

# SUMMER MUSIC ACADEMY SINAIA

## master-classes & concerts

### 13 - 25 July, 2017

violin, cello, flute, chamber music

It is said that once a year, in the summer, stories come to life. Sinaia, the stone paved city with paths that lead to the Castle, with royalty stories and idyllic scenery - the long-dreamt holiday place. Here, it is said that yesterday and tomorrow have met today, in the present, and since then they are telling stories.

Summer Music Academy Sinaia, through its master-classes, workshops and concerts give you the opportunity to taste the magic of the place, a city at the base of mountains, called "The Touristic Pearl of the Carpathians". Sinaia invites you to live, for a few days, in her everlasting present, enjoying musical chords, away from the city buzz.

Summer Music Academy Sinaia is a program with tradition, organized by jmEvents and the Jeunesses & Dinu Lipatti.

### General Rules

Summer Music Academy Sinaia offers young musicians the extraordinary opportunity to participate at an international seminar of instrumental training of highest standards, during a period of 2 weeks.

The academy aims are:

- enhancing the young artists' musical knowledge and performance skills under the direction of professors and professional musicians of outstanding international reputation
- experiencing various methods of teaching and learning music
- stimulating the interpretative capacity of young artists
- intercultural communication between participants from different countries, the academy being a pleasant way of meeting and interacting with fellow musicians from the international network

Over 450 young musicians from Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, China, Costa Rica, Cyprus, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Macedonia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Poland, Romania, Russia, Singapore, Slovenia, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Switzerland, Taiwan-China, UK and USA have already benefited of the Summer Academy Sinaia classes, with notable results.

In 2017 Summer Music Academy Sinaia offers **master-classes** for: violin, viola, cello, flute and chamber music.

Summer Music Academy Sinaia is open to musicians of all nationalities, of all levels, age between 10 and 30 years old. Exceptions may be permitted.

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### Benefits

- each student will receive 5 classes of 50 minutes, spread throughout the period, at the professor's choice.
- services of a piano accompanist are provided
- students may attend all courses from the Summer Music Academy Sinaia
- personalized development of the young musicians' technical and interpretative abilities, each player advancing at his own pace
- the possibility to perform in a public concert together with other musicians if the professor recommends at the end of the master-classes. The performance could be individual or in a group made during the master-classes.
- free admission to all concerts organized in the program
- assisting in an interactive manner at the rehearsals for the concerts performed by the teachers
- interacting with other musicians having different cultural backgrounds and level of professional experience, exchange of ideas between participants and professors
- improving the musical and cultural skills of participants
- stimulating creativity and providing inspirational models at professional and personal level
- certificate of participation

### Application procedure

Each musician will apply for desired discipline, with 2 options for professors.  
Each professor has maximum 12 available places.

If the number of applicants exceeds the number of places for a professor, the organizers reserve the right to assign the student to the class of the professor marked as second option.  
In case the number of available places at the 2<sup>nd</sup> professor is exceeded, the organizers will proceed to assign the student to another professor, with the agreement of both parties.

The application for the Summer Music Academy Sinaia will be made based on:

- application form\*
- participation fee . The participation fee is 970 Euro, paid in 2 installments:
  - 320 Euro, at registration
  - 650 Euro, at arrival
- In application form it is compulsory to be mentioned 2 options for professor, home | landline phone and an email
- For minor participants, in the application form must be used the email of the parents | legal responsible.

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#### Note

#### Participation as auditor ( without the active participation at the master-classes ).

The participation fee is 670 Euro, from which 320 Euro will be paid at registration and the rest at arrival.

#### Registration

The filled and signed application form along with a scanned copy of the payment of the registration fee of 320 Euro (the amount should be sent free of charge to the payee) will be sent by email or post.

- email: [office@jmEvents.ro](mailto:office@jmEvents.ro).
- Postal address: jmEvents, C.P. 13-63, Bucharest 13, Romania

The registration fee of 320 Euro will be paid by bank transfer in the jmEvents account, IBAN RO82 BACX 0000 0004 3583 4003 at UniCredit Bank - Izvor Branch, Swift Code BACXROBU, for - **Summer Music Academy Sinaia. The amount should be sent free of charge to the payee.**

The registration fee assures the applicants a place in the program. **In case of withdrawal the fee is non-refundable.**

#### Deadline for registration

- email: 15 June 2017, hour 00:00
- post: 15 June, 2017, date of postmark at sender

Acknowledgement of receipt of the documents ( application form and registration fee ) will be made by email within 10 days from receiving the documents.

