place in Disease Detectives
- New co-head of the Princeton Day School Science Olympiad team
- New co-head of the Tri-M Music Honors Society at Princeton Day School

**Amber Wang**

- Ingersoll Chemistry Award
- Clinton I. Sprout Swimming Award
- 12 Varsity Letters - 4 year 3 season athlete
- Cum Laude Society

**Alyssa Xu**

- Future Problem Solving Competition - New Jersey State Bowl GiPS Senior Individual Division ~ Third Place

**Hannah Zou**

- AMC8 honor roll
- Science Olympiad state tournament 2<sup>nd</sup> place team, 6<sup>th</sup> in ornithology
- Community Middle School Track & Field Long Jumps Rising Star award

***Best Wishes to our graduating seniors as they head off to college:***

***Sammi Li (Northwestern University)***

***Amber Wang (Brown University)***

***We will miss you both!***