

Alto Adige - Salsburg, ITALY



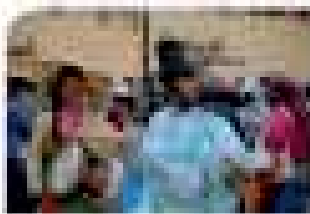
'An extraordinary choral music event'

June 19-23
2013

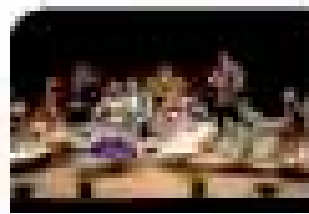
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Alta Pusteria
INTERNATIONAL CHOIR FESTIVAL

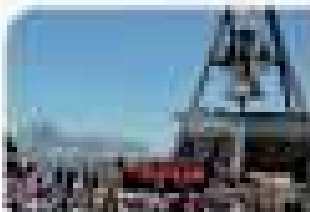
"The biggest choral festival in Italy. Since its first edition more than 900 choirs and about 28.000 choral singers have performed in the evocating scenery of Val Pusteria. In the Heart of the Dolomites"



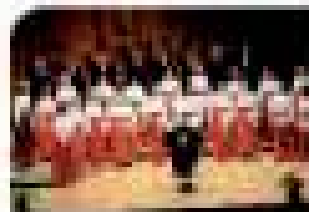
EVENTS
«Festa di Salsburg»
Choir Parade
«Festa Sirois»
«Festa dell'Amrodur»
The joyful moments for all the participants to meet together



SECTIONS
A) Sacred - religious repertoire
B) Cultivated secular repertoire
C) Folk choral music
D) Open singing
E) Spiritual, Gospel, Jazz
F) Original choral arrangements



OUTDOOR PERFORMANCES
Open Air Festivals
Choir' Nights
Exciting musical experiences take place and several medieval castles are locations of spectacular outdoor concerts




INDOOR PERFORMANCES
Concerts
Meeting-Days
In the concert halls and in the churches of the valley choirs perform any kind of repertoire



ALTA PUSTERIA FESTIVAL OFFICE
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14th «Choirs Internazionali» - 14. Internationale «Ausgabe»


information

 ECA - EC Event


 Festival

 Choir Competition

 Composition Competition

 Event for choral directors/conductors

 Event for individual singers

 Event for choral managers conferences

11th European Youth Music Festival Region of Emilia-Romagna, Italy • Spring 2012

The festival will create a meeting place full of concerts for 4500 young music enthusiasts from all over Europe.
Contact: European Music School Union (EMU), c/o Kunst-connectie - P.O. 365 - 3500 AJ Utrecht, The Netherlands
Tel: +31-30-2303740; Fax: +31-30-2303749
Email: office@musicsschoolunion.eu
http://www.musicsschoolunion.eu

Voices of the World Vienna, Austria • Beginning of April to the End of September 2012

From the beginning of April to the end of September, any day between 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. At Christmas time during the Culture and Advent Market at Schönbrunn as well as during the Easter Market (separate conditions apply for this time of the year).
Contact: Management & Administration; WienTourismus, Obere Augartenstraße 40 1020 Vienna
Tel: +43-1-21114-0; Fax +43-1-2168492
http://www.b2b.vienna.info

International Choir Competition Riva del Garda, Italy • 01.-05.04.2012

For all kinds of choirs from all around the world.
Contact: Interkultur e.V.
Tel: +49-6403-956525; Fax: +49-6403-956529
Email: mail@interkultur.com http://www.interkultur.com

Children Singing Week VoxPueri Cascais, Portugal • 02.-05.04.2012

This week happens in and has the goal to introduce children from 8 till 14 years old choral singing techniques and specific repertoire for their ages, showing that this kind of music, beside being very amusing is also didactic and pedagogical. Attention: the participants must have minimum 8 and maximum 14 years old till the last day of the week.
Contact: Associação Vox SDR - Rua D.Francisco Coutinho 302 2775 S. Domingos de Rana, Portugal
Tel: (+ 351) 93 840 79 85
Email: info@voxlaci.com http://www.voxlaci.com

The Mediterranean Zimriya Acre, Israel • 08.-15.04.2012

For one week, more than 500 choir members from Israel and abroad, will participate in the Zimriya's 60th Anniversary: a festival of workshops and concerts of choirs and ensembles who will gather to create a unique sound of Mediterranean choral music.
Contact: Zimriya office,
Tel. +972-3-6041808 Fax: +972-3-6041688
Email: harzimco@netvision.net.il http://zimriya.org.il

4th Antalya International Choir Festival

Antalya, Turkey • 11.-15.04.2012
International Choir Days in Antalya, Competition & Festival. Only amateur choirs may participate, though the conductor may be professional. There is no limit on the number of members of a choir.
Deadline for applications: 15.11.2011
Contact: Guclu Dogan, AICF Administrative Director, Tel: +90 242 316 46 60 / GSM: +90 506 544 61 75
E-mail: festivalantalya@festivalantalya.com
festivalantalya@gmail.com
http://www.festivalantalya.com

52th Sacred Music Festival "Virgo Lauretana"

Loreto, Italy • 11.-15.04.2012
The purpose of the Festival is to contribute to the diffusion of Sacred Music culture and to promote the knowledge and the artistic and cultural friendship between nations, through a closer examination of Sacred Music's spiritual meanings. Participation is open to all Italian and foreign choirs. Deadline for applications: 15.10.2011
Contact: info@rassegnalaretana.it
http://www.rassegnalaretana.it

2nd „Messiah“ Choir-Festival Salzburg

Salzburg, Austria • 12.-14.04.2012
G. F. Handel's Oratorio for 400 voices. Choir and individual singers are both invited. Singers should have sung „Messiah“ before. Please bring vocal scores of Handel's „Messiah“ in English with you. Every English edition can be used, instructions however refer to the Novello's Watkins-Shaw edition.
Contact: CC&A Travel Agency GmbH, Bergstrasse 22, A 5020 Salzburg
Tel. +43/662/87 45 37, Fax. +43/662/87 45 37 30
Email: messiah-salzburg@cc-a.at cca@cc-a.at
http://www.cc-a.at

2nd Vratislavia Sacra - Wroclaw Choir Festival

Wroclaw, Poland • 13.-15.04.2012
Festival focusing on sacred music of different styles and churches.
Contact: Cantilena & Melody, Tel: +48-22-641 6157
Fax: +48-22-641 6157
Email: info@vratislaviasacra.pl
http://www.vratislaviasacra.pl

