

Jeunesses Musicales Conducting Masterclass

with Christian Ehwald and Sigmund Thorp

August 17 - 20, 2020 in Bucharest, Romania

with the Royal Camerata Orchestra

STATUTE

1. GENERAL OBSERVATIONS

- 1.1. The Jeunesses Musicales Conducting Masterclass in Bucharest is opened to conductors of all ages and all nationalities.
- 1.2. All participants are expected to have thoroughly studied the repertoire before the beginning of the course.
- 1.3. The Masterclass will take place in **August 17 – 20, 2020** in Bucharest, at the **National University of Music**, Știrbei Vodă Street, no 33.
- 1.4. The classes will be held by professors **Sigmund Thorp** and **Christian Ehwald**.
- 1.5. The official orchestra of the Masterclass is the **Royal Camerata**.
- 1.6. The official pianists of the Masterclass are **Verona Maier** and **Raluca Ouatu**.

2. PARTICIPANTS

- 2.1. **Active participants** are those participants who repeat with 2 pianos and the orchestra.
- 2.2. **Passive participants** do not rehearse, but participate as spectators.
- 2.3. Participants will be chosen by professors Christian Ehwald and Sigmund Thorp based on their application documents.
- 2.4. **Maximum 15 active participants** will be accepted.

- 2.5. The number of passive participants is unlimited.
- 2.6. Courses will be held in English.
- 2.7. Each participant will receive a certificate signed by Christian Ehwald and Sigmund Thorp.

3. CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION

3.1. Only applications submitted using the online application form found on the www.bucharestcompetition.ro/masterclass website will be accepted.

3.2. The applications must contain the following documents:

- Application form in English which can be found on www.bucharestcompetition.ro/masterclass
- A biography in English, between 250 and 600 words
- Scanned copy of passport or national identity papers
- Video material, 10 - 15 minutes long. Links to online platforms such as YouTube and links to transfer platforms (such as WeTransfer) will be accepted. The candidate must be visible from the front and the sound must be of good quality. The candidate must be visible throughout the entire video.

3.3. Applications must be sent by **May 31, 2020, 23:59 CET**

3.4. If the candidate does not receive an e-mail from the organization in 3 business days accepting the application then they should contact the organization at masterclass@bucharestcompetition.ro or +40748 100 279.

3.5. The participants chosen by the professors will be contacted by e-mail by **June 5, 2020**

3.6. The participants must pay their registration fee by **July 17, 2020**.

3.7. The participation fees are:

- Active participants: 1.200 €
- Auditors: 250 €

3.8. **For the active participants who will send their applications by April 5, 2020 the registration fee will be 1.000 €**

3.9. The participation fee must be paid in the following account:

Beneficiary: ELITE ART Club UNESCO
IBAN Euro: RO92BACX0000000586870001
Swift code: BACXROBUXXX
Bank name: UNICREDIT TIRIAC SUCURSALA UNIRII
Bank address: Piața Unirii nr. 1, magazin Unirea - Corp central, tronson A+B, parter, sector 3

- 3.10. Please include your full name in the transfer reference and the mention “masterclass fee”.
- 3.11. The participation fee is non-refundable.
- 3.12. All expenses relating to accommodation, meals and transport lie entirely on the participants.
- 3.13. Participants must bring the scores of the works commissioned for the Masterclass.
- 3.14. For additional information regarding the Jeunesses Musicales Conducting Masterclass please contact **+40 748 100 279** or masterclass@bucharestcompetition.ro.

4. PROGRAM:

- 4.1. The classes will be held on August 17, 18, 19 and 20.
- 4.2. Throughout the orchestra classes of the Masterclass the participants will be filmed.
- 4.3. On the 20th there will be a special session during which the video material will be discussed with both professors.
- 4.4. The participants will receive the programme and all relevant details by email.
- 4.5. Each candidate will conduct the orchestra for 75 minutes.
- 4.6. Each candidate will conduct the pianos for 60 minutes.

