



European Union of Music Competitions for Youth  
**EMCY International Music Competitions for Youth**  
**2009 -2010**

**Various or yearly changing categories**

**Adriatic Music Competition (Concorso Musicale dell'Adriatico) (Ancona, ITALY)**

2009 for strings, wind instruments, piano and guitar. Age: -17. For more information please contact the competition directly.  
[www.musicancona.it](http://www.musicancona.it); [concorso@musicancona.it](mailto:concorso@musicancona.it)

**European Competition for Young Soloists (Luxembourg, LUXEMBOURG)**

15 Nov 2009 for bassoon, oboe, horn. 2010 for marimba and strings. Age: -26. Appl. until Oct. [www.ugda.lu](http://www.ugda.lu); [direction@ugda.lu](mailto:direction@ugda.lu)

**Eurovision Young Musicians**

Next competition 2010. Application through national TV stations. [www.ebu.ch](http://www.ebu.ch); [barnea@ebu.ch](mailto:barnea@ebu.ch)

**International Balys Dvarionas Competition for Young Pianists and Violinists (Vilnius, LITHUANIA)**

Next competition 2012. [www.dvarionas.lt/competition](http://www.dvarionas.lt/competition); [dvarionas@gmail.com](mailto:dvarionas@gmail.com)

**International Competition of Classical Music ArsKosova (Pristina, KOSOVO)**

May 2009/2010 for voice, guitar, piano, woodwind and strings. Age: -26. Appl. until April. [www.ars-kosova.com](http://www.ars-kosova.com);  
[arskosova.foundation@gmail.com](mailto:arskosova.foundation@gmail.com)

**International Competition "Ostracized Music" (Schwerin, GERMANY)**

Oct 2010 for piano (solo), piano (4 hands), chamber music (strings, 2-6 musicians), chamber music (wind instruments, 2-6 musicians), duo voice and piano. Age: 15-30 (no professional musicians). Appl. until July 2010. [www.jeunessesmusicales-mv.de](http://www.jeunessesmusicales-mv.de); [jemumv@aol.com](mailto:jemumv@aol.com)

**International Competition "Young Musician" (Tallinn, ESTONIA)**

3-6 April 2009 for piano, violin, violoncello. Age: -10, 11-13. Appl. until 10 Nov 2008. [www.hot.ee/youngmusician](http://www.hot.ee/youngmusician);  
[youngmusician@hotmail.ee](mailto:youngmusician@hotmail.ee)

**International Competition for Young Musicians "Ohrid Pearls" (Ohrid, MACEDONIA)**

16-20 June 2009 for flute, oboe, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, horn, trombone, accordion. Age: -10, -15, -19, -25. Appl. until 30 April 2009. Next competition 2010. [ohridskibiseri@yahoo.com](mailto:ohridskibiseri@yahoo.com)

**International Competition of Young Musicians "Petar Konjovic" (Belgrade, SERBIA)**

4-10 May 2009 for violin, viola, violoncello, double bass, accordion and harp. Next competition 2010. Age: -14, -18, -22.  
<http://www.umbps.org.yu>; [umbps@hotmail.com](mailto:umbps@hotmail.com)

**International Radio Competition for Young Musicians Concertino Praga (Prague, CZECH REPUBLIC)**

Jan 2009 for chamber music (2-5 musicians). Jan 2010 for piano, violin, violoncello and classical guitar. Age: -16. Appl. until Sept via the respective national radio. [www.rozhlas.cz/concertino/english](http://www.rozhlas.cz/concertino/english); [concertino@rozhlas.cz](mailto:concertino@rozhlas.cz) / [tomas.chmelar@rozhlas.cz](mailto:tomas.chmelar@rozhlas.cz)

**International Russian Rotary Children Music Competition (Moscow, RUSSIA)**

March 2009/2010 for violin, violoncello, piano, wind instruments. Age: 8-12. Appl. until Jan. [www.rcmc-moscow.com](http://www.rcmc-moscow.com);  
[moscow@thyssenkrupp.ru](mailto:moscow@thyssenkrupp.ru)

**Leoš Janáček International Competition (Brno, CZECH REPUBLIC)**

7-12 Sept 2009 for voice. Age: -28. Appl. until 29 May 2009. Next competition Sept 2010 for string quartet.  
<http://hf.jamu.cz/english/leos-janacek-international-competition>; [polaskova@jamu.cz](mailto:polaskova@jamu.cz)

