

Dedicated to the 200th anniversary of the great choreographer Marius Petipa

The VII International Yury Grigorovich Competition
«Young Ballet of the World»
Sochi
June 16-24, 2018

Competition Rules

1. Application procedure

1.1. The Ballet Dancers Competition shall be held in two age Groups: Junior (boys and girls) and Senior (male and female). Young artists who are younger than 19 at the moment of the Competition will have the right to join the Junior Group of the Competition. Male and female dancers, who are older than 19 and younger than 27 at the moment of the Competition will have the right to join the Senior Group of the Competition.

1.2. The Competition shall be held in the period from June 16-24, 2018 in the resort town of Sochi, on the stage of the Winter Theatre.

1.3. The applicant should send the following documents by registered mail, express mail or by E-mail ifbc@mail.ru and to the address of the Competition Board. Application deadline is April 30, 2018:

- a) Application form ([download junior form](#), [download senior form](#));
- b) Passport (X-copy);
- c) Choreographic Education Certificate (X-copy);
- d) Brief Curriculum Vitae;
- e) Program for each Round stating the name of the work, composer and choreographer (as per attached program list);
- f) One face photo, two artistic photos, one featuring in a ballet part. It is desirable if photos are sent by e-mail;

1.4. Registration fee shall be paid as follows: RUR 2000.00 -for the Junior Group contestants; and RUR 3000.00 - for the Senior Group contestants. Registration fee shall be paid by contestants upon their arrival at the Competition in Sochi during the Registration Procedure and is to be paid in rubles.

1.5. Address of the Competition Committee:

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1.6. Not more than 60 performers in both age groups will be chosen to compete.

1.7. In case an applicant refuses to participate, his\her documents and application fee shall not be returned.

1.8. Applicants will be informed that they are admitted to the Competition not later than May15, 2018.

1.9. Upon receiving the formal confirmation of enrollment Contestants shall apply for their visas themselves and will present Letter of Invitation to the Russian Consulate.

2. Competition Procedure

2.1. The Competition will be held in three Rounds, the Third Round is the Final.

2.2. The order of performances will be determined by the Drawing of Lots and remain the same till the end of the Competition. In Duets the order of performances will be under the number of the female partner.

2.3. A contestant can change his/her program before the beginning of the Registration. After the Registration and the Drawing of Lots the changes in the program can be allowed only in exceptional cases and with a special permission of the Jury.

2.4. Performance of each participant will be estimated individually notwithstanding the fact if he\she performs in a duet or solo. Participants performing in duets will have the right to perform with partners who do not participate in the Competition.

2.5. If a contestant performing in duet is not accepted to the next Round, he/ she shall stay till the end of the competition at the expense of the Competition Board and perform free of charge with his/her partner in the next Round(s), the Closing Ceremony (Gala-concert) and two concerts of laureates.

2.6. Competitor shall have the right to perform with music recording or with piano

accompaniment. In case of necessity the Competition Board will provide the contestant with piano accompaniment free of charge.

2.7. Competitors performing with pianist shall bring all the music scores of his/her repertory to the Competition.

2.8. Competitor shall have the right to use audio-recordings on mini-CD as accompaniment, which should be submitted to the Competition Board upon arrival at the Competition. The name of competitor, the title of the piece and the Round number should be clearly and duly stated. Participants must submit recordings for each item separately.

2.9. The Jury Panel has the right:

- a) Not to award all the prizes;
- b) To divide the prizes between competitors (except for the Grand Prix);
- c) To award a title of a Diploma Holder to the participants of the Final Round but who are not awarded prizes.
- d) To award Special prizes to contestants.

The decision of the Jury is final and shall not be subject to changes.

2.10. All laureates and Diploma Winners, and also their partners and pianists shall be obliged to take part free of charge in the Closing Ceremony (Gala-concert) and two concerts of laureates and shall perform the program approved by Jury Panel and Competition Board. In default from performances in the specified concerts, the award is not paid.

2.11. Laureates are obliged to perform in ballet performances and concerts in Russia and abroad upon receiving an offer and on the conditions offered by Competition Board within 2018-2019.

