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Winner of international piano competition to play live at Kansas Public Radio studio

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Nakamatsu also will perform with the Topka Symphony at 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 17, in White Concert Hall at Washburn University. John Strickler will conduct the performance. Nakamatsu will perform Tchaikovsky's Piano Concerto No. 1. Also scheduled to visit the KPR studio is the Mont Alto Motion Picture Orchestra. The performance is set for 11:10 a.m. to noon Friday, Feb. 23. The orchestra will perform at the Kansas Silent Film Festival from 7 to 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 23, and 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24. The festival, at White Concert Hall, is free and open to the public.

