

Competition Rules

Art. 1 - The Musica Association "Stanze dell'Arte", organizes the 8th International **Chamber Music Competition** "Stanze dell'Arte" which will take place at the Municipal Theater "Mauro Pagano" of Canneto sull'Oglio on 27 and 28 October 2023 (or in Online mode if the restrictions relating to the Pandemic should persist.)

Art. 2 - The competition is divided into a section divided into 2 categories and is open to musicians of all nationalities without age limits.

Category A: Average age of the competitors not exceeding 20 years (the duration of the execution must not exceed 20 minutes)

Category B: Average age of the competitors over 21 years with no age limit (the duration of the performance must not exceed 30 minutes)

All groups made up of 2 to 9 elements are admitted to the "Chamber Music" section, including formations with opera singers (including vocal chamber music) , with the only exception of the two pianos.

Auditions are public.

The winners of the first prize of the previous edition are excluded

Art. 3 - The competitors (except the Chamber Music Section), must perform the program from memory. The Jury will listen to the entire programme to be performed by competitors, provided that it does not exceed the time-limit fixed. The Jury reserve the right to stop the performance of any competitor who significantly exceeds the time-limit.

All compositions must be edited and performed in their original form.

The competitors, before the audition, are required to give the jury a copy of the scores that they will perform.

Art. 4 - Requests to participate (see attached form) and the required documentation (in pdf or word format) can be sent by mail to the following address:

info@associazionemusicalestanzedellarte.com

For more information and to download the registration forms, visit the Competition website:

www.associazionemusicalestanzedellarte.com

Applications must be received no later than October 10th 2023.

Competitors must attach the following documentation to the application:

- Copy of a valid identity document (for the Chamber Music section attach only the document of the person responsible; all other members of the same group, before the audition, must show to the organization a valid personal identity document).
- Short curriculum vitae of the candidates and/or group.
- Receipt of payment of the participation fee

The payment can be made by bank transfer to:

Associazione Musicale "Stanze Dell'Arte" Aps

BANCA INTESA IBAN: IT18 E030 6909 6061 0000 0138239

BIC: BCITITMM (for international transfer money)

CAUSALE: (name) **entry fee 8th Music Chamber Competition**

Art. 5 - The awarding of the winners will take place on 28 October 2023 after the auditions.
Should the Competition be online, the winners will receive specific communications.

Art. 6 - The Jury will be composed of distinguished musicians and teachers.
Persons who have a family relationship or affinity with competitors or who had private didactic relations in the two years preceding the Competition cannot be part of the Jury. In the case of institutional didactic relations, the members of the Commission will not participate at the discussion and votation about these competitors.

Art. 7 - If the minimum number of participants in a section is not reached, the competition for that section will not start. Only in this case the entry fees already paid will be returned to the participants registered in the sections not activated.

Art. 8 - All participants must be present at the call at the Teatro Comunale "Mauro Pagano" di Canneto sull'Oglio" on the day and at the time fixed, under penalty of exclusion from the competition, with a valid personal identity document. Any latecomers, only for justified reasons, will be able to perform at the end of their section (as long as the selections are still in progress).

Art. 9 - Travel and accommodation costs will be charged to the participants. The organization will provide a list of partner hotels and restaurants which will be published on the Competition website.

Art. 10 - The Competition Organization is not responsible for any accidents to persons or things, neither during the journey nor for the entire duration of the Competition.

Art. 11 - Any radio or television use of the winners' performances does not involve the payment of prizes, rights or fees.

Art. 12 - Registration for the competition entails the unconditional approval of these Regulations. In the event of a dispute regarding the Regulations, the Italian text will be valid. For what is not established by this regulation, the Competition Artistic Commission will decide.

CHAMBER MUSIC SECTION

PARTICIPATION FEE

CAT: A Euro 55.00 for each member of the group (up to a maximum of Euro 220.00)

CAT: B Euro 65.00 for each member of the group (up to a maximum of Euro 260.00)