

TAIWAN International Classical & Traditional Music Awards

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2021 國際古典暨傳統音樂獎

國際鋼琴大賽 PIANO

國際二胡大賽 ERHU

國際聲樂大賽 VOCAL

2021 / 7 / 29 ~ 7 / 31

總獎金超過新台幣100,000元

網路報名 | 2021/5/1~5/31

金獎決賽音樂會 | 2021/7/31 (六) pm12:30

活動地點 | 國立臺灣藝術大學福舟表演廳
新北市板橋區大觀路一段59號(浮洲火車站旁)

粉絲專頁 | 國際古典暨傳統音樂獎

活動官網 | <https://2017icmc.weebly.com>

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2021 International Vocal Competition Rules

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2021 TAIWAN 5TH INTERNATIONAL CLASSICAL AND TRADITIONAL MUSIC AWARDS

★Purpose

Supported by Taiwan International Artists Association, Taiwan Federation of Literary and Art Circles, Hong Kong Active Arts Society, Chinese Music Department of National Taiwan University of Arts, Chinese Music Department of Chinese Culture University, Sing Music Studio(Hong Kong), Unique Chamber Music Groups and IDEAL MUSIC Studio(Malaysia), International Classical And Traditional Music Competition provides a platform for artists and art lovers all over the world to learn and interact with each other. In 2017, the first competition attracted excellent musicians from Taiwan, China, Hong Kong and Japan to get together in Taiwan. To pass down the successful experience in 2017, this year, the organizers and co-organizers would like to profoundly promote the essence and spirit of classical and traditional music culture through various means of communications. To attract more talented musicians, aside from changing the name into International Classical and Traditional Music Awards”, the competition will be categorized into professional group and amateur group, which allow amateur talents to join in this competition. Besides, during the competition, activities such as academic events and art exchanges will be held to let participants enjoy a harmonious and pleasant atmosphere. Thereby, to elevate the possibility of their music and art level at the same time.

The judges invited to the Grand Prix are all international professional musicians. Best players from all over the world will come to Taiwan for the final contest. This year, gold awards, silver awards, bronze awards and excellence awards will be set for both professional and amateur groups. Also, the “Special Jury Prize”, “Hong Kong Active Arts Society Award”, “Excellent Overseas Musician Award” and “Future Start Award” will be selected among all the gold award winners while “Best Performer for the Audience” will be voted by the audience.

We believe that the 5th competition can help carry forward the heritage and exchange of music and culture under the promotion of organizers.

★Organizer

International Taiwan Artists Association
Taiwan Federation of Literary and Art Circles

★Co-organizers

Chinese Music Department of National Taiwan University of Arts

Chinese Music Department of Chinese Culture University

Hong Kong Active Arts Society

Sing Music Studio (Hong Kong)

Ideal Music (Malaysia)

Clavier Music Studio (Malaysia)

Legato Music Studio (Malaysia)

★Office

Unique chamber music groups

★Venue

National Taiwan University of Arts

★Date

First Round : July 27- July 30, 2021

Final Round : July 31 “Gold Award Winners Final Concert”.

“Celebration Banquet will be suspended this year due to Covid-19”.

★Qualifications

No nationality restrictions

★2021 Contest Items

Piano / Vocal / Erhu

★Regulations

1. Accompaniment CD is not allowed in Vocal and Erhu Contest.
2. Do not provide false declaration, or contestants may be disqualified.
3. Contestants can change their music tracks before registration deadline . Once if the music track is inconsistent with the original one, judges will deduct 2 points from contestants' average score.
4. Professional group is for musicians in which awarding recognition of professional qualifications under Government Departments & Education-related Organizations. However, amateur musicians are also welcomed to sign up for Professional group.
Contrariwise, contestants with recognition of professional qualifications are not allowed to sign up for Amateur group.
5. Please respect Intellectual Property Rights and refrain from using or distributing infringing copies of copyright works and counterfeit goods. The Organizer shall not be liable for any loss incurred or damage suffered by any person as a result of any actual or alleged infringement of copyright or other intellectual property rights.
6. Please be also reminded that all applications for the refund of exiting the competition will be rejected under the prevailing reimbursement policy.
7. The Organizer has the rights of copyright owner, such as all contestants' portrait, behind scenes photos, clips or videos and etc. As well as being able to make available copies of the work to the public (including the Internet) to promote the competition.
8. Performance order of contestants is determined by computer sequencing.
9. Winners of each group can pick either receive their prizes right after announcing the results or wait till Gold Award Winners Final Concert Ceremony.
10. The rules of music piece to each group are different. Please read the details of each group carefully.
11. For group competition, contestants will be randomly sorted by computer and evenly divided into group A & group B as their performing orders if number of applicants are more than 36 pax. Prize or certificate will be individually distributed and issued to awardees as well.
12. In case of disputes, The Organizer reserves the rights of final decision, including suspending, terminating or changing details of the competition and its terms and conditions without prior notice.