4.7. Rehearsals with 2 pianos

August 17 - 19

10:00 – 13:00 (10.00 AM – 1.00 PM) and 15:00 – 18:00 (3.00 PM – 6.00 PM)

Each of the 15 active participants will rehearse for 20 minutes a day with 2 pianos. Each participant will conduct 2 works of their choice from the repertoire list.

The other participants may assist during rehearsals.

4.8. Rehearsals with the Royal Camerata

August 17 - 19

10:00 – 13:00 (10.00 AM – 1.00 PM) and 15:00 – 18:00 (3.00 PM – 6.00 PM)

August 20

10.00 – 14.00 (10.00 AM – 2.00 PM)

Each of the 15 active participants will rehearse for 20 minutes a day with the orchestra (15 minutes on August 20th). Each participant will conduct 2 works of their choice from the repertoire list.

The other participants may assist during rehearsals.

5. REPERTOIRE

5.1. Rehearsals with 2 pianos

- Franz von Suppé: Leichte Kavallerie Overture
- Ludwig van Beethoven: Symphony no 7, 2nd and 3rd movements
- Igor Stravinsky: Dumbarton Oaks, 1st movement

5.2. Rehearsals with the Royal Camerata

- Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart: Symphony no 41 Jupiter – 4th movement
- Ludwig van Beethoven: Symphony no 7, 2nd and 3rd movements
- Ludwig van Beethoven: Egmont Overture

6. SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ROMANIAN CONDUCTORS

6.1. Jeunesses Musicales Romania is offering 4 scholarships for Romanian conductors. The scholarships are reserved for active participants.

6.2. The winners of the scholarships will be determined by the 2 professors based on their applications.

6.3. The application must contain the following documents:

- **Application form in English which can be found on the website www.bucharestcompetition.ro/masterclass**
- **A biography in English, between 250 and 600 words**
- **Scanned copy of passport or national identity papers**
- **Video material, 10 - 15 minutes long. Links to online platforms such as YouTube and links to transfer platforms (such as WeTransfer) will be accepted. The candidate must be visible from the front and the sound must be of good quality. The candidate must be visible throughout the entire video.**
- **A letter of intent of minimum 450 words. The letter must contain information regarding the reason why the candidate is applying for the scholarship and the relevance of the masterclass for the candidate's professional development.**

6.4. Applications must be sent by **May 31, 2020, 23:59 CET.**

6.5 The participants chosen by the professors will be contacted by e-mail by **June 5, 2020.**

6.6 The participation fees for active participants who have received the scholarships is **250€.**

6.6 The participants must pay their registration fee by **July 17, 2020.**

6.7 The participation fee must be paid in the following account:

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6.8 For any information regarding the Jeunesses Musicales Conducting Masterclass, please contact the organizers at masterclass@bucharestcompetition.ro or +40 748 100 279.

7. OTHER PROVISIONS

7.1 In all matters not covered by the competence of the professors, the project manager reserves the right to make decisions that are irrevocable.

7.2 All disputes relating to provisions in the Statute will be resolved based on the text in Romanian.

7.3 All issues not addressed by these regulations will be covered by Romanian legislation.

7.4 Applying to enter the masterclass implies acceptance of all the above mentioned rules.

7.5 Elite Art Club UNESCO's privacy policy is in compliance with GDPR regulations. We collect from you the following data: name, email address, phone number and ID information. You directly provide us with all the data we collect when you send the application form.

7.6 We do not collect any information when you use our website and we do not have any cookies.

7.7 We do not receive any data indirectly.

7.8 We do not have any partner companies with which we share your personal data.

7.9 We collect data solely for the purpose of the masterclass: selecting participants and organizing courses.

7.10 We securely store your data on our server and we will keep it for a period of 5 years. Once this time period has expired we will delete your data.

7.11 We may send you information about our competition or masterclass and if you no longer wish to be contacted by us after having participated in the masterclass, you can unsubscribe at any time. If you have any questions about your personal data please allow for 2 months for a response.