2nd Artistic and Scientific Symposium on Choral Art, Singing and Voice

Zagreb, Croatia • 12.-14.04.2012
We invite you to participate in the Symposium as a lecturer or a delegate! Lectures and workshops can be held in Croatian or English language (no translation).
Contact: Croatian Choral Directors Association, Vrbik 11, 10000 Zagreb Croatia, Mob. +385-98-275961 Phone +385-1-6198469
Fax +385-1-6198468
Email: info@choralcroatia.com
http://www.choralcroatia.com



SLOVAKIA FOLK

International festival for folklore ensembles and choirs

19 - 22 July 2012

BRATISLAVA, SLOVAKIA

FESTIVAL PROGRAMME:

- ♪ Folklore music and dance competition
- ♪ Music and dance folklore performances in Bratislava historical centre
 - ♪ Festival parade
 - ♪ Bratislava sightseeing
 - ♪ Optional cultural trips
- ♪ Final gala programme and dinner reception

For competing or non-competing groups

FESTIVAL PARTICIPANTS:

Children, youth and adult choirs, vocal ensembles, folklore vocal-instrumental groups, folklore dance groups and orchestras

COMPETITION CATEGORIES:

- A - Choirs - Folksong a cappella
- A - Choirs - Folksong with instrumental accompaniment
- B - Folklore groups
- C - Dance groups
- D - Folklore orchestras

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

30 APRIL 2012



Find out more about festivals and individual music tours in Slovakia: www.choral-music.sk
 Bratislava Music Agency, Záhumenská 3, 84106 Bratislava, Slovakia;
 00421 908 693 395, info@choral-music.sk

3rd "Il Garda in Coro"

Malcesine sul Garda, Verona, Italy • 17.-21.04.2012

Choral Competition for Children's Choirs. Children must be born after 01.01.1996. Two categories: secular and sacred music.

Contact: Associazione Il Garda In Coro, Renata Peroni
Tel: +39-045-6570332, Fax: +39-178-6017432
Email: info@ilgardaincoro.it <http://www.ilgardaincoro.it>

Creators and Curators

St. Petersburg, Russia • 20.-23.04.2012

We are pleased to welcome you to the International Folklore Festival-Competition. This forthcoming event aims, in the first place, to provide the participants with every opportunity of sharing their talents and ever-lasting affection for music and dance.

Contact: phone/fax: +7 (812) 640-2301
Email: polyakov.fest@yandex.ru OR bizinapr@mail.ru
<http://www.ofis-art.ru>

A CAPELLA 2012

Leipzig, Germany • 20.-29.04.2012

International Festival of Vocal Music. We heartily invite you to attend this and the ten other concerts – each one offering a unique program!

Contact: Verein zur Förderung der Vokalmusik-a cappella e.V. Landsberger Straße 1, D-04157 Leipzig,
Phone: +49 (341), 910 755 75; Fax: +49 (341) 910 755 76
Email: info@a-cappella-festival.de
<http://www.a-cappella-festival.de>

European Grand Prix Award for Choral Singing Finale

Maribor, Slovenia • 22.04.2012

For 5 selected choirs – winners of the 2011 competitions Concorso Polifonico Guido d'Arezzo/Italy, International Choral Competition Maribor/Slovenia, Certamen Coral de Tolosa/Basque Country, Spain, Florilège Vocal de Tours/France and International May Choir Competition Varna/Bulgaria (members of The European Grand Prix for Choral Singing Association). The city of Maribor is the European City of Culture 2012.

Contact: Mihela Jagodic, JSKD, Tel: +386-1-2410525, Fax: +386-1-2410536
Email: mihela.jagodic@jskd.si <http://www.jskd.si>

Slovakia Cantat 2012

Bratislava, Slovak Republic • 26.-29.04.2012

International Choir and Folksong Festival. Competition, workshop, concerts of sacred and secular music. Deadline for applications: 15.12.2011.

Contact: Bratislava Music Agency, Tel: +421-908-693395
Fax: +421-265-957054
Email: info@choral-music.sk <http://www.choral-music.sk>

6th A CAPELLA Contest

Leipzig, Germany • 27.-29.04.2012

The International A CAPELLA Contest Leipzig will be staged for the 6th time within the International Festival of Vocal Music a cappella. Young vocal groups are invited to sing for the Leipzig A CAPELLA AWARD and are welcome to participate in a workshop. The contest is open to talented vocal groups from all over the world, with between three and eight members and a maximum average age of 28 years.

Contact: International A CAPELLA Contest Leipzig, Georg Manthey Landsberger Str. 1, D-04157 Leipzig, Phone: +49(0) 341 - 265 571 36
Fax: +49(0)341 - 910 755 76
Email: manthey@a-cappella-contest.com
<http://www.a-cappella-contest.com>

Costa Brava Music Festival

Costa Brava, Spain • 27.04.-01.05.2012

International festival of choirs and orchestras.

Contact: MusikReisenFaszination, Waldseestr.2, 76530 Baden-Baden, Germany, el.: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 765, Fax: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 764
Email: info@mrf-musicfestivals.com
<http://www.mrf-musicfestivals.com/imf.phtml>

60th European Music Festival

Neerpelt, Belgium • 27.04.-02.05.2012

Year after year numerous conductors, young musicians and choir members have shown overwhelming enthusiasm concerning the perfect organisation, the warm welcome and the unforgettable moments of joy in the course of the EMY festival days.

Contact: Europees Muziekfestival voor de Jeugd v.z.w. Toekomstlaan 7 bus 2, 3910 Neerpelt, Belgium
Tel: +32 11 66 23 39, Fax: +32 11 66 50 48
Email: info@emj.be <http://www.emj.be>

Venezia in Musica

Venice, Italy • 29.04.-03.05.2012

Choir Competition and Festival, for all kinds of choirs from all around the world.

Contact: Interkultur Foundation
Tel: +49-6403-956525; Fax: +49-6403-956529
Email: mail@interkultur.com <http://www.interkultur.com>

58th Cork Choral Festival

Cork, Ireland • 02.-06.05.2012

Founded in 1954, the Cork International Choral Festival in Ireland is a world class festival celebrating the very best of choral and vocal music. The programme includes prestigious international and national competitions, gala and fringe concerts, public performances, non-competitive choirs and an education programme. Opportunity to compete in the prestigious Fleischmann International Trophy Competition.

Contact: Cork International Choral Festival,
Tel: +353-21-4215125, Fax: +353-21-4215192
Email: info@corkchoral.ie <http://www.corkchoral.ie>

33rd International Children's Choir Festival "Fröhlich sein und singen"

Halle (Saale), Germany • 03.-06.05.2012

Non-competitive festival for all kinds of children's choirs and folklore dance groups, with many concerts and common singing in workshops. Voluntary: award for the best performance of a contemporary song.

