

3rd CAMPILLOS INTERNATIONAL PIANO COMPETITION

The 3rd Campillos International Piano Competition will be held at the IES Event Hall, in Campillos, (Málaga), Spain, December 5th-8th, 2009.

I - CONDITIONS

1 - The Competition is open to pianists of any nationality, born on or after January 1st, 1979. The 1st Prize Winners of past editions are not allowed to compete again.

2 - Application materials must be received at the Competition Secretariat no later than October 19th, 2009, and must be sent to:

Campillos International Piano Competition

Pintor Maella 30 A 27

E-46023 Valencia. España

Tfnos: + 34 625 580 573 / + 34 625 580 786

E-mail: secretaria@concursointernacionalpiano.es / <http://www.concursointernacionalpiano.es>

3 - The contestants' performances will be in alphabetical order, determined by a draw, which will be valid for all rounds. The draw will take place during the Reception at the "Casa de la Cultura" in Campillos on December 5th 2009, at 10,00 hrs. All contestants must be present. The resulting order can only be modified under exceptional circumstances, in which case the contestant must provide a justification and the Organization will make a final decision after considering the reasons.

4 - The contestants may try the piano at the Event Hall on December 5th 2009 after the draw.

5 - The Organization will have pianos for practising at the contestants' disposal during the Competition.

6 - The Competition reserves the right to authorize the recording and broadcasting of any of the

Competition rounds.

7 - The Competition organization will provide information about accommodation in Campillos during the Competition.

II - APPLICATIONS

1 - The following documents must be sent well before October 19th, 2009, in order to arrive not later than October 19th:

- a) Photocopy of legal document regarding age and nationality.
- b) A Curriculum Vitae in spanish or english, clearly legible, preferably type-written, with the main required information as indicated on the application form.
- c) Application form, clearly legible, preferably type-written, with contestant data and complete programme: title, catalogue and/or opus number, composer and timing, for the different rounds.
- d) One professional photograph, in digital format .jpg, sent by e-mail.

The documents mentioned under a, b and c must be sent together in one envelope mailed by post to the Competition Secretariat.

The Secretary will send an e-mail confirming the reception of the application materials within one week.

Only correct and complete applications as written in these rules will be taken into consideration. Subsequently competitors will be receiving the confirmation of application materials reception. If any of the requirements for the application happen to be false, incomplete or incorrect, the competitor's application will not be valid.

2 - In the case of many applications, the Organiser Committee will select a maximum of 50 pianists based on the application materials and will inform each applicant by October 25th

whether or not his or her application has been selected. After the communication of acceptance ONLY selected contestants should pay a 70 Euro entry fee, **free of any charge for the receiver**, before October 31st by bank transfer to:

Concurso Internacional de Piano

c/c: IBAN: ES8621030198460230927975 BIC: UCJAES2M

UNICAJA - C/Real Nº 15 - 29320 Campillos (Málaga) ESPAÑA

indicating the contestant's name.

Selected contestants must send a copy of the payment Bank receipt by e-mail to the Competition Secretary by October 31st.

No competitor will be accepted until the Bank receipt and full competition fee are received. This fee cannot be refunded under any circumstances. If the fee is not received by October 31st selected contestants will be immediately rejected.

The Organizer Committee will establish a waiting list from the non-selected competitors who might be invited to participate in case selected contestants cancel or are rejected by the Secretary.

III - COMPETITION STAGES

1 - The Competition consists of an Eliminary Round and Final, both of them open to the public.

ELIMINATORY ROUND: A programme lasting no longer than 20 minutes, composed of:

- One Prelude and Fugue from "The Well-Tempered Clavier" by J.S.Bach, or one Sonata by D. Scarlatti or Padre Soler.

- One virtuoso Study.

- One or several pieces or movements of free choice.

The number of candidates admitted to the Final Round will depend on the level reached in the Eliminary Round.

FINAL: A self chosen programme lasting no longer than 40 minutes, consisting of pieces of different styles.

Pianist wishing to compete for the Spanish Music Prize, must play at least one piece by a Spanish composer.

