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## The Worshipful Company of Turners **THE FELIX LEVY OPEN COMPETITION**

This Competition will be held at Carpenters' Hall, Throgmorton Avenue, London, EC2.  
(near Moorgate and Liverpool St Stations)  
**on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2008**

This competition is to be held in honour of Felix Levy, a Past Master of the Worshipful Company of Turners, who did much to promote the craft of turning, helped to consolidate the relationship between the Company and the Society of Ornamental Turners and was instrumental in the formation of the Register of Professional Turners.

This competition is open to any turner resident in Great Britain and is for  
**Freestyle Turning**  
**for which a trophy and a prize of £500 will be awarded**

### **RULES AND CONDITIONS**

1. There are no restrictions as to subject, size, shape or style.
2. Any materials may be used with the exception of ivory.
3. Applied finish is optional. The work may be turned by hand (plain turning) or, by mechanical means (ornamental and/or rose turning) or, by a combination of both. Other techniques such as carving, polychromatic assembly, marquetry, inlay etc., may also be incorporated.
4. All work must have been executed by the competitor; except commercially made components, such as screws.
5. There is no restriction on the number of entries by each competitor and winners of previous competitions may enter, but the work must not have been entered for any other competition of the Company.
6. The judges will consider the appeal of the design and appropriateness of the materials used, technical excellence, originality and difficulty of techniques employed and quality of finish.
7. The Judges' decision shall be final and binding on all competitors.
8. A trophy, to be retained by the winner, a prize of £500, a certificate and a Hegner UK voucher for £50 will be awarded for the winning entry. The entry judged second will receive a Robert Sorby voucher for £100 while the third will receive a Craft Supplies voucher for £50.
9. No award shall be made if the best entry is considered by the judges to be of insufficiently high standard. In such circumstances a certificate of commendation may be awarded if considered appropriate.
10. The winning entry will be retained by the Company for the duration of the Wizardry in Wood 2008 exhibition which immediately follows the competition in Carpenters' Hall.
11. Entry forms may be obtained from the Secretary of your organisation or, for independent turners, from the Clerk of the Company or from the Company website. Completed forms must be returned to the Clerk by 16th May 2008.
12. Each entry, with a label stating clearly the name of the competition for which it is entered must be delivered to the Reception Steward at Carpenters' Hall by 10.30 am on the morning of the Competition. Alternatively, entries may be mailed or otherwise delivered to one of the reception centres (addresses and details to be announced later).
13. An adhesive marker (or equivalent) unique to the competitor will be applied to the underside of each entry.
14. All entries not retained by the Company must be removed from Carpenters' Hall by 4.30 pm on the afternoon of the Competition. Un-collected entries will be returned via one of the reception centres.
15. Competitors are responsible for the adequate packaging of their work; an appropriately sized cardboard or wooden box must be provided for all entries, which must be marked clearly with the competitor's name and address.