Contact: Jugendwerkstatt "Frohe Zukunft", Silbertaler Str. 5, 066132 Halle (Saale), Germany
Tel. +49 345 7 80 80 00; Fax: +49 345 77 04 718
Email: kinderchorfestival@jw-frohe-zukunft.de
<http://www.jw-frohe-zukunft.de>

4th European Music Competition Filadelfia, Italy

The competition is open to young musicians of any nationality. Opera Singing, Pianoforte, Strings, Woodwind, Guitar, Accordion, Percussion, Chamber Music. Lower Secondary school instrument classes, Choirs, Jazz, Combo, Brass Band, Bands/Windbands.
Contact: Tel./Fax. 0039 0968 725804; 0039 335267070
Email: associazione.melody@libero.it
<http://www.associazione-melody.com>

Choral Competition - Ave Verum

Baden, Austria • 10.-13.05.2012

A total of 12 choirs will be accepted. Choirs must have at least 20 singers but not more than 50. Deadline for application: 30.09.2011

Contact: Tattendorferstr. 25, 2540 Bad Vöslau
Tel.:0650 5312280, Fax.:02252 265614
Email: office@aveverum.at <http://www.aveverum.at>

8th European Festival of Youth Choirs

Basel, Switzerland • 16.-20.05.2012

Festival for 18 selected children's and youth choirs (age limit 25) from European countries. No competition. Over 20 choral concerts in churches, concert halls and open air in Basel. Workshop day for all participating choirs, party for the singers, music culture and choir conducting education projects. Open singing for everybody.

Contact: Europäisches Jugendchor Festival Basel, Kathrin Renggli
Tel: +41-61-4012100, Fax: +41-61-4012104
Email: k.renggli@ejcf.ch <http://www.ejcf.ch>

Mundus Cantat Sopot

Sopot, Poland • 16.-21.05.2012

We invite you to take part in the 8th edition of Mundus Cantat Sopot Festival with singers from all over the world. We invite adult, children, youth choirs to sing sacred, secular, jazz, gospel and spiritual music. All amateur choirs can take part.

Contact: Tadeusza Kościuszki 61, 81-703, Sopot
Email: munduscantat@sopot.pl
<http://www.munduscantat.sopot.pl>

International Choir Competition

Zadar, Croatia • 17.-20.05.2012

We invite amateur choirs - mixed, male, female - to participate in the 8th International Choir Competition.

Contact: Dina Basic, producer,
Tel. 00385 23 300430, Fax. 00385 23 315807
Email: glazbeni.producent@hnk.hr
<http://www.natjecanjezborova.com>

Choral Competition Ave Verum

Baden, Austria • 17.-20.05.2012

For non-professional children, female, male and mixed choirs from all over the world (between 20 to 50 singers). First part of the competition: 4 pieces (comp. before 1700, Romantic period, comp. after 2000, unisono song). Second part: the 5 best choruses from 1st part will sing a free program. Music pieces may be sacred and secular, but all a cappella.

Contact: Wolfgang Ziegler, chairman,
Tel: +43-650-531 2280, Fax: +43-2252-265614
Email: office@aveverum.at <http://www.aveverum.at>

Kaunas Cantat

Kaunas, Lithuania • 17.-20.05.2012

International choir festival and competition. Open to all amateur choirs.

Contact: Kaunas club "Cantate Domino", Tel: +370-656-84641 or +370-650-23868
Email: info@kaunascantat.lt <http://www.kaunascantat.lt>

Festival Musica Sacra

Venice, Italy • 17.-21.05.2012

3rd International festival of choirs and orchestras.
Contact: MusikReisenFaszination, Waldseestr.2, 76530 Baden-Baden, Germany, Tel.: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 765, Fax: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 764

Email: info@mrf-musicfestivals.com
<http://www.mrf-musicfestivals.com/imf.phtml>

Námestovo Music Festival

Námestovo, Slovak Republic • 18.-20.05.2012

21st International Sacred Music Festival in honour of bishop Ján Vojtaák. Competition, workshop, concerts in churches, sightseeing. Deadline for applications: 31.01.2012

Contact: Bratislava Music Agency,
Tel: +421-908-693395, Fax: +421-265-957054
Email: info@choral-music.sk <http://www.choral-music.sk>

Siauliai Cantat

Kaunas, Lithuania • 24.-27.05.2012

International Choir Festival and Competition. Open to all amateur choirs.

Contact: Kaunas club "Cantate Domino", Tel: +370-656-84641 or +370-650-23868
Email: info@kaunascantat.lt <http://www.kaunascantat.lt>

41st "Florilège Vocal de Tours"

Tours, France • 25.-27.05.2012

Four categories: mixed choirs, mixed vocal ensembles, equal voices (male or female), free expression (all ensembles). Qualifying rounds, final rounds and Grand Prix. International competition for youth and children's choirs - two rounds.

Contact: Florilège Vocal de Tours
Tel: +33-2-47216526; Fax: +33-2-47216771
Email: contact@florilegevocal.com
<http://www.florilegevocal.com>

350 CHOIRS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD ALREADY REGISTERED!



www.worldchoirgames.com

World Choir Games 2012 Cincinnati is a world-class choral event featuring 350 choirs from all over the world. The event is held in Cincinnati, Ohio, USA, in August 2012. The event is a celebration of the power of music and the beauty of the human voice. It is a unique opportunity for choirs from all over the world to come together and perform in front of a large, diverse audience. The event is also a chance for choirs to learn from each other and to share their love of music with others.

The event will feature a variety of performances, including traditional choral music, contemporary music, and music from different cultures. There will also be a series of workshops and masterclasses for choirs, led by some of the world's leading choral conductors. The event is a truly international celebration of the power of music and the beauty of the human voice.

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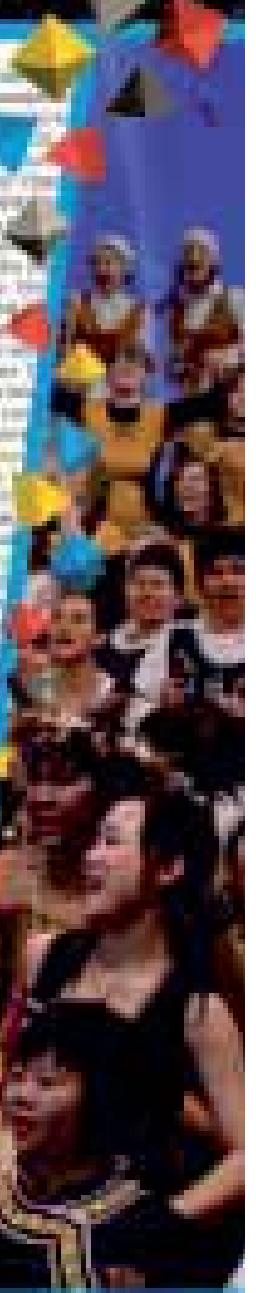
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WE ARE PART OF IT.