**Mravinsky International Competition for Youth (St. Petersburg, RUSSIA)**

2010 for wind instruments. Age: 11-15, 16-21. [www.mravinsky.ru](http://www.mravinsky.ru); [mrav@online.ru](mailto:mrav@online.ru)

**Accordion, Guitar, Organ, Voice, Saxophone**

**Anna Amalia Competition for Young Guitarists (Weimar, GERMANY)**

14-18 April 2009. Age: -13, 14-16, 17-20. Appl. until 31 Jan 2009. [www.gitarreverein-weimar.de](http://www.gitarreverein-weimar.de); [wettbewerb@gitarreverein-weimar.de](mailto:wettbewerb@gitarreverein-weimar.de)

**European Organists Competition for Youth (Ljubljana, SLOVENIA)**

Sept 2010. Age -19, -25. Appl. until April 2010. [www.temsig.com](http://www.temsig.com); [temsig@guest.arnes.si](mailto:temsig@guest.arnes.si)

**International Accordion Competition (Poprad, SLOVAKIA)**

Nov 2009. Solo/ensemble. Age (solo categories): -12, -15, -18, 19+. Appl. until Sept 2009. <http://accordion.zuspoprada.sk>;  
[umeleckaskola@sinet.sk](mailto:umeleckaskola@sinet.sk)

**International Saxophone Competition (Nova Gorica, SLOVENIA)**

27 June-5 July 2009. Age: -16, -20, -26. Appl. until June 2009. [www.kulturnidom-ng.si/eng](http://www.kulturnidom-ng.si/eng); [pr@kulturnidom-ng.si](mailto:pr@kulturnidom-ng.si)

## Chamber Music

**Charles Hennen Concours, International Chamber Music Competition for Strings (± piano) (Heerlen, NETHERLANDS)**  
24-26 April 2009. Age: -16, -22, -26. Appl. until 1 Feb 2009. Next competition 2010. [www.chc.nl](http://www.chc.nl); [info@chc.nl](mailto:info@chc.nl)

See also: International Competition for Young Pianists and Chamber Music, San Sebastian; European Competition for Young Soloists, Luxembourg; International Competition "Ostracized Music"; International Radio Competition for Young Musicians Concertino Praga; Leoš Janáček International Competition

## Piano

**Ettlingen International Competition for Young Pianists (Ettlingen, GERMANY)**  
Aug 2010. Age: -15, -20. Appl. until April 2010. [www.pianocompetition.org](http://www.pianocompetition.org); [info@pianocompetition.org](mailto:info@pianocompetition.org)

**International Competition for Young Pianists Arthur Rubinstein in memoriam (Bydgoszcz, POLAND)**  
For more information please contact the competition directly. [www.konkursmuzyczny.pl](http://www.konkursmuzyczny.pl); [biuro@konkursmuzyczny.pl](mailto:biuro@konkursmuzyczny.pl)

**International Competition for Young Pianists "A Step Towards Mastery" (St. Petersburg, RUSSIA)**  
4-11 June 2009. Age: -11, 12-15, 16-19. Appl. until 1 March 2009. [www.s2m.ru](http://www.s2m.ru); [arts2002@yandex.ru](mailto:arts2002@yandex.ru)

**International Competition for Young Pianists and Chamber Music (San Sebastian, SPAIN)**  
20-29 March 2009. Age: 8-11, -13, -15, -16, -18; piano duo - 14; chamber music -25. Appl. until 14 Jan 2009. Next competition 2010. [www.concursopiano.com](http://www.concursopiano.com); [sansebastian@concursopiano.com](mailto:sansebastian@concursopiano.com)

**International Competition for Young Pianists in memory of Vladimir Horowitz (Kiev, UKRAINE)**  
Intermediate and Senior: 11-25 April 2009. Age: 14-19, 16-33. Appl. until 15 Dec 2008. Junior and Debut: April 2010. Age 9-15, -14. Appl. until Dec 2009. [www.horowitzv.org](http://www.horowitzv.org); [horowitz@horowitzv.org](mailto:horowitz@horowitzv.org)

**International Competition of Young Pianists from the Baltic Sea Countries dedicated to the Work of F. Chopin (Narva, ESTONIA)**  
Feb 2010. Age -12, -15, -18. Appl. until Oct 2009. [www.narva.ee/chopin](http://www.narva.ee/chopin); [galina.moldon@narva.ee](mailto:galina.moldon@narva.ee)

