



Set in one of the most picturesque landscape frames in the world, the Tuscan hills, a natural and unique crossroads of history, art and culture, Villa Rospigliosi, ideally located between Pistoia, Florence and Lucca, a few kilometers from Vinci, the birthplace of Leonardo, is among the historical residences of excellence in Tuscany.

The Villa takes its name from Cardinal Giulio Rospigliosi, Pope Clement IX from 1667 to 1669, who during his brief pontificate commissioned its design to the most renowned architect of the time: Gian Lorenzo Bernini.

However, Pope Clement IX did not have time to live there because he died the same year in which the works began. Nevertheless the project was completed and the Villa was used by the Rospigliosi family as a summer residence until the early twentieth century.

Restored to its former glory by recent restoration works, Villa Rospigliosi hosts the homonymous and prestigious musical competition since 26 years.

# **AFFILIATED HOTELS**

To get the discount on the reservation, identify yourself as competitor.

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Associazione Cultura e Musica Giulio Rospigliosi in collaboration with Comune di Lamporecchio

# 26° International Chamber Music Giulio Rospigliosi

**27 - 28 May, 2020**No later than May 10 - 2020

# VILLA ROSPIGLIOSI Lamporecchio (PT) Toscana

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# **REGULATIONS**

- Art. 1 The competition is open to young musicians of any nationality.
- Art. 2 The aim of the competition is that of promoting musical culture, encourage young people to study music.
- Art. 3 The Chamber Music International Competition will take place between 27 28 May 2020 at Villa Rospigliosi in Lamporecchio (Pistoia-Tuscany).
- Art. 4 The exhibitions will be open to the public and will be divided into the following categories. The competition is aimed at any instrumental and/or vocal groups, including piano duets. Contestants are free to enter one *repertoire*, provided they comply with the maximum time-limits:

| Cat. A | born after 2006       | 10 minutes |
|--------|-----------------------|------------|
| Cat. B | born after 2003       | 15 minutes |
| Cat. C | born after 2001       | 20 minutes |
| Cat. D | from 20 years upwards |            |
|        | without any age limit | 30 minutes |

- Art. 5 The category will be determined by the average age of the components in a given group.
- Art. 6

  All contestants can register for higher categories if they believe they are sufficiently well prepared. The absolute winners may not participate in the same category in which they have already won. When citing the competition in their curriculum, winners are required to specify correctly the prize they have won as well as the name of the Rospigliosi Competition.
- Art. 7 The organization will provide only a piano; the candidates must come with their own music stand and all the instruments and/or accessories they need for their performance.
- Art. 8 Transcriptions from solo concerts will not be accepted under any circumstances.
- Art. 9 The contestants will perform listened to in alphabetical order, starting from the letter that is extracted by the artistic committee of the competition.
- Art. 10 Upon arrival, the contestants must present:
  1) a form of identification to the competition secretary's office
  2) two copies of the pieces they plan to play to the jury
- Art. 11 It is not obligatory to perform from memory.
- Art. 12 The organization reserves the right to modify this announcement and to abolish a category if the number of contestants is deemed to be insufficient. Only in this case, the registration fee will be refunded. Furthermore, the organization will not assume any liability for risks or damages of any nature that might be incurred by the contestants throughout the performance.

- **Art. 13** The results will be announced at the end of the auditions of each category.
- Art. 14 Any recordings, radio or television broadcasts of the performances will not entitle the performers to any compensation.
- Art. 15 The costs of board and lodging will be at the expense of the individual contestants.
- Art. 16 The detailed calendar of the Competition, with the time schedule of the individual performances, will be published on the web site and sent in good time by e-mail to the contestants; as the organization of the competition does not assume any liability for potential misunderstandings, it invites the candidates to enquire starting from 19 May 2020 (in the absence of any notification), by calling the numbers: +39 347-1305764 or +39 335-5439579, or by checking the competition web site: www.acmrospigliosi.it e-mail: info@acmrospigliosi.it
- Art. 17 Within the meaning of Regulation EU 679/2016 ("GDPR") on the protection of personal data, the Cultural and Musical Association "G. Rospigliosi" has adapted its systems and procedures to the new legislation.
- Art. 18 By registering for the competition, you unconditionally accept the rules established by this announcement. For any disputes, the place of jurisdiction is the court of Pistoia.