Musica Sacra Festival 
Marktoberdorf, Germany • 25.-30.05.2012
Musica Sacra is a unique festival which brings music and dance from the five major world religions into Allgäu region, organising concerts in which Christians, Jews, Moslems, Buddhists and Hindus meet and perform together.
Contact: Musica Sacra International,
Tel: +49-8342-8964033, Fax: +49-8342-40370
Email: office@modfestivals.org
http://www.modfestivals.org

7th Festa Choralis 
Bratislava, Slovakia • 30.05.-03.06.2012
International choir festival
Contact: Festa Musicale, Olomouc, Czech Republic
Email: info@festamusicale.com
http://www.festamusicale.com

3rd Krakow Choir Festival 
Krakow, Poland • 31.05.-03.06.2012
For all kinds of choirs, the biggest international festival in Poland.
Contact: International Krakow Choir Festival MELODY
Tel: +48-22-641 6157, Fax: +48-22-641 6157
Email: mail@krakowchoirfestival.pl
http://www.krakowchoirfestival.pl

40th Festival of Songs 
Olomouc, Czech Republic • 06.-10.06.2012
International choir festival
Contact: Festa Musicale, Olomouc, Czech Republic
Email: info@festamusicale.com
http://www.festamusicale.com

Frankfurt is all ears! 
Frankfurt/Main, Germany • 07.-10.06.2012
German Choral Festival Frankfurt 2012
At concerts or in church services, on open choir festival stages or in social institutions, in small churches or open-air – from the 7th to the 10th of June 2012, thousands of singers will turn Frankfurt am Main into one large stage.
Contact: Deutscher Chorverband e.V., Projektbüro, Eichendorffstr. 18, 10115 Berlin, Germany, Tel.: +49 30 84 71 08 930, Fax: +49 30 84 71 08 999
Email: projektbuero@deutscher-chorverband.de
http://www.chorfest.de

28th Franz Schubert Choir Competition 
Vienna, Austria • 13.-17.06.2012
For all kinds of choirs from all around the world.
Contact: Interkultur Foundation
Tel: +49-6403-956525; Fax: +49-6403-956529
Email: mail@interkultur.com
http://www.interkultur.com

Musica sacra at the Kozel Castle Pilsen Region, Czech Republik • 14.-17.06.2012 
We'd like to take this opportunity to invite you to the competition of sacred music at the beautiful Kozel cha-teau in west Bohemia. You can meet with other choruses and musicians, see how you compare with them and assess the year-long work of your choir.
Contact: MTA - Music Travel Agency, Trojanova 5, 120 00 Prag, Czech Republic, Tel./Fax: +420 224 916 899
Email: mta.stadler@seznam.cz
http://www.agencyMTA-Stadler.com
http://www.agencymta-stadler.com/pages/Musica_Sacra_BF.htm

Hearts-in-Harmony Novi Sad  
Novi Sad, Vojvodina, Serbia • 15.-19.06.2012
The second international inclusive choral workshop; inclusive choral workshop for handicapped and non-handicapped people, including P.A.M. special musical robots for people with serious forms of disability.
Contact: Cantat Novi Sad
Email: office@cantatnovisad.org
http://www.cantatnovisad.org/

15th Alta Pusteria Choir Festival 
Alto Adige-Südtirol, Italy • 20.-24.06.2012
Non-competitive festival in the heart of the Dolomites: concerts, open-air reviews, day-meetings.
Contact: Alta Pusteria Festival Office, Tel: +39-06-33652422
Email: info@festivalpusteria.org
http://www.festivalpusteria.org

6th Grand Prix St. Petersburg 
St. Petersburg, Russia • 20.-24.06.2012
International choir festival
Contact: Festa Musicale, Olomouc, Czech Republic
Email: info@festamusicale.com
http://www.festamusicale.com

8th Festival of Sacred Music Vienna 
Vienna, Austria • 22. - 25. 06.2012
"Music" is the most important language that connects people from all over the world. Four days long Vienna will transfer into a center of sacred music. We invite you to join us and we look forward to welcoming you.
Contact: Chorus MM Fürstallergasse 48, A-5020 Salzburg
Email: chorus2000@aon.at
http://www.concerttours-europe.com

Roma Music Festival 
Rome, Italy • 28.06.-02.07.2012
International festival of choirs and orchestras.
Contact: MusikReisenFaszination, Waldseestr.2, 76530 Baden-Baden, Germany,
Tel.: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 765, Fax: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 764
Email: info@mrf-musicfestivals.com
http://www.mrf-musicfestivals.com/imf.phtml


30th Choral Festival of Karditsa 
Karditsa, Greece • 28.06.-08.07.2012
The philosophy of the Festival aims not only at the artistic approach but also at a musical-pedagog, social and even more at a political rapprochement of the different countries of the participating choirs from all corners of the Earth.
Contact: Kolokotroni and Hydra 38, PC 43100 Karditsa, Greece
Tel: 24410 - 75440, 24410 - 42896, Fax: 24410 - 21970
Email: nke@otenet.gr

14th Cantus MM Music Festival 
Salzburg, Austria • 29.06.-02.07.2012
Choirs, orchestras and dance-ensembles from all over the world will meet in Salzburg to feel the spirit of music!
Contact: Chorus MM - non profit organisation, Fürstallergasse 48/9, A 5020 Salzburg,
Tel. +43 662 874537 Fax. +43 662 874537-30
Email: cantusmm@cc-a.at http://www.chorus2000.com

4th "Touch the Future" 
Dannstadt-Schauernheim, Germany • 30.06.-08.07.2012
Children's and Youth Choir Festival for children and youth from around the world. A treble-voice choir festival with choir theater and show choir elements. Guest Choreographer John Jacobson and artistic director Judith Janzen direct the children to a wonderful experience of song and dance. Many opportunities for choirs to present the music of their country and meet new friends.
Contact: Juventus Vocalis, Judith Janzen
Email: judith.janzen@t-online.de
http://www.touch-the-future.com

