



St Albans International Organ Festival

29th ORGAN COMPETITIONS

Interpretation and Improvisation

St Albans UK

10 - 22 July 2017

COMPETITION PRIZES

Interpretation Competition

- **First Prize – £6,000** (Donated by the Williams Church Music Trust)
and Gold Medal plus recital engagements

Also representation by Phillip Truckenbrod Concert Artists in the USA for one season, and a solo recording.

- **Second Prize – £2,500** (Donated by Rhinegold Publishing)
- **Peter Hurford Bach Prize – £1,000** (Donated by Mrs Elisabeth Wells)
This prize is awarded for the best performance of J S Bach.
- **Audience Prize – £500** (Donated by Mr Andrei Lussmann)
This prize is awarded to the competitor who in the Interpretation Final, in the opinion of the audience, gives the most enjoyable performance.
- **Philip Moore Prize – £500** (Donated by Dr Daniel von Allmen)
This prize is awarded for the best performance of the Commissioned Work.

Improvisation Competition

- **Tournemire Prize – £6,000** (Donated by The Derek Butler Trust)
and Commemorative Medal plus recital engagements

Recital venues offered to the first prizewinners include:

St Albans Cathedral	St Bavo, Haarlem
Christ Church, Oxford	Galway Cathedral
King's College, Cambridge	St Michael's, Dun Laoghaire
St John's, Smith Square, London	Notre-Dame Cathedral, Paris
St Lawrence Jewry, London (John Hill Series)	Ste-Croix, Bordeaux
St Giles Cathedral, Edinburgh	Stadtkirche, Stuttgart - Bad Cannstatt
Chartres Cathedral	International Performing Arts Centre, Moscow
Worms Cathedral	St David's Hall, Cardiff

- **Douglas May Award – £800**

This prize is awarded for the best performance of a competition work in **either** the Quarter or Semi-final rounds of **either** competition.