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## 24<sup>th</sup> Scholarship Competition, 2014 Preliminary Audition Judges:

**Dr. Sohyun Ahn** was named *Performer of the Year* by Eumak-Chunchu, South Korea's leading classical music journal and has been invited to perform in Italy, Germany, United Kingdom, Portugal, Iceland, Japan, Malaysia, Brunei Darussalam and Korea. In the States, her performance venues include Carnegie Hall, Alice Tully Hall, Merkin Hall, Steinway Hall, Bechstein Hall, Hubbard Recital Hall, Klavierhaus, St. Paul's Chapel, Trinity Church, Riverside Church, Julliard School, St. Elizabeth College, Concordia College, Rutgers University and University of Texas at Austin. She graduated from the Royal Scottish Conservatory, Tokyo National University in Music, Manhattan School of Music and Rutgers University. She has been invited to give masterclasses at University of Malaya, Universiti Putra Malaysia, the University College of Sedaya International, Trinity College London in Malaysia and Glovil College in Korea. Sohyun has a full teaching studio in NYC and serves as a faculty at Rutgers University, Concordia College and Geneva Conservatory.

**Kelly Yu-Chieh Lin** is a piano faculty member at the Rutgers Extension Division and also taught at the Monmouth Academy of Musical Arts with a DMA degree '14 at Rutgers University. She began her musical studies at an early age focusing on piano, violin, viola, and er-hu in Taiwan. She won first-place at the Chinese-American Piano Competition, and won the top prize at the Eastern Music Festival Piano Competition in 1999, which was awarded a full scholarship to attend their Festival the following year. She was the winner of both the Junior and Senior Divisions of the Temecula Arts Council Piano Competition in 1999 and 2000 respectively. Also, she won in the 2000 CAPMT Piano Competition and the 2001 MTAC Concerto Competition. She has received full scholarship from the Idyllwild Arts Academy, University of Southern California, and Rutgers University with a teaching assistantship throughout her academic career. Former teachers includes John Perry and Daniel Epstein.

**Sohee Lee** A native of South Korea, Dr. Sohee Lee gained significant international experiences as a solo pianist performing at notable venues in Germany and Austria. After graduating with ‘Ausgezeichnet (highest honor)’ from Mozarteum University in Salzburg, Dr. Lee’s passion towards music led her to Rutgers University in New Brunswick, New Jersey in the United States. Dr. Lee has performed as a soloist, a chamber musician, and an accompanist in New York City, Washington D.C, Philadelphia, and in various venues in New Jersey including Rutgers University Choir and the Rutgers Glee Club. Dr. Lee holds her bachelor of music degree in Seoul National University in Seoul, South Korea. From Rutgers, she received the Doctor of Musical Arts degree in Piano Performance. Dr. Lee was also awarded the Arthur G. Humphrey Memorial Prize for an outstanding musician at Rutgers University. Dr. Lee studied with KyuiHyun Kim, Benedikt Koehlen, Christoph Lieske, Min Kwon.

**Dr. Hyewoon Lim** moved from South Korea to New Jersey to pursue her Doctor of Musical Art in Piano Performance at Rutgers, the State University of NJ in 2009. In Summer 2010, she was selected to perform in Vienna as a soloist with Vienna International Orchestra. She has won concerto competitions of South Orange Symphony Orchestra and Rutgers Symphony Orchestra, in 2010 and 2012 respectively. Her Carnegie debut was made when Rutgers Piano Department presented a Debussy’s 24 Preludes Concert in May, 2012. In the same year, she was invited as a pianist at Castleton Summer Festival, under the direction of Maestro Maazel. At the commencement in May, 2013, Dr. Lim received Irene Alm Memorial Award for excellence in performance and scholarly research. She graduated from SookMyung Women’s University in Seoul, Korea, and completed her Master Degree at the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor under Prof. Christopher Harding, and the DMA at Rutgers University under Dr. Min Kwon.