Istanbul Youth Choirs and Orchestras Festival 
Istanbul, Turkey • July and August 2012
Organized by Vokaliz Management this festival (IYCOF) offers a unique opportunity to young musicians from all over the world to give unforgettable concerts in the most spectacular historical venues in Istanbul.
Contact: Festival Management: Vokaliz Management, Kirkpinar Sokak 10/1 Cankaya, TR-Ankara,
Tel: +90 312 439 75 35, Fax: +90 312 439 75 33
Email: info@iycof.org http://www.iycof.org

47th International Choral Days 
Barcelona, Catalonia, Spain • 02.-08.07.2012
Participating choirs can give individual concerts in Barcelona and the surrounding region. Deadline for application: 28.02.2012.
Contact: FCEC Barcelona, Catalonia, Spain
Email: fcec@fcec.cat
http://www.fcec.cat

Composition training 2012 
Neerpelt, Belgium • 03.-06.07.2012
Are you 15 or older and do you feel like writing music? Then the composition training of Musica is tailor-made for you.
Contact: Musica, Impulse Centre for Music, Provinciaal Domein Dommelhof, Toekomstlaan 5B, 3910 Neerpelt,
Tel: +32 (0)11 610 510, Fax: +32 (0) 11 610 511
Email: info@musica.be http://www.musica.be

Mezinárodní Festival 2012 
Pardubice, Czech Republic • 03.-08.07.2012
International festival of academic choirs. Participants will enjoy besides the international competition also a variety of social activities as are concerts, informal group singing, IFASIÁDA (a competition consisting of comical non-traditional sporting events), and the IFAS ball, where the popular IFAS Superstar will take place.
Contact: Email: ifas.pardubice@seznam.cz
http://www.ifas.cz

2nd Istanbul Chorus Competition & Festival 
Istanbul, Turkey • 04.-09.07.2012
Istanbul International Chorus Competition is open to both amateur and professional choirs. Singers who might be members of several chorus are only allowed to sing in one ensemble in each category at the contest.
Contact: Rasimpasa mah. Macit Erbulak Sok. Tuzmen apt. 34/1, 34716 Kadikoy - Istanbul/Turkey,
Tel: + 90 216 346 13 54, Fax: + 90 216 346 13 08
Email: istanbul@istanbulchorus.com
http://www.harmanfolk.com/

7th World Choir Games 
Cincinnati (Ohio), USA • 04.-14.07.2012
Choirs from all over the world will gather again. Together you are going to celebrate a great festival of music, song and joie de vivre. Participating in The Games will inspire and encourage international interaction that can forge lifelong friendships and the cultural understanding of many nations.
Contact: Interkultur, Am Weingarten 3 • D-35415 Pohlheim
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Email: mail@interkultur.com http://www.interkultur.com

14th Youth Music Festival  
Bratislava, Slovak Republic • 06.-09.07.2012
International Festival for Youth and Children Choirs and Orchestras. Competition, workshop, concerts of sacred and secular music. Deadline for applications: 15.04.2012.
Contact: Bratislava Music Agency,
Tel: +421-908-693395, Fax: +421-265-957054
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Contact: Inge Joldersma, project leader, Kurt Thomas Cursus, Utrechts Conservatorium
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Summa Cum Laude

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Contact: Summa Cum Laude Youth Music Festival

Tel: +43-650-619 2152, Fax: +43-1-968 5750

Email: office@scfestival.org

http://www.scfestival.org

Magia Italiana

Rimini, Riccione, Italy • 07.-14.07.2012

In Festival can take part children and youth up to 21 years old (inclusive). In the festival "Magia Italiana" can take part participants exceed permissible age, after application from them and by the estimation of the organizers. Soloists and art formations.

Contact: Art center "Karnolsky", Tel. +359 2 951 61 31

Email: karnolsky@abv.bg

http://www.karnolsky.dir.bg

EuroChoir 2012

Lomnice nad Popelkou, Czech Republic • 07.-15.07.2012

60 singers (18 to 30 years old) selected either by member organisations of the European Choral Association - Europa Cantat or by submitted audition material.

Contact: Unie českých pěveckých sborů - UCPS, Masarykovo nabřeží 16/248, 110 00 Praha 1, Czech Republic

Email: sekretariat@ucps.cz

http://www.EuroChoir2012.cz

Choralies Internationales

Edmonton, Canada • 07.-15.07.2012

7 days of choral singing, workshops, common singing and concerts in the Manitoba. A transposition of the Choralies de Vaison-la-Romaine to Canada. All the activities are led in French!

Contact: activites@choralies.org

http://www.choralies.org

9th Choir-Competition Miltenberg

Miltenberg, Germany • 12.-16.07.2012

Open for mixed choirs: two categories - A) Symphony of voices ((with compulsory composition), and B) folksong, spiritual & jazz. Accommodation and meals free of charge, money prizes; friendship concerts.

Contact: Landratsamt Miltenberg, Kulturreferat, Brückenstraße 2, D-63897 Miltenberg,

Tel.: +49 9371 501503, Fax: +49 9371 50179503

Email: kultur@lra-mil.de

http://www.chorwettbewerb-miltenberg.de

Rhapsody! Children's Music Festival

Vienna, Salzburg, Austria • 12.-23.07.2012
Prague, Czech Republic

12 days/10 nights: Participating choirs will perform at famous venues in three of Europe's most musical and historical cities; highlighted by the Grand Final Concert. Choirs will enjoy a workshop, musical exchanges and sightseeing tours.

Contact: Zhongjie Shi, Classical Movements, Inc.

Tel: +1-703-6836040; Fax: +1-703-6836045

Email: ZS@ClassicalMovements.com

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http://www.ClassicalMovements.com

2nd Krakow Singing Week

Krakow, Poland • 14.-22.07.2012

Non-competitive concerts in Krakow, sightseeing program.

Contact: Polonia Cantat & Melody, Tel: +48-22-641 6157

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Email: info@poloniacantat.pl

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IFCM World Choral Summit Voices in Harmony

Beijing, China • 15.-22.07.2012

Choirs from five continents will join with their Chinese counterparts to highlight the importance of the choral art. Executives from 30 national and international choral organizations will be invited to the Summit, sharing ideas from their respective choral traditions.

Contact: International Federation for Choral Music (IFCM)

Fax: +1-512-551 0105

Email: info@ifcm.net

http://www.ifcm.net

1st Florence International Choir Festival

Florence, Italy • 18.-20.07.2012

For choirs of all categories from all around the world.