2 - No work may be repeated.

3 - All the works must be performed by heart.

4 - The Jury may interrupt the performance exceeding the maximum timing for each round.

5 - No programme changes will be allowed after November 4th.

IV - PRIZES

FIRST PRIZE: Diploma and cash award of 4000 Euro.

SECOND PRIZE: Diploma and cash award of 2000 Euro.

THIRD PRIZE: Diploma and cash award of 1000 Euro.

SPECIAL PRIZE for the best performance of Spanish Music: Diploma and cash award of 1000 Euro.

SPECIAL PRIZE for the best Spanish pianist: Diploma and cash award of 1000 Euro.

The First Prize is indivisible, but the other prizes may be shared.

The Competition organization in cooperation with other entities will offer the possibility of some concerts for the winner of the Competition.

Finalists not receiving any prize will get a Finalist Diploma and 250 Euro as a financial aid.

The jury is not obliged to award all the prizes. Their decision is final.

All grants and prizes shall be subject to taxes at the statutory rate.

The awarded pianists must personally collect their prize in the Closing Act, and will play during the Winners Concert without receiving a remuneration. A refusal entails cancellation of the

award.

V - CALENDAR

October 19th:

Deadline for reception of applications.

October 25th:

Notification of acceptance.

October 31st:

Deadline for competition fee payment.

December 5th:

10,00 hrs. Reception for contestants and Draw at "La Casa de la Cultura" in Campillos.
Afterwards, piano try-out by contestants at Concert Hall.

19,30 hrs. **Inauguration Act.**

- Presentation.
- Opening Concert.
- Cocktail for contestants, jury, sponsors and invited guests.

December 6th-7th: ELIMINATORY ROUND.

December 8th: FINAL.

December 8th:

20,00 hrs. **Closing Act.**

- Prize-giving Ceremony.
- Winners Concert.
- Cocktail for contestants, jury, sponsors and invited guests.

Organizing Committee shall solve all those situations not specified in these regulations.

In case of any difference between the Spanish and English versions of these rules, the Official

Spanish text will prevail.

By sending the application form, the applicant agrees to accept and to comply with all regulations of the contest.

VI - LOCATION

Campillos, in the province of Malaga, is well-connected with the main Andalusian cities like Malaga, Seville or Granada. These cities have International Airports. From Malaga and Seville Bus Stations there are connections to Campillos. There are also many possibilities for travelling from these three cities by train to any of the two Railway Stations located 13 Kms from Campillos, called "Bobadilla" and "Antequera-Santa Ana". From both places you can take a train to Campillos Railway Station or you can also take a taxi to Campillos, which takes about 10 minutes. If you travel by train from Madrid you may stop in Antequera Santa Ana and then do as written before.

VII - ACCOMMODATION

Hostal San Francisco:

c/ Real nº 36, (town centre)

Phone: (00 34) 952 72 20 56 / (00 34) 952 72 33 71

jesusaguiarromero@hotmail.com / www.mapacampillos.es/enlaces/hostal%20San%20Francisco.html

Single room: **26 Euros.**

Twin bed room for one person: **37 Euros.**

Double room: **44 Euros.**

Hotel Mesón Los Chopos:

Carretera Jerez/Cartagena Km 135, (1 Km away from town)

Phone: (00 34) 952 72 27 70 Fax: (00 34) 952 72 30 40

info@hotelmesonloschopos.es / www.hotelmesonloschopos.es

Single room: **29 Euros**.

Twin bed room for one person: **36 Euros**.

Double room: **45 Euros**.

VIII - PAST LAUREATES

I Edition, 2007:

1st Prize: **Chenyin Li**, (China).

2nd Prize: **Nickolay Shalamov**, (Russia).

3rd Prize: **Aimo Pagin**, (France).

II Edition, 2008:

1st Prize: **Marina Baranova**, (Ukrania-Germany).

2nd Prize: **Scipione Sangiovanni**, (Italy).

3rd Prize: **Yenifert Prado**, (Cuba-Spain).