CONCURS INTERNACIONAL DE PIANO ONLINE CHOPIN SESSIONS FELANITX 2025



Application deadline: July 15th

Age groups:

I - pianists born 2014 - 2016

II - pianists born 2011 - 2013

III - pianists born 2008 - 2010

IV - no age limit

Information and application:

https://www.musicafelanitx.org/activitats/chopin-sessions/concurs chopinsessions@musicafelanitx.com

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REGULATIONS

Organized and promoted by the Professional Conservatory of Music of Felanitx and sponsored by the Centre Cultural of the City Council of Felanitx, the *Concurs Internacional de Piano Online Chopin Sessions Felanitx 2025* is open to pianists of all nationalities.

The competition will be held online.

Prize winners will be announced on July 31st, 2025.

AGE CATEGORIES

GROUP 1 For pianists born between January 1st 2014 and December 31st 2016
 GROUP 2 For pianists born between January 1st 2011 and December 31st 2013
 GROUP 3 For pianists born between January 1st 2008 and December 31st 2010
 GROUP 4 No age limit

Participants are allowed to take part in a higher age group. It is not allowed to participate in more than one group.

PRIZES

GROUPS 1 & 2

1st Prize Diploma
 2nd Prize Diploma
 3rd Prize Diploma

GROUP 3

1st Prize Diploma & Junior participation at the CHOPIN SESSIONS Masterclass 2026 ¹ 2nd Prize Diploma

3rd Prize Diploma

GROUP 4

1st Prize Diploma & Full participation at the CHOPIN SESSIONS Masterclass 2026 ²

2nd Prize Diploma 3rd Prize Diploma

PROGRAM & RECORDING

A repertoire of free choice. Separate sonata movements are accepted. The repertoire must be played from memory. Total recording time cannot exceed the specified time limit. Recordings shorter than the maximum time limit are acceptable.

It is not necessary to present the competition program recorded as one take. Competitors should provide YouTube links with audiovisual recordings of the best possible audio quality. Recordings made on different occasions and locations can also be used. Each piece performed in the recording must have been recorded in a single shot, without any cuts or editing. The candidate's posture and hands must be clearly visible. **Each musical piece must be uploaded as a separate YouTube link**.

GROUP 1: recording of up to 10 minutes GROUP 2: recording of up to 15 minutes GROUP 3: recording of up to 20 minutes GROUP 4: recording of up to 30 minutes

After the results have been announced, participants may request a comment from the jury on their performance. We cannot however guarantee the comments of every— or a particular member of the jury.

REGISTRATION

The registration period <u>ends on July 15th, 2025</u> (24:00 CEST). The application form is available <u>here</u> or through the website of Professional Conservatory of Music of Felanitx <u>https://www.musicafelanitx.org/activitats/chopin-sessions/concurs</u>

Immediately after registering online please e-mail us a **copy of an ID** of a participant*, **one picture** of a decent quality suitable for publication and **proof of payment** of the application fee in which the name and surname of the participant clearly appear:

chopinsessions@musicafelanitx.com

Application fees will not be refunded under any circumstances.

* If you prefer to send your data in a more secure way, you can email us a password-secured ZIP or PDF file containing your attachments. In that case, you must provide the password in your application form.

MONEY TRANSFER DETAILS:

Recipient: Fundació Felanitx per a la Música i les Arts Escèniques

Recipient's address: Rector Planes, 38

07200 Felanitx (Illes Balears), Espanya

IBAN: ES40 2100 8634 2502 0003 3146

BIC / SWIFT: CAIXESBBXXX

Bank Details: CaixaBank S.A.

Plaça Drassana, 1 07012 Palma

(Illes Balears) España

Transfer Title: Concurs Chopin Sessions 2025 (Participant's full name here)

Application fees:

GROUP 1 : 40€ GROUP 2 : 50€ GROUP 3 : 60€ GROUP 4 : 70€

All bank charges and transfer fees are to be covered solely by the participant. If possible, use SEPA transfer (SHA). In other cases, make sure to choose OUR option.

JURY

Michał Białk (Germany/Poland) - Chairman of the jury

Jacques Rouvier (France/Austria)

Óscar Martín (Spain)

Takashi Kawabata (Japan/Thailand)

Piotr Machnik (Poland) - Artistic Director

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free participation. The requirement to send a recording does not apply.

¹ Junior participation – free active participation in 3 lessons during the Chopin Sessions Masterclass 2026 (1 with each professor). If the next edition of the Chopin Sessions Masterclass cannot take place in 2026 due to the Covid pandemic or any other circumstance, participation will be postponed to the next edition. The laureate should follow the normal registration procedure for the Masterclass before the specified deadline, i.e. fill out the application form and send us an email confirming his/her

Full participation – free active participation in 6 lessons during the Chopin Sessions Masterclass 2026 (2 with each professor). If the next edition of the Chopin Sessions Masterclass cannot take place in 2026 due to the Covid pandemic or any other circumstance, participation will be postponed to the next edition. The laureate should follow the normal registration procedure for the Masterclass before the specified deadline, i.e. fill out the application form and send us an email confirming his/her free participation. The requirement to send a recording does not apply.