

Rehearsal rooms

Rehearsal rooms for the use of all participants will be available at the venue of the competition. Participants will receive detailed information on their schedule and allocation of rehearsal rooms at the time of registration on site.

Safety and COVID-19

In the best interest of all parties concerned and following a strict prevention concept Haydnregion Niederösterreich makes great efforts to create a safe and secure environment for all participants, the committee and the organizational team involved in the event. Thus, also participants are asked to act responsibly and thoughtfully in all social interactions.

Piano accompaniment

Participants can decide to be either coached by their own accompanists at their own expense or to be accompanied by a member of our team of pianists. Doing so, participants have the opportunity of a free short joint rehearsal with a member of this team on the day of competition. The time and venue of this rehearsal will be announced at the registration on site.

Getting there and away

Information about travel and accommodation options are available on the website www.haydncompetition.com. Arrangements and costs of journey as well as accommodation are the participants' own responsibility.



Online application

Application is possible in digital form only via the website www.haydncompetition.com from December 14, 2020 until April 12, 2021.

Candidates must submit the following

- scan of the completed and signed registration document
- artistic CV
- copy of birth certificate
- two photos in high resolution (300 dpi)
- competition repertoire list
- max. three current live recordings via weblink

Application and preselection

The preselection for participation will be done by the head of jury based on the submitted documents. A notification of participation will be sent via e-mail by April 23, 2021.

Final Registration Date: April 12, 2021

Registration Fee: € 50, non-refundable

Bank Account: Land Niederösterreich – Haydn Geburtshaus
IBAN: AT16 1400 0247 1070 8360
BIC: BAWAATWW

Reference: Haydn Competition 2021

Final Date for arrival of fee: April 15, 2021

Competition Office

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Head of Jury, KS Angelika Kirchsclager

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May 21–23, 2021, Rohrau (Austria)

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In May 2021 HAYDNREGION NIEDERÖSTERREICH invites young artists to join the **International Haydn Competition for Classical Lied and Aria** for the third time already. The competition is aimed at young singers worldwide with particular talents and training in the areas of Lied and opera and focuses on the era of Wiener Klassik (Vienna Classical era). The announcement of the competition will be published worldwide at music academies and conservatories.

For three days, the state of Lower Austria is turning the focus on Haydn's house of birth as well as Rohrau Castle with the International Haydn Competition for Classical Lied and Aria as a significant pillar of the activities of Haydnregion.



The promising young talents of today – tomorrow's opera and Lied singers – will converge on the birthplace of Joseph and Michael Haydn and will present themselves to an expert jury at this internationally unique

competition with the focus on the repertoire of the Wiener Klassik.

*I wish all participants the best of luck.
May the best ones win!*

Johanna Mikl-Leitner, Governor of Lower Austria

Jury

KS Angelika Kirchschrager, Head of Jury
Samantha Farber, Sonoartists/Vienna – Managing Director
Prof. Dr. Michael Lakner, Bühne Baden – Director
Dr. Michael Linsbauer, Haydnregion Niederösterreich – Artistic Director
Susanne Schmidt, Bregenser Festspiele – Opera Director
Prof. Charles Spencer, Pianist and Lied Expert
Daniela Spring, Orfeo Artist Management/Köln – Managing Director
Dominique Verkinderen, Collegium Vocale Gent – Casting Director

Prizes

1 st Prize (sponsored by the State of Lower Austria)	€ 8.000,-
2 nd Prize (sponsored by „Haydnregion Niederösterreich“)	€ 4.000,-
3 rd Prize (sponsored by the community of Rohrau)	€ 2.000,-
Prize for the Best Lied Interpretation sponsored by Niederösterreichische Versicherung	€ 1.500,-
Prize for the Best Aria Interpretation sponsored by „Römerland Carnuntum“	€ 1.500,-
Audience Prize sponsored by Alfred Dorfer	€ 2.000,-



Schloss Rohrau

Age Limit

The competition is open to female singers born after January 1st, 1988 and male singers born after January 1st, 1986.

Period and Sequence

1 st Round, Schloss Rohrau	May 21, 2021, 10 am
2 nd Round, Schloss Rohrau	May 22, 2021, 11 am
Public Final Round, Haydn Geburtshaus Rohrau	May 23, 2021, 6 pm

Repertoire

At least seven Lieder and at least five arias must be prepared for the competition.

The selection of repertory lies within the responsibility of the participant. The pieces are to be performed by heart and in the original language. Participants must submit a binding repertoire list along with their registration. Subsequent changes are not possible.

Sequence of performances of the participants

- The order of the performances in the first round will be established by means of a lottery one week ahead of the competition. Participants will be informed via e-mail.
- The order of performances in the second round will be decided by the jury after consultations and will be announced together with the results of the first round at a Get Together, or via e-mail.
- The order of performances in the final concert will be defined by the jury and the competition committee. Participants will be informed immediately after the announcement of the finalists.

Venues

Competition and rehearsals

SCHLOSS ROHRAU

Schloss 1 | A-2471 Rohrau
www.schloss-rohrau.at

Final round and award ceremony

HAYDN GEBURTSHAUS ROHRAU

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