



**I° EDITION - G.I.M.Y.F COMPETITION**

*International Competition for Young Opera Singers*

**Concorso Internazionale per Giovani Cantanti Lirici**



***First Prize - 2000 Euro - Special Prize G.I.M.Y.F.***

***Chile Opera Festival Prize***

***Participation in productions in the 2022/2023 Opera Season***

***Opera di Tunisi Prize***

***Participation in productions in the 2022/2023 Opera Season***

***City of Genoa Prize***

***Awarded by the Municipality of Genoa***

***City of Alessandria Prize***

***I° Edition - Alessandria Music Festival***



## RULES

### ARTICLE 1

The International Competition for Young Opera Singers G.I.M.Y.F., 1st edition, is organized by the Associazione Internazionale delle Culture Unite of Genoa. Young opera singers from every nation born after 1 January 1984 are admitted to the competition.

### ARTICLE 2

**The registration fee is equal to Euro 70.00 (Seventy/00)**, net of bank commissions and is not refundable. The registration procedure requires the online compilation of the admission application that the candidate will find on the website **www.gimyf.it** in the Opera Competition - **Registration section**.

The application for admission must necessarily be accompanied by the following documents: Photocopy of the identity card or other equivalent document; Photocopy of the Italian tax code, if issued, or a photocopy of the tax number or other tax identification document of your country of residence; Payment receipt of Euro 70.00 made by bank transfer to be made to Iban Code: IT08 G033 5901 6001 0000 0160 213. BIC: BCITITMX Reason: Competition + name and surname of the candidate.

This application must also be accompanied by a full-length photograph and CV in addition to the completion of the registration form on the website <http://www.gimyf.it> - Competition section. The documents must be sent by e-mail to the address [segreteria.aicu@gmail.com](mailto:segreteria.aicu@gmail.com), inserting "Competition Notice 2022" as the subject of the e-mail.

Candidates who are citizens of non-EU countries must show to the organizing secretariat, under penalty of exclusion from the Competition, a suitable entry permit in the territory of the Italian Republic, in accordance with the provisions of current legislation. The Associazione Internazionale delle Culture Unite will also verify its suitability through the competent authorities.

**Applications must reach the organizing secretariat by 31 March 2022 at 12 a.m.**

In the event that the applications are received late or are incomplete or that the data or documents attached are inaccurate or do not correspond to what is required by the previous articles, the candidate will be excluded. Likewise, the candidate will be excluded in cases where:

- the registration fee has not been paid in its entirety;
- does not show up on the day (insert date) or on a day other than that communicated to her or him as per article 3 below;
- assumes, before, during or after the competition, offensive behavior, not very decent or not in keeping with the context.



### **ARTICLE 3**

The competition will take place from 04 to 07 April 2022, according to the procedures specified in the Articles below. The competition tests will be carried out at the University Library of Genoa - Via Balbi, 40. Competitors must report to the Competition secretariat on the day and at the time communicated by the artistic secretariat. The presence of the public is not allowed during the competition selections. The organization of the Competition will make accompanying pianists available to the competitors for the rehearsals. Competitors who deem it appropriate may use another pianist at their own expense and upon request to the organization of the Competition and explicit authorization from the latter. It is necessary to bring the scores in double copies, one for the jury and one for the pianist.

### **ARTICLE 4**

No reimbursement for travel expenses will be paid to competitors by the Competition. For those interested, an agreement is available with the Tower Genova Airport Hotel located in Via Pionieri e Aviatori d'Italia, 44 - Genoa.

### **ARTICLE 5**

The Jury, appointed by the Artistic Director of the Competition, will have the right to assign one or more prizes ex aequo. In this case, the prizes themselves will be divided equally. The Jury will announce the winners at the end of the competition tests. The Jury's decision is final and unappealable.

### **ARTICLE 6 - AWARDS**

**The following Awards are established:**

- First Prize - 2000 Euro + G.I.M.Y.F. - Participation of the winner in the closing Concert of the Genoa International Music Youth Festival 2022**
- Chile Opera Festival Prize - Participation in productions for the 2022/2023 Opera season**
- Opera di Tunis Prize - Participation in productions for the 2022/2023 Opera season**
- City of Genoa Prize - Awarded by the City to the youngest Genovese singer under 30**
- City of Alessandria Prize - Participation in the 1st Edition of the Alessandria Music Festival**

### **ARTICLE 7**

Competitors must present 4 pieces taken from the opera repertoire, in the original language.

The competition will be divided into two phases:



### **First round - Eliminary**

The competitor will perform:

- Two pieces chosen by the candidate among the 4 presented

### **Second round - Final**

- One or more pieces chosen by the Jury from the 4 presented

In the first and second round, the Jury reserves the right to listen to the pieces presented in whole or in part, at its only discretion.

### **ARTICLE 8**

The Artistic Director, at his unquestionable judgment, may award the GIMYF Special Prize to the competitors admitted to the final concert. The winners will be offered the opportunity to participate in the Seasons of the aforementioned Festivals organized by the Associazione Internazionale delle Culture Unite in Italy and in other partners countries.

### **ARTICLE 9**

The award ceremony will take place on 07 April 2022 during the final of the Competition where the final Concert is scheduled to which the winners will be required to participate, under penalty of revocation of any prize awarded. Cash prizes will be paid out in full to the winners by bank transfer.

### **ARTICLE 10**

Participants renounce any right to use the radio and/or television recordings of their performances and transmission or reproduction of their performed pieces and authorize the organization to make video, audio and photographic recordings of every moment of the Competition as well as to use them for their own discretion without having anything to expect.

### **ARTICLE 11**

The application form obliges the competitor to accept all the rules contained in this announcement. In case of dispute, reference will be made to the Italian text of the regulation.

### **ARTICLE 12**

All participants in the competition will benefit from accident insurance coverage, stipulated with a leading insurance company.

In the event that problems relating to the current pandemic situation arise, or for any cause of force majeure, the Competition may be canceled, and in this case the registration fee will be refunded.