★Competition standard

1. The performing skills, music demeanor to competitors are all criterion for judgment. (costume and onstage presentation 20%, performance skills 50%, musical interpretation 30%)
2. Contestants will be fairly scored and cannot object to the results, in this competition judges reserve the rights for the final decision.
3. When the competition ended, our staff will record the scores and the judges will double check to confirm

no errors made. Emcee will announce the winners of each performance and the average scores of all contestants.

4. First place winners need to be scored at least 88 points in average or above will gain the opportunity to perform at winners of gold medal final concert.
5. Contestants who would like to promote to the Special Jury Prize concert need to prepare a free choice music piece. However, if the piece is over-run out of time limit, judges reserve the rights to ask for shorten the performance piece.

★Awards

The first round of each competition sets:

1 ~ 3 people in each group will get 1 gold prize; 4 ~ 5 people will get 1 gold, silver and bronze prize; 6 or more people will get 1 gold and silver, Bronze, Fourth, and Fifth prize. People who are not listed above are with outstanding results and considered to receive excellent award.

1. Gold Award - Trophy and Certificate
2. Silver Award - Trophy and Certificate.
3. Bronze Award - Trophy and Certificate.
4. Fourth Prize - Trophy and Certificate.
5. Fifth Prize - Trophy and Certificate.
6. Excellent Award - "The winner should attain at least 80.00 marks(inclusive)." - Certificate.
7. International Excellent Teacher Award - "Toturs of the Gold, Silver, Bronze Awards winners." – Certificate.

The final round of competition sets:

8. Special Jury Prize (one winner will be selected from each Piano, Vocal and Erhu category) - NT\$15,000 cash prize, Trophy and Certificate will be awarded to each winner.
9. Hong Kong Active Arts Society Special Award (one winner will be selected from each Piano, Vocal and Erhu category) - Trophy and Certificate will be awarded, winners will be invited to perform in Hong Kong in 2022 with a total of performance allowance HK\$2,000 (Depending on Covid-19 situation).
11. Audience Vote Award - Gold medal winner will be chosen by audience. Certificates and bonus NT\$5,000 will be awarded.
12. Excellent Overseas Musician Award- (one for each Piano, Vocal and Erhu). Certificate and bonus NT\$2,500 will be awarded.
13. Best New Artist Award - (one for each Piano, Vocal and Erhu). Certificate and bonus NT\$2,500 will be awarded.
14. Pianist Partnership Award – Selected one winner from each Vocal and Erhu category (can be left as vacancies). Certificate and bonus NT\$2,500 will be awarded.
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◆If the winner refuse the invitation to perform in the events mentioned above , the winner forfeit his right to the award bonus.

★Registration time

✿ As from May 1 to May 31.

✿ Official website: <https://2017icmc.weebly.com>

★Registration fee

1. NT\$2500 / US\$110 / CNY\$700 for non-Taiwanese contestants .

2. Mail: a0937633836@gmail.com

3. All contestants who registered for the 5th International Classical and Traditional Music Awards 2021 would receive 1 set of gift.

★Registration Process

1. Transfer registration fee to our account.

Bank account number.

Name : Unique Chamber music groups

Bank : Cathay United Bank (013)

Wanhua Branch account number : 079035002401

Swift Code: UWCBTWTP

2. Please fill in the registration form in our official website: <https://2017icmc.weebly.com>

*Please be reminded to upload the receipt confirmation of remittance together for your registration.

3. For inquiries, please contact us at +886 2-23020565 or by Mail: a0937633836@gmail.com

★Notes

Once you submitted an online application of this competition, you shall be deemed to have read, understood and agreed to the rules of the competition. If you have not already read full detailed terms and conditions, please do so.