# **JURY**

Art. 19

- The Jury will be made up of lecturers at the academy of music (Conservatorio) and by prominent persons in the world of music. Members of the Jury are not permitted to present their own students. The following Maestros have given their availability:
  - -Christa Bützberger Swiss/Italy (Chairman) pianist, renowned chamber musician
  - -Dorotea Albrecht Germany cellist, lecturer at the Conservatory of Heidelberg.
  - -Riccardo Berutti Italy saxophonist, winner of the 1st Prize at the international chamber music competition "Rospigliosi" 2019.
  - -Michael Guttman Belgium violinist, conductor.
  - -Mario Montore Italy pianist, member of the Avos Piano Quartet, professor of chamber music at the Conservatory "Orazio Vecchi" of Modena.
  - -Pavel Ionescu Romania bassoon, manager of the "M. Jora" Philharmonic of Bacau
- Art. 20 The Jury may interrupt the participants or listen to them again if it deems this to be necessary.
- Art. 21 The decisions of the jury, which reserves the right not to award the prizes envisaged, will be final.
- Art. 22 The organizing committee reserves the right to set up subcommittees for the various sections, and to integrate them with other jury members in the absence of the Maestros listed.

# **PRIZES**

Art. 23 The prizes will be handed to the second, third and fourth runners-up at the end of each category, unless the persons concerned request to receive their prize during the Award Ceremony Evening on 28 May 2020 together with the first prize winners of each category. On the same date, the absolute winners of the various categories will have to participate in the Final Concert, failing which they will lose their prize.

For the contestants of all the sections and categories

#### To the first prize winners

(score no lower than 95/100) trophy and diploma for 1st prize.

#### To the second prize winners

(score between 94/100 and 90/100) medal and diploma for 2nd prize.

## To the third prize winners

(score between 89/100 and 85/100) medal and diploma for 3rd prize.

## To the fourth prize winners

(score between 84/100 and 80/100) medal and diploma for 4th prize.

All contestants who are not awarded a prize will receive a diploma of participation.

In addition to the Diploma for the Absolute First Prize, the absolute winners of the various categories will receive the following Prizes (*The scholarships awarded refer to the music group*):

Cat. A Scholarship worth  $\in 200,00$  Cat. B Scholarship worth  $\in 350,00$  Cat. C Scholarship worth  $\in 400,00$  Cat. D Scholarship worth  $\in 1.500,00^*$  \*The winning formation will receive  $\in 1000.00$  of prize by bank transfer and  $\in 500.00$  as reimbursement of expenses for a concert by the Rospieliosi Association

Art. 24 For the award ceremony concerts, arrangements will be made individually with associations that offer the chance to perform during their concert seasons or at individual concerts.

### Five prize concerts (for each member of the group) offered to Cat. D by:

- Associazione "Rospigliosi", Lamporecchio
- Associazione Amici dell'Opera, Pistoia
- Associazione Musicale "Orfeo Stillo", Paola (CS)
- San Giacomo Festival, Bologna
- Associazione Ars Et labor di Perugia

Other concerts for important Associations are currently being defined

- One concert offered by the Teatro S. Antonio di Marina, Pietrasanta (Cat. C)

# **SPECIAL PRIZES**

- -The chance for one or more members of the winning group to be a member of the jury at the next edition of the competition (Cat. D)
- -Award Avos Chamber Music Project of € 1000.00 to be spent within the activities of the Associazione Avos Ensemble
- -During the award ceremony and the concert of all the winners, the **Audience's Choice prize will also be awarded.**
- -Two copies of the book "IL VIOLINISTA", BY Antonio Bonacchi - published by CURCI

#### Art. 25 Prize for teachers

The teachers of the first prize winners will be awarded an Honorary Diploma.

## REGISTRATION

Art. 26

The contestants must fill in the registration sheet online on the web site www.acmrospigliosi.it by **10 May 2020** and attach proof of payment.

Duo (cat. A, B)  $\in$  55.00 per person Trio, Quartet (cat. A, B)  $\in$  45.00 per person From Quintets upwards (cat. A, B)  $\in$  35.00 per person (up to a maximum of  $\in$  230.00)

Duo (cat. C, D) $\in$  60.00 per personTrio, Quartet (cat. C, D) $\in$  50.00 per personFrom Quintets upwards (cat. C, D) $\in$  45.00 per person

D)  $\notin$  45.00 per person (up to a maximum of  $\notin$  295.00)

The payment can be made to:

Associazione Cultura e Musica "Giulio Rospigliosi" IBAN - IT20 S030 6970 4020 0000 0001 171

Swift: BCITITMM

Bank name: Banca Intesa San Paolo - Agenzia di Lamporecchio

22 - 24 maggio 2020 26° Concorso chitarristico nazionale "Giulio Rospigliosi"

21 - 24 maggio 2020 27° Concorso Pianistico Internazionale "Premio Schumann"

21 - 24 maggio 2020 27° Concorso Pianistico Nazionale a categorie