

2012 International Violin Competition of Mirecourt

RULES of the COMPETITION

1. The Mirecourt International Violin Competition organized by the JMF de Mirecourt and Ville de Mirecourt will take place from Tuesday the 20th of November to Friday the 25th of November 2012 in Mirecourt.
2. The competition is open to violinists from all nationalities born after the 20th of November 1986.
3. The competition is composed of a pre-selection on documents, 2 eliminatory rounds (first round and semi-final) and a final round. The number of candidates will be limited to a maximum of 35.
4. All of the competition's rounds are public.
5. The organizers and the jury will draw lots for the order of appearance.
6. The program attached to the registration form will be confirmed on the 1st of September 2012 at the latest.
7. A pianist will be at the candidates' disposal for accompaniment. Only one rehearsal will be organized before the Semi-final. Some of the candidates may appeal to a pianist on their own choice. The cost will be then at charge.
8. The final round will be preceded by a rehearsal with the Orchestre Symphonique et Lyrique de Nancy on Saturday the 24th of November in Nancy. The cost will be at the organizers' charge.
9. Performances have to be executed from memory except for the sonatas and the contemporary piece. Each piece can be played only during one round.
10. The Competition may be partly or entirely recorded, broadcasted on radio or TV channels, live or pre-recorded. These eventual broadcastings can't be the subject of any sort of payment.
11. The Jury will be composed of internationally renowned musicians: Roland Daugareil (France), Chairman, assisted by Christian Altenburger (Austria), Marianne Piketty (France), Marco Rizzi (Italy) and Kyoko Takezawa (Japan).
12. The decisions of the jury are final and cannot be disputed. The jury isn't obliged to award all of the prizes. Only the jury has the freedom to give Special Prizes to candidates having participated to the semi-final round and not admitted to the final round. The jury allows itself to stop the performance of any candidate.
13. Travel and lodging expenses are at the candidate's charge. Upon request, candidates may be accommodated free of charge in guest families.
14. Competitors must send their registration form duly completed before the 30th of June 2012 to: Jean Paul HOUVION - 5 rue de l'Erimont - 88230 FRAIZE – France
Each registration must include:
 - The registration form duly completed;
 - A curriculum vitae and two photos;
 - A copy of identity card (ID) or passport;
 - An envelope labeled with the address of the candidate;
 - A cheque of 90 Euros at the order of JMF MIRECOURT or a certificate of credit transfer on the account below:
Beneficiary : Les Jeunesses Musicales **Domiciliation** : Mirecourt
Bank : 13259
Wicket : 02112
Account : 20796000200
Key : 01
IBAN : FR76 1325 9021 1220 7960 0020 001

BIC : KOLBFR21

SWIFT : NORDFRPP

15. The registration form will be examined by the competition direction board. No Incomplete files will not be taken into account. The registration fees will be reimbursed to the candidates who are not selected.
16. Any candidate, by signing his/her registration form, agrees with all of the rules terms. He/she undertakes himself / herself to fulfill the commitments planned as titular of the awards obtained.
17. Public Master Classes from Roland Daugareil, Christian Altenburger, Marianne Piketty, Marco Rizzi and Kyoko Takezawa will be proposed to the candidates.