#### Conditions

The organizers provide:

- hotel accommodation at high standards in **triple rooms** from 13 July evening to 25 July morning. In exceptional case, if you want accommodation in double rooms and there are conditions to fulfil your request, a supplementary cost will be paid.
- 3 meals | day
- airport transfer as follows:
  - Bucharest airport to Sinaia on 13 July, between 10:00 – 20:00
  - Sinaia to Bucharest airport on 25 July, between 10:00 – 20:00
  - those who request transfer in other hours or other days than 13 / 25 July can benefit of this services for a fee
- halls for master-classes: at the academy's venue, "Carmen Sylva" Cultural Centre
- concert halls: Sinaia Casino, Catholic Church, "George Enescu" Memorial House, "Carmen Sylva" Cultural Centre

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### Other options during the academy period

Sinaia is located at the foot of Bucegi Mountains, known especially for its touristic importance. The city is a popular destination for hiking and winter sports, especially downhill skiing.

For a fee, the participants can benefit of:

- group visits to the major sights - Peles Castle, former summer residence of King Carol I of Romania, Pelisor Castle, Sinaia Monastery, Sinaia Casino, "George Enescu" Memorial House, Sinaia being the summer residence of the Romanian composer and Cantacuzino Castle.
- Cable car ride to the Bucegi Mountains Plateau (2000m)
- Trips to town and surroundings

Also, in the evening, the participants have the possibility to attend a series of activities: discussions with other participants, informal meetings with musicians and professors, films, dance, quiz, playing different games.

### Agenda for master-classes and concerts

Summer Music Academy Sinaia takes place from July 13 evening to July 25 morning, 2017.

City: Sinaia, Prahova County - Carpathian Mountains

#### Concerts\*:

- 15 July - Masters Concert ( concert of professors )
- 20 July - Classic & Jazz in the Park
- 21 July - Extraordinary Concert
- 22 July - Jeunesses in concert
- 23 July - Jeunesses in concert
- 24 July - Gala Concert

\* Depending on the availability of invited artists and the schedule of the concert halls the programme can be changed.

During the Academy the students will benefit of:

- 5 individual master-classes with the chosen professor
- professional guidance in accordance with the desired goals
- rehearsals with pianist
- interpretation
- performance in ensembles
- participating in public concerts
- improving the technique and interpretation
- daily rehearsals | hours of study assisted by the professor

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### Requirements

- All participants are required to respect the internal rules and regulation of the accommodation and to follow the instructions of the personnel. In case of severe violation of discipline, the organizers reserve the right to exclude the responsible students from the academy. In case of disciplinary exclusion no amount will be reimbursed.
- All participants must submit, upon arrival in Sinaia, a certificate of medical insurance | European Health Card and a certificate of insurance for their instrument. Lack of these documents exempts the organizers of any financial responsibility.

Due to excellent reputation of the invited teachers, the charm and picturesque of the Carpathian landscape, as well as the comfort of accommodation and the quality of the meals, Summer Music Academy Sinaia, organized by jmEvents and Jeunesses & Dinu Lipatti, is not only a class of excellence that will strengthen the musical and cultural knowledge and abilities of the participants, but also a musical summer academy that will enrich their creativity and will inspire them on a personal level.

For any question, please don't hesitate to contact the organizers at: [office@jmevents.ro](mailto:office@jmevents.ro)



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#### VIOLIN

- **Remus Azoitei | UK**  
Professor - Royal Academy of Music, London  
Celebrated international violinist
- **Irina Muresanu | USA**  
Professor - Boston Conservatory, University of Maryland  
Celebrated international violinist

#### FLUTE

- **Mario Caroli | Italy, France**  
Professor - Académie Supérieure de Musique de Strasbourg  
Musikhochschule Freiburg
- **Matteo Evangelisti | Italy**  
Solo flute of the Rome Opera House

#### CELLO

- **Cristina Bellu | Switzerland, Italy**  
Professor - Scuola Universitaria di Musica in Lugano  
Haute Ecole de Musique in Lausanne

**The list of professors will be finalized by the end of May 2017.**