

St. Joseph
International Guitar Festival
& Competition



**PERFORMER / AUDITOR
APPLICATION FORM**

NAME _____

*[PLEASE WRITE LEGIBLY and spell your name EXACTLY
as you want it to appear in all festival promotional materials and press.]*

ADDRESS _____

**CITY /
STATE** _____

ZIP (Postal Code) / COUNTRY _____

TELEPHONE _____

(with international access code if outside US)

EMAIL _____

CATEGORY OF PARTICIPATION

(Check only one)

PERFORMER - Competition AND Masterclass Players (\$250), valid for participation in competition, attendance at all masterclasses, concerts and free home-hosting through the festival.

Competitors **MUST** register in this category. There is no fee reduction if the player decides not to participate in the competition or if a competitor decides not to participate in the masterclasses.

Competitors: bring 1 (one) clean copy of your competition pieces for the jury! See "COMPETITION RULES and REGULATION" for additional requirements. Competitors may decide on pieces prior to the drawing on May 20, 9:30 AM, however **the same pieces MUST be performed in both rounds.**

You MUST be present at the May 20th drawing or you will be disqualified.

AUDITOR (\$100) - valid for attendance at all masterclasses, concerts and free home-hosting through the festival.

<http://www.missouriwestern.edu/guitarfestival/>

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HOUSING / TRAVEL (for Competitors, Auditors, Jurors and Headline Performers) Check all that apply.

I WILL require complimentary housing with a host family (free of charge, but does not necessarily include meals. Available to all Out-of-Town participants (living more than 50 miles from St. Joseph).

If you have visited our festival before and would like to request Home Hosting from your past Host, please write their full name: _____.

While we cannot guarantee that your past Home Host is available, we will attempt that arrangement.

I will NOT require housing. In this event you may wish to contact the *St. Joseph Convention and Visitors Bureau* (816) 233-6688 for a list of area hotels.

I will have my own transportation while in St. Joseph. If you are coming by car, go directly to "The DUC," (Downtown University Campus, 515 N. 6th St.) Wed., May 19 from 7:00-9:00 PM for the opening mixer and to meet your home hosts and for additional information.

I will NOT have my own transportation while in St. Joseph.

I WILL REQUIRE AIRPORT PICK-UP

Your airport pick-up will meet you at the baggage claim and bring you to St. Joseph to meet your home host family (at "The DUC," Downtown University Campus, 515 N. 6th St., from 7:00-9:00 PM., Wed. May 19. Book flights to and from Kansas City International Airport, SABRE Code, MCI. We cannot pick up from other regional airports.

ARRIVAL

DEPARTURE

Date: _____

Date: _____

Time: _____

Time: _____

Airline & Flight Number: _____

Airline & Flight Number: _____

*IF YOU DO NOT YET KNOW YOUR FLIGHT INFO,
CONTACT MISSOURI WESTERN (phone below) IMMEDIATELY WHEN YOU DO!*

DISCLAIMER By signing below I confirm that I have read and agree to **RULES AND REGULATIONS** of the competition, that I am at least 18 years old (others must have parental or guardian co-signature) and that my image and performance (in the form of video, photograph, sound recording and any other form) may be used for promotion and publicity by the Festival (performers under management contract are responsible for securing clearance from their manager) without reservation and I agree to hold harmless the St. Joseph International Guitar Festival and Competition, Missouri Western State University, additional festival event sites and all festival organizers and participants for any and all personal and material injury and damage.

SIGNATURE & DATE

SIGNATURE _____ DATE: _____

Co-Signature of parent or guardian if applicant is under 18 years of age:

_____ DATE: _____

Send

1) completed application and

2) \$250. entry fee IN ONE PACKAGE to:

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