This competition is a platform for contestants to show their music talents. For more information, please visit the official website and Facebook page.

★International Vocal Competition Rules

【Amateur Group】

Group	Number	Free Choice Piece
Children Group A (Born between 1.1.2013~12.31.2015)	V1	Please choose from either one of the Chinese or Foreign vocal music piece with no criteria requirement on music style, composers nor language. Duration: 5 minutes
Children Group B (Born between 1.1.2011~12.31.2012)	V2	
Children Group C (Born between 1.1.2009~12.31.2010)	V3	
Junior Group (Born between 1.1.2006~12.31.2008)	V4	Please choose from either one of the Chinese or Foreign vocal music piece with no criteria requirement on music style, composers nor language. Duration: 6 minutes
Youth Group (Born between 1.1.2003~12.31.2005)	V5	
Chinese language vocal piece Adult group A (Born between 1.1.1962~12.31.2002)	V6	Please choose one vocal music piece in Chinese language with no criteria requirement on music style nor composers Duration: 6 minutes (Arias, Chinese folk song, Chinese art song, Chinese ancient poetry, Chinese opera piece, Taiwan aboriginal works and etc. could be your song choice.)
Foreign language vocal piece Adult group B (Born between 1.1.1962~12.31.2002)	V7	Please choose one vocal music piece in Foreign language other than Chinese with no criteria requirement on music style nor composers Duration: 6 minutes (Arias or Foreign art song and etc. could be your song choice.)
Seniors group (Born before 12.31.1961)	V8	Please choose from either one of the Chinese or Foreign vocal music piece with no criteria requirement on language. Duration: 6 minutes (Arias, Chinese folk song, Chinese art song, Chinese ancient poetry, Chinese opera piece, Taiwan aboriginal works and etc. could be your song choice.)

Remarks

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2. The Vocal Competition (Children Group, Junior Group, Youth Group and Seniors group have no distinctions between professional group and amateur group.

【Professional Group】

Group	number	elective song
Foreign language vocal piece Professional Adult Men's group C (Born between 1.1.1999~12.31.2002)	V9	Please choose one vocal music piece in Foreign language other than Chinese with no criteria requirement on music style nor composers Duration: 8 minutes (Arias, folk song or art song could be your song choice.) Remarks: Either if Group V9 or V10 has not meet the minimum applicants of 3 pax, these two groups will be combined as one group.
Foreign language vocal piece Professional Adult Women's group D (Born between 1.1.1999~12.31.2002)	V10	
Foreign language vocal piece Professional Adult Men's group E (Born between 1.1.1962~12.31.1998)	V11	Please choose one vocal music piece in Foreign language other than Chinese with no criteria requirement on music style nor composers Duration: 8 minutes (Arias, folk song or art song could be your song choice.) Remarks: Either if Group V11 or V12 has not meet the minimum applicants of 3 pax, these two groups will be combined as one group.
Foreign language vocal piece Professional Adult Women's group F (Born between 1.1.1962~12.31.1998)	V12	
Chinese language vocal piece Professional Adult Men's group G (Born between 1.1.1999~12.31.2002)	V13	Please choose one Chinese vocal piece with no criteria requirement on music style nor composers Duration: 6 minutes (Arias, Chinese folk song, Chinese art song, Chinese ancient poetry, Chinese opera piece, Taiwan aboriginal works and etc. could be your song choice.) Remarks: Either if Group V13 or V14 has not meet the minimum applicants of 3 pax, these two groups will be combined as one group
Chinese language vocal piece Professional Adult Women's group H (Born between 1.1.1999~12.31.2002)	V14	
Chinese language vocal piece Professional Adult Men's group I (Born between 1.1.1962~12.31.1998)	V15	Please choose one Chinese vocal piece with no criteria requirement on music style nor composers Duration: 6 minutes (Arias, Chinese folk song, Chinese art song, Chinese ancient poetry, Chinese opera piece, Taiwan aboriginal works and etc. could be your song choice.) Remarks: Either if Group V15 or V16 has not meet the minimum applicants of 3 pax, these two groups will be combined as one group
Chinese language vocal piece Professional Adult Women's group J (Born between 1.1.1962~12.31.1998)	V16	

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