

The International Music Federation ONLUS

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and the 6th FESTIVAL ONDE MUSICALE LAGO DI ISEO

organizes

2ND INTERNATIONAL OPERA SINGING COMPETITION

"FRANCO GHITTI TENOR"

Final Round SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2023

Awards Concert SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023

WEBSITE

www.concorsofrancoghitti.com

CONTACTS and ENROLLMENTS

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RULES

1. Under the patronage and contribution of the Municipality of Pisogne, Brawo S.p.a. and the 6th Festival Musicale Onde Musicali del Lago di Iseo, the F.m.i. Onlus is organizing the **2nd edition of the International Opera Singing Competition "Franco Ghitti Tenor" to be held in Pisogne on June 3-4, 2023.**

Participation in the competition is open to all singers from 16 to 35 years of age.

2. All contestants when applying for the competition are required to indicate in the application:

- No. 1 opera aria **in the Pre-Selection**
- No. 2 opera arias **in the Final Round of free choice**, in the original language and tonality and from memory.

3. Pre-Selection (online)

Participation is conditional on passing a Pre-Selection based on the submission of a video of 1 opera aria of one's choice. The video will be judged by special committee appointed for the Pre-Selection and chaired by the President of the International Music Federation Onlus.

4. Final Round

Candidates who have passed the Pre-Selection will be admitted to the Final Round on June 3 and will perform, in attendance, before the specially appointed commission for the Final Round. When drawing up the calendars, the organizing committee reserves the right to distribute the Finalists over 2 days and, in this case, to add the day of June 4, 2023.

5. Awards Concert

The Awards Concert, in attendance, will be attended by all singers who are admitted by the Jury. It will be held at Damioli Municipal Park Amphitheater, Via Filippo Turati, Pisogne. **The Concert, with free and free admission, is part of the 6th edition of the FESTIVAL "ONDE MUSICALI" at 9 p.m.** Failure to attend the Awards Concert for any reason will result in exclusion from the competition and revocation of the prizes acquired.

6. Application Form

The Pre-Selection application form, accompanied by the payment of **29 €**, must be sent by **May 24, 2023** by e-mail to: **iscrizioni@concorsofrancoghitti.com**

In the application form it is necessary to indicate the Youtube address of the video (uploaded in unlisted mode or in public mode). It is possible to use videos already recorded for other events as long as they are from September 1, 2022

7. Finalists

Those eligible for the Final Stage, in order to confirm their position as Finalist, **must send a second payment of 69 € within 5 days** from the date of communication from the organization. Confirmed the registration, **candidates will receive a Finalist Diploma that will be sent by e-mail in any case**, before the Final in attendance.

8. Method of sending the payment

a) BANK TRANSFER.

DEPOSIT: **F.M.I. ONLUS (Via C. Perini 18, 20157 Milan)**
IBAN: **IT47T0623001657000043823440**
BIC: **CRPPIT2P257 (code for transfers from abroad)**
BANK: **CREDIT AGRICOLE (Via Giuseppe Mussi 4, 20154 Milan)**
REASON: **NAME AND SURNAME + liberal contribution institutional activities f.m.i. 2023**
(example: SAMANTA ARDUINI + liberal contribution institutional activities f.m.i. 2023)

(b) PAYPAL

Payment by PAYPAL is allowed only at this address: segreteria.federazionemusicale@gmail.com with a **surcharge of + €5** to be added to the fee provided.

9. Piano accompanist of the competition

The organization provides an accompanying maestro Maestro Samuele Pala for the in-person rehearsal. Contestants who wish to bring their own pianist may do so at their own expense.

10. Program of the Final.

In the Final stage, the Committee will choose 1 aria from the 2 arias submitted by the candidate and may possibly ask for the second aria in the program. An opportunity is given to the candidates to be able to resubmit the aria presented in the Online Pre-Selection.

11. Jury

The artistic director is by right the chairman of the committee, with the understanding that he/she may delegate the chairmanship from year to year. The jury's judgment is final and unappealable. The Jury may interrupt the rehearsal at any time, may have the rehearsal partially sustained, and may call alternate rehearsals. The jury for the Final round will be posted on www.concorsofrancoghitti.com

12. Any television, radio or photographic use of the performances (making of CDs or DVDs) will not result in any rights or compensation to the candidates.

13. The organization may make variations to these regulations and has the right to cancel the competition as well as to not award one or more prizes in case of inadequate artistic level. Cash prizes are gross of statutory withholdings.

14. The sending of the liberal contribution and in any case the mere participation in the competition is equivalent to the signing of acceptance of the regulations in all their parts; in case of dispute the regulations in Italian shall prevail. The Court of Brescia is competent for any dispute.

CALENDAR

Pre-Selection: Deadline for entries May 24, 2023

No. 1 opera aria of the candidate's choice

Final Round: Saturday, June 3, 2023 (and in case June 4, 2023)

No. 1 opera aria of the jury's choice from No. 2 opera arias submitted by the candidate.

Concert: Sunday, June 4, 2023 at 9 p.m.

Opera arias of the jury's choice.

PLACES

Final Round: De Lisi Cultural Hall, Via Cavour 1, Pisogne (Bs) - 10' walk from Pisogne Station.

Awards Concert: Damioli Municipal Park Amphitheater, Via Filippo Turati, Pisogne.

AWARDS

A total of **€4,300.00 (four thousand three hundred/00 euros)** in cash prizes will be awarded as follows:

1st Prize - €1,800.00 (one thousand eight hundred/00 euros)

2nd Prize - 1,200.00 € (one thousand two hundred/00 euros)

3rd Prize - 700.00 € (seven hundred/00 euro)

4th Prize - 300.00 € (three hundred/00 euros)

Scholarship - of €300.00 (three hundred/00 euros) in cash. Three singers will be chosen for the Lyrical

Concert of the Franco Ghitti International Competition in Lovere (Bs) on August 4, 2023. Participating

singers will receive a Special Prize Diploma and each will be awarded a €100.00 scholarship.

Youth Prizes - up to 23 years of age: diploma of honor of 1st,2nd,3rd prize.

All prize money will be sent by bank transfer at the end of the competition.

- No tied prizes will be awarded (NO EX-AEQUO).
- Additional Finalists invited by the jury to sing at the Awards Concert will receive a Special Award

Diploma.

- All non-awarded finalists will receive a Finalist Diploma which will be sent via e-mail.

ORGANIZATION

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