2.12. The Competition Board reserves all the rights to broadcast all the Rounds, and also the Closing Ceremony (including Gala- concert) and two concerts of the winners and Diploma-Holders of the Competition on TV, film, to record on video-carriers and their further distribution without payment of the fee to participants of the Competition, their partners and pianists. The Competition Board possesses the exclusive right on signing contracts with other parties on realization of the named materials of the Competition.

Video or film- recordings arranged by all persons without exception is possible to realize upon getting a special permission from the Competition Board.

3. Financial Conditions

3.1. Contestants and their partners shall arrive at the Competition according to the dates specified by the Competition Board in the Letter of invitation. Contestants can arrive before the specified dates to prepare for the Competition if they wish. In this case, they will be considered responsible to pay for their staying up to the specified date of arrival set by the Competition Board themselves.

3.2. The Competition Board shall pay for staying (hotel accommodation and meals) of the contestants and their partners only for the period of their official participation in the Competition: from the date of their arrival in Sochi but not earlier than the specified date, and for not more than one day after the end of the Round in which the contestant took part.

3.3. Participants who arrived at the Competition and refused to perform, and also participants of the Senior Group who have not been admitted to the Second and Third Rounds, and their partners, can stay up to the end of Competition at their own expense.

3.4. In the event of preliminary request the Competition Board shall assist persons accompanying the contestant in visa arrangement, hotel reservation and booking tickets for Competition Rounds.

3.5. The Competition Board shall not provide Contestants and their partners, also their accompanying persons, with insurance.

3.6. The Competition Board shall not provide contestants with musical material, scenic costumes, make-up and footwear.

3.7. The Competition Board will provide contestants with classes to rehearse and one stage rehearsal before each Round at the place where the Competition will be held.

3.8. Application forms signed by applicants wishing to take part in the Competition, shall certify that the future contestant fully and completely accepts the present conditions.

Prizes and Awards.

Competition Board of the VI Yury Grigorovich International Competition “Young Ballet of the World” shall announce the following awards:

Grand Prix – RUR 270'000.00 (shall be awarded in the Senior Group only).

Junior Group.

Girls:

- I Prize – RUR 70000, Gold Medal and title of laureate.
- II Prize – RUR 45000, Silver Medal and title of laureate.
- III Prize – RUR 30000, Bronze Medal and title of laureate.
- 3 Diplomas– RUR 15000 each and title of Diploma Holder

Boys:

- I Prize – RUR 70000, Gold Medal and title of laureate.
- II Prize – RUR 45000, Silver Medal and title of laureate.
- III Prize – RUR 30000, Bronze Medal and title of laureate.
- 3 Diplomas– RUR 15000 each and title of Diploma Holder

Senior Group.

Female:

- I Prize – RUR 140'000, Gold Medal and title of laureate.
- II Prize – RUR 100'000, Silver Medal and title of laureate.
- III Prize – RUR 60'000, Bronze Medal and title of laureate.
- 3 Diplomas– RUR 30'000 each and title of Diploma Holder

Male:

- I Prize – RUR 140'000, Gold Medal and title of laureate.
- II Prize – RUR 100'000, Silver Medal and title of laureate.
- III Prize – RUR 60'000, Bronze Medal and title of laureate.
- 3 Diplomas– RUR 30'000 each and title of Diploma Holder

Special Prizes and Awards.

Prize to be awarded to the teacher «For Successful Preparatory work with Contestants» in Junior Group – RUR 45'000 and a Diploma.

Prize to be awarded to the teacher «For Successful Preparatory work with Contestants» in Senior Group - RUR 45'000 and a Diploma.

Award «Best Partner» in Junior Group – RUR 30'000.

Award «Best Partner» in Senior Group - RUR 30'000.

Three Awards "For the Best Contemporary Choreography - for pieces which are specially choreographed for this competition – 45.000 rub. each.

Prize and diploma of the International federation of the ballet competitions "For the Best performance of Maruis Petipa's choreography"

Prize by « Ballet » Magazine «For the best performance of a character dance»

State and public organizations, and private persons upon agreement with Competition Board can found other special prizes and awards.

Money Prizes for laureates and Diploma holders of the Yury Grigorovich International Competition «World Young Ballet» shall be paid in rubles according to the exchange rate of the Central Bank of Russia fixed on the date of payment withholding of taxes in accordance with the current Legislation of the Russian Federation