



Associazione Culturale "Melos"

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VI International Music Competition «MELOS»

Rome, Italy

Date to be set

Academic Hall of the Pontifical Institute of Sacred Music (Rome, Piazza Sant' Agostino, 20/a).

Deadline for the applications – Date to be set

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REGULATIONS

Art. 1

The competition is open to instrumentalists and singers of any nationality without age limits; soloists or groups.

Art. 2 Sections

- **Keyboard Instruments:** piano, organ, accordion, etc. (soloists, assembles for 4 hands, Student - Teacher)
- **Strings:** violin, viola, violoncello, double bass (soloists, duo, trio, groups)
- **Wind Instruments:** tuba, clarinet, horn, bassoon, flute, oboe, saxophone, trumpet, trombone (soloists, duo, trio, groups)
- **Percussions and plucked instruments:** guitar, mandolin, ethnic instruments, etc... (soloists, duo, trio, groups)
- **Singing-** art, folk, modern (soloists, duo, trio, groups, choruses)
- **Chamber and orchestral music:** classic, folk, modern (duo, trio, groups)

Art. 3 Category and program

Age Categories (The age on the beginning of the competition). For duo, trio and groups the age should be calculated as an average of the sum of all the ages of the members of the group.

In the nomination "Student - Teacher" only the age of student is considered.

- Category A: **up to 8 years old** - free program with a maximum duration of 5 minutes
- Category B : **9 - 10 years old** - Free program with a maximum duration of 8 minutes
- Category C : **11 – 12 years old** free program with a maximum duration of 10 minutes
- Category D : **13 - 14 years old** - free program with a maximum duration of 10 minutes
- Category E: **15 – 17 years old** - free program with a maximum duration of 15 minutes

- Category F: **18 – 20 years old** - free program with a maximum duration of 15 minutes
- Category G: **21 – 27 years old** - free program with a maximum duration of 15 minutes
- Category H: **from 28 years old** - free program with a maximum duration of 15 minutes

Art. 4 Financial contribution

- Soloists of Cat. A - 50 €
- Soloists of Cat. B - 60 €
- Soloists of Cat. C, D - 70 €
- Soloists of Cat. E, F, G, H - 80 €
- Duets and groups of Cat. A, B, C, D - 30 € for each member of the group, but not more than 240 € for the group. If there are more than 48 members in the group, the financial contribution is 5 € for each group member.
- Duets and groups of Cat. E, F, G, H - 40 € for each member of the group, but not more than 320 € for the group. If there are more than 64 members in the group, the financial contribution is 5 € for each group member.

The non refundable financial contribution for the competition should be made by the bank transfer:

FRIULOVEST BANCA CREDITO COOPERATIVO

SAN GIORGIO DELLA RICHINVELDA, Italy

BIC/SWIFT-Code: CCRTIT2TFOB

Code IBAN: IT 96 X 08805 65020 014000009691

RECIPIENT: Associazione Culturale "Melos"

CASUAL: indicate Name of candidate–Instrument –Category

One group of competitors can pay with one bank transfer indicated as a Purpose of payment names, section and category of all participants.

Money transfers by Pay Pall to info@ac-melos.com are accepted from the competitors outside the Euro zone.

All the charges and commissions of all banks or of Pay Pall should be borne by the competitor. So, the amount of the sending fee must always be greater than the entry fee.

PAY ATTENTION: Paypal should show its commission for the payments. If not, please add 5 Euros more in addition to the sum of the financial contribution.

Upon receipt of an incomplete financial contribution, the competitor is not allowed to participate in the competition.

The contribution to be paid includes the membership fee of € 5.00 of a supporting member of the Association "Melos".

Art. 5 Applying process

Competition Application form in Word format accompanied by **Membership Application form** in PDF or JPEG, **identification document and the receipt of payment of the financial contribution**, should be sent all together in unique letter to the e - mail address: info@ac-melos.com.

The unquestionable opinion of the Organizing Committee will permit or not to accept application forms received after the deadline.

1. **Competition Application form** should be filled in with lowercase letters (don't write all in capital letters!) In Word format in English.
2. **Membership Application form** should be filled in using Word format, printed, signed and scanned in PDF or JPEG format. For groups – only one application form should be filled in for all members of the group creating a common list with the data of each contestant and the signature of each of them.
Please remember to sign the admission form.
3. **Scanned passport or birth certificate**
For groups - the list of participants with their birth dates signed and sealed by the institution administration.
4. **Scanned receipt of financial contribution for the competition**

Incomplete application forms or those not including the required documents will not be accepted.