**International Franz Liszt Competition for Young Pianists (Weimar, GERMANY)**  
23 Feb - 4 March 2009. Age: 10-13, 14-16. Appl. until 3 Nov 2008. <http://www.hfm-weimar.de/liszt>; [liszt-wettbewerb@hfm-weimar.de](mailto:liszt-wettbewerb@hfm-weimar.de)

**International Piano Competition Košice (Košice, SLOVAKIA)**  
23-26 April 2009. Age: -11, -13, -15. Appl. until 31 Dec 2008. [www.zuske.sk](http://www.zuske.sk); [mks.zus.ke@stonline.sk](mailto:mks.zus.ke@stonline.sk)

**International Smetana Piano Competition (Pilsen, CZECH REPUBLIC)**  
7-14 March 2010. Age: -16, -20, -30. Appl. until Dec 2009. [www.piano-competition.com](http://www.piano-competition.com); [secretariat@piano-competition.com](mailto:secretariat@piano-competition.com)

**International Vladimir Krainev Young Pianists Competition (Kharkov, UKRAINE)**  
19-29 March 2010. Age: -13, 14-17. Appl. until 1 Nov 2009. [www.krainev.ru](http://www.krainev.ru); [music@ic.kharkov.ua](mailto:music@ic.kharkov.ua) / [aacp@wanadoo.fr](mailto:aacp@wanadoo.fr)

## Strings

**International Competition for Violin, Kloster Schöntal (Schöntal, GERMANY)**  
21 -31 Aug 2009. Age: -15, 16-18, 19-21. Appl. until 1 June 2009. [www.violinwettbewerb.de](http://www.violinwettbewerb.de); [petru.munteanu@gmx.de](mailto:petru.munteanu@gmx.de)

**International Competition for Violin and Viola, Festival Bled (Bled, SLOVENIA)**  
July 2009/10. Age: -25. Appl. until June 2009. [www.festivalbled.com](http://www.festivalbled.com); [festival.bled@siol.net](mailto:festival.bled@siol.net)

**International Competition for Young Violinists K. Lipinski and H. Wieniawski (Lublin, POLAND)**  
17-24 Sept 2009. Age: -17, 17-25. Appl. until 15 Feb 2009. [www.wieniawski.lublin.pl](http://www.wieniawski.lublin.pl); [wieniawskisociety@wp.pl](mailto:wieniawskisociety@wp.pl)

**International Heran Violoncello Competition (Ústí nad Orlicí, CZECH REPUBLIC)**  
24-25 April 2009. Age: -9, -11, -15. <http://www.khs.cz/hvs>; [info@zusuo.cz](mailto:info@zusuo.cz)

**International Jascha Heifetz Competition for Violinists (Vilnius, LITHUANIA)**  
9-15 Jan 2009. Age: -26. Appl. until 1 Nov 2008. [www.heifetzcompetition.com](http://www.heifetzcompetition.com); [heifetz@takas.lt](mailto:heifetz@takas.lt)

**International Kocian Violin Competition (Ústí nad Orlicí, CZECH REPUBLIC)**  
6- 9 May 2009. Age: -10, -12, -14, -16. [www.khs.cz](http://www.khs.cz); [info@zusuo.cz](mailto:info@zusuo.cz)

**International Louis Spohr Competition for Young Violinists (Weimar, GERMANY)**  
Oct 2010. Age: -14, -17, -21. Appl. until July 2010. [www.hfm-weimar.de/spohr](http://www.hfm-weimar.de/spohr); [spohr-wettbewerb@hfm-weimar.de](mailto:spohr-wettbewerb@hfm-weimar.de)

**Menuhin International Competition for Young Violinists (Oslo, NORWAY)**  
16-25 April 2010. Age: -16, -22. Appl. until Oct 2009. [office@menuhincompetition.org](mailto:office@menuhincompetition.org); [www.menuhincompetition.org](http://www.menuhincompetition.org)

**Witold Lutoslawski International Cello Competition (Warsaw, POLAND)**  
19 - 26 Feb 2009. Age: -24. Appl. until 15 Nov 2008. [www.lutoslawski-cello.art.pl](http://www.lutoslawski-cello.art.pl); [kielan@lutoslawski.org.pl](mailto:kielan@lutoslawski.org.pl)

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