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RED NOTE New Music Festival

Call for Scores:

New Works for Wind Ensemble

Illinois State University's RED NOTE New Music Festival is pleased to announce an open call for works scored for Wind Ensemble. The winning work will be performed by the acclaimed Illinois State University Wind Symphony, conducted by Dr. Stephen K. Steele, on the opening concert of the RED NOTE New Music Festival in Normal, Illinois, on March 3, 2013.

RULES AND GUIDELINES

- The competition is open to all composers, regardless of age or nationality.
- Works may be any duration.
- Small and large wind ensemble works will be accepted (20 - 60 players, approximately).
- Works may also include non-interactive electroacoustic elements (e.g., CD playback).
- Works must not have received more than three performances.
- Works must not have been composed before 2005.
- Each composer may submit no more than two works.
- Students, faculty, staff, and alumni of Illinois State University may not enter.
- All submissions will be considered for future programming.
- **DEADLINE:** October 31, 2012. Results will be announced by December 20, 2012.

HOW TO ENTER

Entrants are required to email an ANONYMOUS pdf of each score to: rednote@ilstu.edu. In addition, submission of an ANONYMOUS audio file (mp3 or MIDI or both) is strongly advised. Use of file transfer websites (e.g., WeTransfer.com) is acceptable. The submitted pdf's and audio files must be free of names and identifying marks. Composers should make every effort to enter electronically, but scores and CD's may also be mailed to:

Call for Wind Ensemble Scores
c/o Professor Carl Schimmel
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The winning composer must agree to provide parts by January 15, 2013, in order to guarantee a performance of the winning work at the RED NOTE New Music Festival. Attendance at the Festival is encouraged but not required. Questions may be addressed to Carl Schimmel at rednote@ilstu.edu. Please visit the following websites for more information about the ISU Wind Symphony and the RED NOTE New Music Festival:

<http://bands.illinoisstate.edu/ensembles/concert.shtml>

<http://finearts.illinoisstate.edu/rednote/index.shtml>