Contact: Florence International Choir Festival, Tel: +39-

3276608423, Fax: +39-055-741527

Email: director@florencechoirfestival.com

http://www.florencechoirfestival.com

5th Grand Prix Pattaya

Pattaya, Thailand • 18.-22.07.2012

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Contact: Festa Musicale. Olomouc, Czech Republic

Email: info@festamusicale.com

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- A – difficulty level 1 with obligatory piece
- B – difficulty level 2 without obligatory piece
- C – child and youth choirs and ensembles without obligatory piece
- D – sacral choir music
- E – folk song

Slovakia Folk

Bratislava, Slovakia • 19.-22.07.2012

Folklore music and dance competition for children's, youth and adult choirs vocal ensembles, folklore vocal-instrumental groups.

Deadline for applications: 30.04.2012

Contact: Bratislava Music Agency, Zahumenska 3, 84106 Bratislava, Slovakia. Tel. +421 908 693 395

Email: info@choral-music.sk

http://www.choral-music.sk

European. Seminar for Young Composers

Aosta, Italy • 21-27.07.2012

Composers and aspiring composers interested in choral music. Choral conductors with composition and elaboration experienc

Contact: Feniarco, San Vito al Tagliamento (PN), Italy

Email: info@feniarco.it

http://www.feniarco.it

Choralp Intern. Singing Week

Briançon, France • 21-28.07.2012

International choral meetings in Briançonnais for constituted mixed choirs and individual singers.

Contact: Email: choralp@gmail.com

http://www.choralp.fr

25th Béla Bartók Choir Competition and Folklore Festival

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The only competition in contemporary choral music for five categories. The winner of the Grand Prix will be invited to the competition for „The Grand Prix for European Choral Music“ held every year alternately in Arezzo, Debrecen, Maribor, Tolosa, Tours and Varna. Folklore festival, world-premiers, church concerts, conducting master class and social meetings. Deadline for applications: 31.10.2011

Contact: Fonix Event Oraganizing NP LLC.,

Tel: +36-52-518400, Fax: +36-52-518404

Email: bartokcomp@bbcc.hu http://www.bbcc.hu

Toscana Music Festival

Tuscany, Italy • 26.-30.07.2012

4th International festival of choirs and orchestras.

Contact: MusikReisenFaszination, Waldseestr.2, 76530

Baden-Baden, Germany,

Tel.: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 765, Fax: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 764

Email: info@mrf-musicfestivals.com

http://www.mrf-musicfestivals.com/imf.phtml

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Vaison-la-Romaine, France • 26.-31.07.2012

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Contact: Association À Coeur Joie, France

Email: activites@choralies.org http://www.choralies.org

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Turin, Italy • 27.07.-05.08.2012

Spectacular vocal festival with participants from Europe and beyond. Workshops by international conductors in all vocal genres. Open Singing, concerts: sing & listen, international contacts, one-day discovery ateliers for conductors.

Contact: EUROPA CANTAT XVIII Torino, Italy

Email: info@ectorino2012.it http://www.ectorino2012.it

World Peace Choral Festival 2012

Vienna, Austria • 30.07.-02.08.2012

Concerts, workshops, mass concert for children's and youth choirs from around the world under the slogan "Coming together to sing, Singing for a better future".

Contact: World Peace Choral Festival,

Tel: +43-1-2698 699-0, Fax: +43-1-2698 699-21

Email: info@wpcf.at

http://www.wpcf.at/

10th Festival of Choral Art "THE SINGING WORLD"

St Petersburg, Russia • 03.-08.08. 2012

The International Festival is being held as an event envisaged at promoting the art of choral singing and a rendezvous of the talent and artistic perfection of choirs from all over the world. The Festival is open to Mixed, Men's, Women's and Children's Choirs and Chamber Vocal Ensembles too (with a minimum of 3 singers).

Contact: International Festival "THE SINGING WORLD" 199004 Russia, St.Petersburg, 2 linia, 17-28,

Tel/fax: +7(812) 328-39-21

Email: singingworld@mail.ru

http://www.singingworld.spb.ru

World Youth Choir 2012

Cyprus • 03.08.-01.09.2012

The World Youth Choir (WYC) is original in its concept, bringing together talented young singers aged 17 - 26 from all over the world, to its summer or winter sessions organized in different world countries, each year.

Contact: World Youth Choir, c/o World Forum in the Hague, The Netherlands, Churchillplein 10, 2517 JW

Email: info@worldyouthchoir.org http://www.worldyouthchoir.org

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V Mediterranean Choral Forum

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8th Choir Competition «THE SINGING WORLD»

St Petersburg, Russia • 05.-07.08.2012

The International Choir Competition "The Singing World" is intended to bring together the world's choirs in order to provide them with the opportunity, not only to compare with each other but also to discuss choral literature from the individual countries, interpretation, styles, traditions, voice-training and techniques.

Contact: International Festival "THE SINGING WORLD" 199004 Russia, St.Petersburg, 2 linia, 17-28, Tel/fax: +7(812) 328-39-21
Email: singingworld@mail.ru
http://www.singingworld.spb.ru

9th International Summer Academy for Conductors and Singers

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For conductors and singers, no age limit. For conductors: intensive individual coaching and rehearsals with piano string quartet, string orchestra and symphonic orchestra. For singers: choir atelier on oratorio repertoire with rehearsals and voice training.

Contact: Hungarian Choral Castle, Templon tér 3, 2013 Pomáz, Hungary
Email: music@ChoralCastle.hu
http://www.ChoralCastle.hu

9th International Youth Chamber Choir Meeting Usedom

Trassenheide, Usedom, Germany • 10.-19.08.2012

Girls' and mixed youth chamber choirs (age group up to 26), max. 36 persons per choir (incl. staff and bus driver). About 250 young people will study new repertoires, explore the island, go swimming, and perform in concerts together.

Contact: Arbeitskreis Musik in der Jugend (AMJ), Germany
Email: info@amj-musik.de http://www.amj-musik.de

60th Polyphonic Competition GUIDO D'AREZZO

Arezzo, Italy • 20.-26.08.2012

Contact: Fondazione "Guido d'Arezzo" onlus, Corso Italia, 102, 52100 Arezzo, phone: +39 0575 356203, fax: +39 0575 324735
Email: fondguid@polifonico.org
http://www.polifonico.org

We - XXI Century

Sunny beach, Bulgaria • 20.-27.08.2012

Permissible genres – there is no limit and restriction: vocal, dance, folklore, circus, majorette formations groups, orchestras, hip-hop, break dance formations, demonstrations of east martial arts and all others.

