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Are you a college student who loves to put your passion for music into words? Are you a musician who's bursting with ideas about how to reinvent the concert experience? We want to hear from you!

21CM, the National Outreach Program of DePauw School of Music, has partnered with the award-winning music blog I CARE IF YOU LISTEN to create the "New Voices" Essay Contest. Students currently enrolled in undergraduate or graduate programs are invited to submit short essays on the theme of the 21st Century Musician.

The winning essays will be published on both 21CM.org and ICareIfYouListen.com. In addition, winners will receive a signed copy of Mark Rabideau's book, "Creating the Revolutionary Artist: Entrepreneurship for the 21st-Century Musician," as well as competitive compensation for the rights to publish their work:

- 1st Place: \$500**
- 2nd Place: \$350**
- 3rd Place: \$200**

To enter, visit 21CM.org or ICareIfYouListen.com for full details and submission guidelines.

Remember: you must respond to one of the prompts in order to qualify! Then, submit your essay to editor@21CM.org by **November 1, 2019**. Winners will be notified in December, and the winning essays will be published in January 2020.

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