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CLAYTON JONES WINS SECOND ANNUAL ST. LOUIS SOUND MUSIC COMPETITION

ST. LOUIS –Will DeWitt and The Sheldon are pleased to announce that singer/songwriter Clayton Jones has been named the winner of the second annual ST. LOUIS SOUND music competition. The announcement was made at a live finals event last night at the Sheldon Concert Hall, hosted by Fox 2 News’ Martin Kilcoyne. After a live performance by each of the ten finalists, all performing an original song, a panel of music industry professionals judged each act on the quality of their composition and performance. Clayton Jones performed his song, “Ringleader.”

The grand prize includes a trip to Nashville to meet with music executives and record a demo in a professional recording studio, plus a chance to perform at The Sheldon at a later date.

Artist and songwriter Clayton Jones has spent the last 14 years honing his craft and developing his signature voice, encompassing influences of Pop, Rock, & R&B/Soul. Before relaunching as a solo artist in early 2017, he spent 7 years as lead singer of former duo The Madison Letter, where he shared the stage with and opened for several A-list artists including The Script, Jon Bellion, and Fifth Harmony. Jones is an alum of Greenville University.

Proceeds from the event go to H.E.A.L. Center for the Arts, a non-profit organization and multi-disciplinary center of music, arts learning and performance for St. Louis’ urban communities. H.E.A.L. Center for the Arts is committed to making quality arts programming accessible to students of urban communities. They provide arts education programs after school and during school vacations to middle and high school students who live in St. Louis’ urban communities and foster a rich diverse cultural perspective of the arts through high quality instruction for youth specializing in instrumental music, vocal music, and dance.

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