Contact: Art center "Karnolsky", Tel. +359 2 951 61 31
Email: karnolsky@abv.bg
http://www.karnolsky.dir.bg

29th National Polyphonic Competition

Arezzo, Italy • 22.08.2012

For Italian choirs only.
Contact: Fondazione "Guido d'Arezzo" onlus, Corso Italia, 102, 52100 Arezzo, phone: +39 0575 356203, fax: +39 0575 324735
Email: fondguid@polifonico.org
http://www.polifonico.org

1st Mediterranean Choral Festival Gibraltar, United Kingdom

For Mediterranean choirs.
Contact: Festa Musicale, Olomouc, Czech Republic
Email: info@festamusicale.com
http://www.festamusicale.com

10th Voice Symposium Salzburg Salzburg, Austria

The symposium is intended as an interdisciplinary forum offering a basis for discussion an mutual learning about complexities of Performing Arts Medicine and interventional Voice Care. Deadline for applications: 30.06.2012
Contact: Fax: +43-6216-403020
Email: voicesymposium@sbg.at
http://www.voicesymposium.com

Master Classe Internationale

Vaison-la-Romaine, France • 26-30.08.2012

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Istanbul, Turkey • 28.08.-02.09.2012

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Email: korofest@gmail.com
http://www.korofest.com

Paris Music Festival

Paris, France • 30.08.-03.09.2012

2nd International festival of choirs and orchestras.
Contact: MusikReisenFaszination, Waldseestr.2, 76530 Baden-Baden, Germany, Tel.: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 765, Fax: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 764
Email: info@mrf-musicfestivals.com
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Europ. Academy for Choral Conductors

Graz, Austria • 09.-15.09.2012

Young conductors (under 35) from all over Europe can apply for active (maximal 12) or observing participation.
Contact: Chorverband Österreich, Opernring 11/10 A 1070 Vienna, Austria, Tel. +43 1 586 94 94, Fax +43 1 58694944
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http://www.chorverband.at

Orpheus in Italy

Venice, Italy • 10.-16.09.2012

Genres – with no limits: choro, vocal groups, dance formations (modern dance, folklore, break –dance, hip-hop, majorette ensembles), orchestras (Brass, folklore and others), circuses, theatres of mode, untraditional forms, street arts, demonstrations of east martial arts and others and others...
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website:
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4th Harald Andersén Chamber Choir Competition

Helsinki, Finland • 21.-22.09.2012

International choir competition for mixed chamber choirs (16-40 singers). Participating choirs may include professional singers. Deadline for applications: 31.01.2012

Contact: Sibelius Academy,
Tel: +358-20-753 9389, Fax: +358-40-710 4389
Email: choircompetition@siba.fi
http://www.siba.fi/choircompetition

Cracovia Music Festival

Cracow, Poland • 27.09.-01.10.2012

4th International festival of choirs and orchestras.
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Tonen, Westland, The Netherlands • 28.-30.09.2012

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Contact: Tonen2000, Jos Vranken, tel: +31-174-245520
Email: info@tonen2000.nl www.tonen2000.nl

6th Festival Corearte Barcelona

Barcelona, Spain • 08.-14.10.2012

Corearte would like to invite you to participate in their 6th annual International Choir Festival "COREARTE BARCELONA". The Participation in this non-competitive event is open to all types of choirs and vocal groups. We looking forward to seeing you – not just a celebration of Choral Song but a meeting of cultures and friends that will stay with you forever.

Contact: Carlos Sesca, Director, Corearte Proyectos Culturales
Email: info@corearte.es http://www.corearte.es

V Mediterranean Choral Forum

Barcelona, Catalonia, Spain • 12.-14.10.2012

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Atelier for Young Festival Managers

Ljubljana, Slovenia • 2012: 14-21 .10.2012

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T: +32 9 241 8080 - F: +32 9 241 8089
Email: atelier@efa-aef.eu http://www.efa-aef.eu

Lago di Garda Music Festival

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Email: info@mrf-musicfestivals.com
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Festival Cantate Barcelona

Barcelona, Spain • 19.-22.10.2012

In this, the eighth edition of Festival Cantate Barcelona, choirs from around the world come together to perform in front of enthralled audiences. They also get the opportunity to listen to, and enjoy their equals. Over a thousand international voices will be presenting their expertise and passion for choral music.
Contact: Music International, Blanes (Spain),
Tel. +34 972 35 88 71
Email: info@musiccontact.net
http://www.musiccontact.net

Svanholm Singers

Composition Award

Lund, Sweden • 20.10.2012

International competition for male choir a cappella music. The competition is open to anyone, and compositions should be written for a male voice a cappella choir with 4-12 parts, duration 6-9 minutes. Lyrics – new or pre-existing – are chosen by the composer, and should bear relevance for our time.

Entry to the competition is open 01.04.-15.06.2012.
Contact: award svanholmsingers.se
http://svanholmsingers.se

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July 17 - 21, 2013
July 16 - 20, 2014

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November 7 - 11, 2012
November 6 - 10, 2013
November 5 - 9, 2014

1st MEDITERRANEAN CHORAL FESTIVAL | GIBRALTAR | August 22 - 26, 2012

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Email: info@choral-music.sk
http://www.choral-music.sk

International Sacred Music Festival 
Choir Competition Cantate Domino 
Kaunas
Kaunas, Lithuania • 25.-28.10.2012
Open to all amateur choirs.
Contact: Kaunas club "Cantate Domino",
Tel: +370-656-84641, +370-650-23868
Email: info@kaunascantat.lt
http://www.kaunascantat.lt


8th Warsaw Choir Festival 
Varsovia Cantat
Warsaw, Poland • 26.-28.10.2012
For a cappella choirs. Choirs can compete in one of the 4 categories for statuettes of Golden Lyre. Festival takes place in Chopin Hall as well as churches in Warsaw.
Contact: Choral Society LIRA & Melody,
Tel: +48-22-641 6157, Fax: +48-22-641 6157
Email: info@varsoviacantat.pl
http://www.varsoviacantat.pl

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at the Polyfolia 2012 
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Contact: Polyfolia Tel: +33-2-31736919,
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5th Showcase and Marketplace 
for Choral Singing Polyfolia 2012
La Manche, Normandy, France • 30.10.-04.11.2012
A reference meeting point between the best amateur choirs and promoters and organizers of festivals, music seasons, etc.... Plus a "choral festive party" open to all choirs.
Contact: Polyfolia, Jacques Vanherle,
Tel: +33-2-31736919, Fax: +33-2-31051590
Email: contact@polyfolia.org
http://www.polyfolia.org

4th Florence International Choir Festival 
Florence, Italy • 01.-03.11.2012
For choirs of all categories from all around the world.
Contact: Florence International Choir Festival,
Tel: +39-3276608423, Fax: +39-055-741527
Email: director@florencechoirfestival.com
http://www.florencechoirfestival.com

