



## National Musical Contest for Amateurs “InArmonia”

1<sup>st</sup> edition: 17-18-19<sup>th</sup> June 2016 Frascati (Rome)

at Istituto Musicale Collegium Artis (Via delle Fratte, 53)

Artistic Director: Annalaura Cavuoto

Deadline to send application: 20<sup>th</sup> may 2016

Participation fee: € 50 soloist artists – € 30 for each group member

Sections:

- piano
- guitar and other plucked instruments
- strings
- wind instruments
- chamber group or band (up to 5 members)

Rules:

- 1) The contest is open to all Italian and non-Italian citizens living in Italy, without any age limitation. The Jury will be composed of Professors and performers with significant experiences.
- 2) Each contestant shall have to sign a certificated stating that they are not performing professional musical activities nor are they studying to achieve such objectives. They shall also have to attach a list of musical pieces they intend to perform.
- 3) The program – lasting maximum 13 minutes for solo artists and 20 minutes for groups – is completely free. A memorised performance is not required. It is possible to perform a shorter program time wise, but of it were to last much longer than the indicated time the performance can be interrupted.
- 4) The Organisation will only provide a piano. Any other musical instrument must be brought by the contestant. The Organisation will not be liable for any theft, loss or damage of the instruments.
- 5) Contestants can bring their own piano accompanist, or they can ask the Organisation to provide one by paying a € 55 fee. In this case, the contestant is obligated to indicate which musical pieces he/she will be performing during the application process and provide the music sheets for the accompanist.
- 6) For each sections there will be awarded a 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place prize consisting in cups, medals and other prizes offered by the sponsors. All contestants shall receive a Participation Diploma. Prizes will be given during the Awarding Ceremony/Concert which shall be held on Sunday the 19<sup>th</sup> of June at the Auditorium delle Scuderie Aldobrandini in Frascati.
- 7) If the winning contestants are not present at the Ceremony they shall not be awarded their prize. The winners from each section will be obligated to perform for free at the final Concert, but also other worthy contestants – chosen by the Jury – might be invited to perform as well.

- 8) The participation fee is non reimbursable, except if the Contest is partly or totally annulled, and has to be paid by the deadline through a bank transfer (IBAN IT51Y076010320000086029063) or via postal payment at the current account n. 86029063 made out to Associazione InArmonia.
- 9) The application, proof of payment, program and music sheets for the accompanist pianist must be e-mailed to [info@inarmonia.org](mailto:info@inarmonia.org) or mailed to Associazione Inarmonia at the following address ; Via De Nicola, 23 – 00044 Frascati (RM).
- 10) By entering the Contest, the contestant is fully and unconditionally accepting the terms of these rules and authorises the organisation to take any audio and video recordings.
- 11) Any disputes shall lie within the jurisdiction of the Court of Velletri. The rules in Italian language will be considered.

### **Mission**

This initiative has been created to give value to the amateur Musician, defined as a person who has a true love for Music (often the same as, or even more than, a professional musician). The area of the Castelli Romani, furthermore, is culturally speaking very rich in terms of tourism and gastronomy, and is also very close to Rome to which it is connected by trains, subways and buses.

Therefore this Contest – other than providing a serious, objective and transparent assessment – wants to serve as an opportunity for people with common passions to meet and exchange knowledge and values.

Thus the Contest provides amateurs with multiple opportunities, namely:

- Encountering other people with common interests coming from different places and backgrounds.
- To be heard and confront himself with a jury composed of professors and Concert performers with serious and significant experiences.
- To create a study plan with specific goals.
- To treat oneself with the opportunity to combine pleasure with work, visiting Frascati, Rome and the Castelli Romani.

INFO: telephone 3405523470 from 11:00 to 13:00 or send an email to [info@inarmonia.org](mailto:info@inarmonia.org)



## APPLICATION FORM

National Music Amateur Contest InArmonia 2016 - Frascati (Rome) – Italy

Surname:..... Name:.....

Solo artist – instrument: ..... Requires accompanist:...Yes.....No.....

Band – N° of members:..... Name of the Band:.....

Place of Birth:..... Date of Birth:.....

Address..... City..... Zip code.....

Phone Number..... cellphone number.....

E-mail.....

The participant declares (in case of a band on behalf of the other members) that he or she does is not a professional musician nor is he or she studying music to become a professional.

Date:.....

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Signature ( of the parent in case the participant is a minor)

Please attach:

- A photo copy of your I.D., proof of payment of the participation fee.
- Extra proof of payment and music sheets (in case an accompanist pianist has been required)

Must be sent by the 20<sup>th</sup> of May 2016 by e-mail to [info@inarmonia.org](mailto:info@inarmonia.org)

O via post:

**Associazione InArmonia**

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