



SF contemporary music chamber group [Ensemble for These Times](#) (E4TT) is excited to announce a new Call for Scores for its 2024/25 (17th) season. Winner of The American Prize for Chamber Music Performance in 2021, E4TT performs 20th and 21st century music that is relevant, engaging, original, and compelling, music that resonates today and will speak to tomorrow. E4TT strongly believes in the power of artistic beauty, intelligence, wit, lyricism, and irony to create a deep understanding of our times and the human condition. Women are an ongoing special focus.

Chosen works will be performed by E4TT emerita pianist Dale Tsang in a piano recital on 2/23/2025.

Scores will be accepted between July 1, 2024 and July 15, 2024. No scores that arrive outside that window will be considered. Incomplete submissions or those that do not follow the guidelines will not be considered.

Submission **must**:

1. Only be for solo acoustic piano. No prepared piano, extended techniques, tape, etc. No “theater” pieces for acting or singing pianist; no performer indeterminacy or improvisation.
2. Be 3-12 minutes long.
3. Be a PDF file using computer notation software ONLY (no physical scores, no handwritten scores, no graphic scores or scores using non-traditional notation), sent by email only.
4. Include a link to a recording (audio or video).
5. Include a short bio (200 words or fewer) and also a resume/CV
6. Include a payment of \$30/ \$20 for students (include jpg/pdf of student ID as proof with submission). Fee includes up to three entries.

Scores **may**:

1. Be either single or multiple movements; multi-movement works must be able to have a single movement excerpted.
2. Be newly composed or pre-existing.
3. Have been performed and/or recorded.
4. Involve the pianist reading text (speaking).

To submit, send ALL of the following to scores2024@E4TT.org:

1. PDF of score (no physical scores, no graphic scores)
2. Links to recordings (audio or video) OR mp3s
3. Summary of existing recordings and/or performances (if any)
4. Short bio (200 words or fewer) and resume/CV
5. Student ID (if relevant) and paid invoice showing payment made to **PayPal.Me/E4TT**.

Up to 3 entries per person. Winner(s) to be announced in August 2024.

Questions? Contact info@E4TT.org

We look forward to your submissions.