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Watford International Piano Competition

in memory of Christopher Duke

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Sunday 29 April 2018 3.00pm The Clarendon Muse, Watford School of Music, 70 Rickmansworth Road, Watford WD18 7JA

Entries must be received by Monday 5 March 2018 and sent to: Valentin Schiedermair, 34 Montgomery Road, Edgware, Middlesex HA8 6NT, London, England Tel & Fax: 020 8952 8245 Email: Valentin_Schiedermair@yahoo.com Website: http://www.watfordfestival.co.uk/cduke/



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This competition, in memory of Christopher Duke, who lived in Watford and died in December 1996, age 26, is open to performers of 16 to 25 years. It will take the form of a recital of 30 minutes duration and MUST include any Waltz by Chopin. A maximum of six competitors will be chosen to take part.

General Rules

1. Performers must play from memory.

2. An original copy of each work to be performed by the finalists must be provided for the Adjudicators.

3. The completed Entry Form must include the entrance fee and a CD of the entrant playing approx 15 minutes in length. Emailed links to video or audio performances are also acceptable.

4. Entry fee: £40 non-refundable. Cheques payable to "The Watford Festival"

5. Please email full programme information (composers, titles, movements and timings maximum 30 minutes in total), and and enclose your biographical details. 6. Entries must be received by Monday 5 March 2018 and sent to: Valentin Schiedermair 34 Montgomery Road Edgware Middlesex HA8 6NT London, England Tel & Fax 020 8952 8245

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8. Emails will be sent to all entrants informing them whether they have been chosen to take part.

Please notify immediately of any change of address.

Watford International Piano Competition in memory of Christopher Duke Entry Form

Name

Age on 29th April 2018

Full Address

Telephone

Email

I give permission for my name and photograph to be used in future Watford International Piano Competition publications, advertising material or on the Watford Festival website.

Please tear off and return to -Valentin Schiedermair as indicated.

Prizes

 $\pounds 500$ to the winner $\pounds 250$ to the second placed $\pounds 150$ to the third placed

For further information and additional Entry Forms, please see our website - http://www.watfordfestival.co.uk/cduke/

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