

Welcome to the International Dance Festival-Competition "Golden Bee"!



Whether you are an experienced dancer or a beginner, "Golden Bee" is the perfect stage for artists of all ages and levels. From classical ballet to hip-hop, contemporary to traditional folklore, every dance style is celebrated here.

Join us in a celebration of rhythm, movement, and passion. Feel the excitement of competition and the joy of sharing your art with the world. Show your best to our professional judges and compete for the prestigious and beautiful "Golden Bee" trophy. Experience the magic of our competition in a magnificent venue filled with energy and creativity. Meet dancers from around the world and create lifelong connections.

Don't miss this incredible opportunity.

Join us at "Golden Bee" and let your dreams come true!

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

1.AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- Reveal talented groups and individual dancers;
- Support and discover artistic talents of all ages;
- Develop people's interest in culture and art;
- Maintain cultural traditions in all communities;
- Strengthen mutual understanding and friendly relations between children, young people, and adults from different countries and regions.

2.CANDIDATES

The competition is open to dancers from the age of 4:

- Beginners (1 dance class per week for the first three years)
- Amateurs (2 to 3 dance classes per week)
- Pre-professionals (4 or more dance classes per week)
- Professionals (from the age of 17)

3. DANCE STYLES

- Classical and neo-classical dance;
- Character dance, folklore, stylization;
- Modern-jazz, contemporary, lyrical;
- Hip-hop, breakdance, street dance;
- Children's dance, pop dance;
- Other genres (show dance, oriental, acrobatic, gymnastics).

4. AGE CATEGORIES

- Baby: up to 6 years old
- Child: 7 to 10 years old
- Junior: 11 to 14 years old
- Junior plus: 15 to 18 years old
- Adult: 19 to 34 years old
- Adult plus: 35 to 49 years old
- Senior: from 50 years old
- Mixed Group: different ages within the group

4.1 Solo, duo, trio, and group dancers can participate in multiple age categories provided a separate registration is submitted and the corresponding fee is paid.

5. MUSIC

Solo (4-10 years): no more than 2 minutes Solo (11 years and older): no more than 3 minutes Duos/trios/groups: no more than 4 minutes

5.1 **Changing the music is not allowed** if less than a month remains before the competition.

6. EVALUATION CRITERIA

The "Golden Bee" competition uses a qualitative and NON-competitive evaluation principle.

• <u>**Technique: maximum - 10 points</u>** (execution cleanliness, style-specific characteristics, rhythm, coordination, synchronization with music)</u>

- Artistic: maximum 10 points (expression of feelings and emotions, musicality)
- **Overall impression: maximum 10 points** (age-appropriate choreography,

dramaturgy, music choice, artistic image, lexicon and figures, placement and lines, interpretation quality, movement quality, creativity, originality, stage costume)

6.1 Classical repertoire variation:

• <u>**Technique: maximum - 10 points</u>** (execution cleanliness, rhythm, coordination, synchronization with music)</u>

• <u>Artistic: maximum - 10 points</u> (expression of feelings and emotions)

• **Overall impression: maximum - 10 points** (age-appropriate choreography, music choice, artistic image, musicality, interpretation quality, movement quality, stage costume)

6.2 A participant can receive a maximum of 30 points from a jury member. Rankings are determined based on the number of points scored, so **there can be multiple winners in one dance style and age category.** Competition results will be emailed to the choreographer.

<u>7. JURY</u>

The jury consists of professionals from the dance and cultural world. Jury members attend a preparatory meeting before the competition to ensure proper functioning of their judging role. Jury decisions are final and irrevocable.

8. AWARDS

Each choreography/dance receives a diploma indicating 1st, 2nd, 3rd, or 4th place and the points obtained. Each dancer receives a personal certificate of participation and a medal from the Golden Bee competition. Each choreographer receives a certificate of recognition.

8.1 SPECIAL PRIZES

Each special nomination will be awarded a Golden Bee trophy and a certificate.

- GRAND PRIX
- Nomination "BRAVO"
- Nomination "HOPE"
- Nomination "YOUNG TALENT"
- Nomination "MOST ARTISTIC"
- Nomination "THE BEST COSTUME"
- Nomination "THE BEST FEMALE PERFORMANCE"
- Nomination "THE BEST MALE PERFORMANCE"
- Nomination "THE BEST CHOREOGRAPHY"
- Nomination "THE BEST CHOREOGRAPHER"
- Nomination "THE BEST DANCE COMPANY"

8.2 The jury at its discretion will award special nominations to participants. Jury members have the right not to award certain prizes, including the Grand Prix.

9. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

The organization and execution costs of the "Golden Bee" international festival and participant awards are covered by the founder and organizer of the competition (supported by the registration and participation fees).

9.1 ATTENTION

The number of participants is limited. Registrations will be accepted until the participant limit is reached. No refunds are possible.

9.2 FEES FOR ONE CHOREOGRAPHY:

Payment is possible in EUR at the current exchange rate of the CHF at the time of payment.

Number of dancers /participants	Registration fee (CHF)	Participation fee (CHF)	Photos and Videos (CHF)	Total participation cost (CHF)
Solo	50,00	20,00	40,00	110
Duo	50,00	20,00 per participant	40,00	130
Trio	50,00	20,00 per participant	40,00	150
SMALL GROUPE (4 – 10 participants)	50,00	17,00 per participant	40,00	50 + 17,00*number of participants + 40
BIG GROUPE (11 and more participants)	60,00	15,00 per participant	40,00	60 + 15,00*number of participants + 40

For example:

DESCRIPTION	NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	REGISTRATION FEE (CHF)	PARTICIPATION FEE (CHF)	PHOTO/VIDEO (CHF)	AMOUNT (CHF)
Esmeralda variation	1	50,00	20,00	40,00	110,00
Duo – "Rescue "	2	50,00	20,00	40,00	130,00
Trio – "Flowers"	3	50,00	20,00	40,00	150,00
Spanish dance	4	50,00	17,00	40,00	158,00
"Miss you"	6	50,00	17,00	40,00	192,00
"Let's go!"	20	60,00	15,00	40,00	400,00
				TOTAL:	CHF 1,140

* The candidate receives a video and all photos of their dance as well as photos + video of the award ceremony.

10. PHOTOS AND VIDEOS

Photos and video materials can be used by the organization for advertising publication at its discretion (Internet, television, print, etc.).

11. ORGANIZER CONTACT DETAILS

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12. EVENT LOCATION

Geneva, Switzerland - Collège de Saussure, Vieux-Chemin-d'Onex 9, 1213 PETIT-LANCY

13. TICKETING

The public can buy tickets online two months before the start of the competition at a price set by the organizing committee. The link will be sent to the responsible choreographer of the group.

14. ORGANIZATIONAL AND TECHNICAL CONDITIONS

• Participants must enter the backstage area no earlier than three numbers before their performance.

• The rehearsal time before the performance is limited, only a technical rehearsal (test, orientation) is conducted according to the competition schedule.

• The jury is not allowed to disclose results before the official publication or the award ceremony.

• The jury's decision is binding and is not subject to review or discussion.

• The organizer reserves the right to modify the program.

• Festival-competition participants are responsible for unloading, loading, and installing the necessary accessories.

• In case of disrespectful behavior towards jury members and the organizing committee, the participant may be removed from the festival-competition without a refund of participation fees or receiving a diploma.

• Controversial issues that arise will be resolved through negotiations with the competition organizing committee.

• Professional video and photo shooting of the competition is allowed by filming companies and persons accredited by the competition organizing committee. Filming with mobile phones is allowed from seating areas, provided it does not interfere with the performance of the candidates and the competition.

• The use of flammable items, including fireworks, candles, torches, bonfires, decorations, and other items that do not comply with fire safety regulations is prohibited.

• Any movement in the auditorium during the performance of candidates is prohibited. Please respect the participants and do not interfere with professional filming.

• It is forbidden to bring food or drinks into the auditorium.

• The organizers cannot be held responsible for any injury, illness, or theft suffered by participants during the competition. Participants are responsible for ensuring themselves against accidents, illnesses, and theft.

• The organizing committee has the right to amend the regulations with subsequent notification to registered participants.

• The organizing committee has the right to refuse the participation of candidates for objective reasons.

• The competition is apolitical and open to all nationalities.

15. SENDING AN ENTRY IMPLIES ACCEPTANCE OF ALL CONDITIONS.



Agreement

Mr / Mrs_____

(first name, last name)

Supervisor _____

(name of the dance company/studio/school)

I agree to the processing and use of personal data. I acknowledge that by giving such consent, I am acting of my own free will. I agree with all the conditions specified in these rules and confirm that I have familiarized all members of my team and their parents with the rules of the International Dance Competition "Golden Bee".

Date: "____" ____ 202___

Signature _____ / ____ /