The timetable of the auditions will be published on the website www.ac-melos.com two weeks before the competition. There will be few minutes of acoustic rehearsal in the competition hall for each competitor according to the timetable established by the Organizing Direction.

The Organizing Direction can book, on request, the practice in a piano shop outside the competition venue. Soloists must provide their own accompanist. The Organization can suggest, on request, names and contacts of accompanists. Competitors have to contact the accompanists by their own and send him/her the scores far in advance. The accompanist is free to set out his/her fee.

All candidates must register in the Secretary's Office with a valid identity card or document before the auditions. At the beginning of each audition the candidates will be asked to show the Jury their document together with two copies of the score of the piece(s) to be executed.

Art. 6 Jury, scores, rewarding

The jury consists of professors of Rome Conservatory "Santa Cecilia", prominent international musicians. The jury's decision is final and non appealable.

Final score is derived as the sum of the arithmetic average of the scores of all the judges on a 100- point scale.

DIPLOMA OF GRAND PRIZE –100/100. It is one in every category.

DIPLOMA OF FIRST PRIZE - from 90 to 99 points.

DIPLOMA OF SECOND PRIZE - from 80 to 89 points.

DIPLOMA OF THIRD PRIZE - from 70 to 79 points.

DIPLOMA OF PARTICIPATION – to all the other participants

Honorable Diploma – to all teachers.

The jury has the right to award an unlimited number of prizes in each category.

The Jury retains the right to shorten the duration of the execution for an entire category.

Art. 7

Taking part in the web competition, the competitors automatically waives the right to financial compensation for the publication and distribution of photos and music video recordings on CD, DVD or in Internet.

Art. 8

Applying to the competition implies knowledge and unconditional acceptance of the rules and of the statute of the Association herein.

Art. 9

Each candidate consent to the Cultural Association "Melos" the processing of his personal data for the realization of the institutional purposes of the Association, to the extent necessary to fulfill obligations under the law and the statutory, for putting videos and photos made for or during the events on YouTube or on the website of the Association www.ac-melos.com, for mailing of newsletters, in accordance with the Italian Law concerning the "Protection of Personal Data" no.101/2018 implementing Regulation UE no.2016/679.

Art. 10

In case of contestations, the Italian text will be legally binding.

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COMPETITION APPLICATION

- Surname and name (Name of the group)
- Instrument, category
- Nationality
- Name of the Music Institute of study
- E mail of the competitor
- Surname and name of the teacher
- E mail of the teacher
- Surname and name of the financial contribution's sender
- Date of sending of financial contribution
- I need a pianist - collaborator (the price will be discussed directly with the pianist)

Yes or **No**

- I need a piano for practice outside the competition venue. (specify the day and hours for the practice. The price of 20 euro per hour can be changed and must be paid directly to the spot)

Yes or **No**

Program

- Duration of program
- Author of music, title

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/ *DOMANDA di ADESIONE ASSOCIATIVA*

2020 / 2021

Request for the first registration – Request for renewal of registration

Surname and Name _____

Cognome e nome

Date and place of birth _____

Data e luogo di nascita

Passport or birth cert. number _____

Passaporto o il certificato di nascita

Address _____

Indirizzo

e-mail _____

Surname and Name of parent (fill in if minor) _____

Cognome e Nome del genitore (compilare se minorenni)

Date and place of birth _____

Data e luogo di nascita

Passport or birth cert. number _____

Passaporto o il certificato di nascita

Address _____

Indirizzo

e-mail _____

I would like to be accepted as a member of the Association with the right to participate (for myself and for members of my family) at the events promoted by the Association of Culture "Melos"

Chiedo di essere accettato come socio, con diritto di usufruire e partecipare (per se e per i componenti la propria famiglia) alle manifestazioni promosse dall' Associazione Culturale "Melos".

Date _____

Data

Signature (for minor signs the parent)

Firma (in caso di minorenni firma genitore)

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION for groups/ *DOMANDA di ADESIONE ASSOCIATIVA per gruppi*

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