Masterly Bach-Concerts 
Neerpelt, Belgium • 02.-04.11.2012
Every year Musica, Impulse Centre for Music organizes intertional master classes. Musicians from all over the world participate. Teachers with international experience help young musicians in their quest for a historical performance of musical heritage.
Contact: T.: 32 (0)11 610 510 - F.: 32 (0)11 610 511
Bart De Vos, +32 11 610 519.
Email: bart.devos@musica.be OR info@musica.be
http://www.musica.be

Pampa Cantat 
Tandil, Argentina • 07.-11.11.2012
For all kinds of choirs.
Contact: Festa Musicale, Olomouc Czech Republic
Email: info@festamusicale.com http://www.festamusicale.com

1st Xinghai Prize Choir Championships 
Guangzhou, China • 08.-14.11.2012
In our new series of competitions we joyfully are expecting more than 100 choirs from all over the world in Guangzhou, located in the Southeast of China. The championship is open to all kind of choirs, regardless of their experience. The Xinghai Prize Competition is an competition on an high level.
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Email: mail@interkultur.com
http://www.interkultur.com

Cantio Lodziensis 
Lodz, Poland • 16.-18.11.2012
Regional and Polish level a cappella festival, foreign choirs preferred to participate on non-competitive basis. Categories & Repertoire: All kinds of choirs, 45-50 minutes repertoire of mixed repertoire. Additional Concerts: 2-3 concerts of 25-50 minutes in concert halls and churches. Piano allowed during additional concerts.
Contact: Email: info@poloniacantat.pl

General Assembly 
European Choral Association - Europa Cantat 
Toulouse, France • 16.-18.11.2012
General Assembly of the association with elections for the new Board and Workshops
Contact: European Choral Association - Europa Cantat
Email: info@EuropeanChoralAssociation.org
http://www.EuropeanChoralAssociation.org

5th International Istanbul Choir Days 
Istanbul, Turkey • 14.-19.11.2012
Celebrate the joy of music, come and sing with us.
Contact: Istanbul Koro Günleri
Email: ichoirdays@choirdaysturkey.com
http://www.istanbulchoirdays.com

Choral Advent in Salzburg 
Salzburg, Austria • 22.-25.11.2012
This is a non-competitive choral festival in the charming city of Salzburg, open to all choirs. The festival takes place over three intensive days during which choirs will have a scheduled performance, a friendship concert with other local choirs and a final concert. In addition, time permitting, arrangements can be made to sing during a mass service on Sunday morning.
Contact: Music International, Blanes (Spain),
Tel. +34 972 35 88 71
Email: info@musiccontact.net
http://www.musiccontact.net

Advent Music Festival 
Prague, Czech Republic • 30.11.-02.12.2012
4th International festival of choirs and orchestras.
Contact: MusikReisenFaszination, Waldseestr.2, 76530 Baden-Baden, Germany, Tel.: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 765, Fax: +49 (0) 7221 / 967 764
Email: info@mrf-musicfestivals.com
http://www.mrf-musicfestivals.com/imf.phtml

1st Natale Festa Corale 
Olomouc, Slovakia • 06.-11.12.2012
For all choirs..
Contact : Festa Musicale, PO BOX 55, Slovenská 5 77111 Olomouc, Czech Republic,
Tel./fax: +420 587 420 334
Email : info@festamusicale.com
http://www.festamusicale.com

Krakow Advent & Christmas Choir Festival 
Krakow, Poland • 07.-09.12.2012
International level festival, piano accompaniment allowed, non competitive participation possible. Categories & Repertoire: Mixed, male, female, youth, children's, chamber, 4 advent/christmas songs, 25-30 minutes repertoire for church concert. Additional Concerts: 1-2
Contact: Krakow Advent & Christmas Choir Festival
MELODY ul. Ogrodowa 27A, 05-500 Jozefoslaw, Poland
Email: krakow@christmasfestival.pl
http://www.christmasfestival.pl

Kaunas Advent - Christmas Choral Festival 
Kaunas, Lithuania • 13.-16.12.2012
Open to all amateur choirs.
Contact: Kaunas club "Cantate Domino",
Tel: +370-656-84641,
+370-650-23868
Email: info@kaunascantat.lt
http://www.kaunascantat.lt

Kaunas Musica Religioza 
Kaunas, Lithuania • 21.-24.02.2013
International choral music festival & competition, open to all amateur choirs.
Contact: Kaunas club "Cantate Domino",
Tel: +370-656-84641
+370-650-23868
Email: info@kaunascantat.lt
http://www.kaunascantat.lt

Musica Religiosa 
Olomouc, Czech Republic • 21.-24.03.2013
Festival of Sacred and Clerical Music.
Contact: Festa Musicale, Olomouc, Czech Republic
Email: info@festamusicale.com
http://www.festamusicale.com

7th America Cantat 
Bogotá, Colombia • 23.-31.03.2013
Spectacular vocal festival with participants from Latin America and beyond.
Email: info@america-cantat.org http://www.americacantat.org
http://www.corosorchestras.org

14th Choir Competition & Festival 
Budapest, Ungarn • 24.-28.03.2013
The International Choir Competition & Festival Budapest is the oldest Interkultur - Competition. Traditionally the choir competition will be opened in a festive surrounding with a symphonic opus.
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Email: mail@interkultur.com
http://www.interkultur.com

12th Choral Competition 2013 
Maribor, Slovenia • 19.-21.04.2013
For up to 12 selected choirs: female, male and mixed, with 16-48 singers. Non-competitive and three competing programs (compulsory, free and Grand Prix). Deadline for applications: 19.11.2012. Contact: Mihela Jagodic, JSKD, Tel: +386-1-2410525
Fax: +386-1-2410536
Email: choral.competition@jskd.si
http://www.jskd.si

11th Choir Competition and Festival 
Bad Ischl, Austria • 27.04.-01.05.2013
For all choirs and difficulty levels.
Contact: Salzkammergut Touristik GmbH, Götzstr. 12, 4820 Bad Ischl, Austria. Tel. +43 6132 24 000 0
Email: chorwettbewerb@salzkammergut.co.at
http://www.chorwettbewerb.at

11th Venezia in Musica



Venice, Italy • 28.04.-02.05.2013

The Choir Competition & Festival offers for each choir a widely spread scale of categories with different levels of difficulty, instrumentation and genres with the opportunity to present their stage of quality to the public. Concerts will be held in churches and also on Venice's squares.

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Kaunas Cantat Choir Festival and Competition



Kaunas, Lithuania • 16.-19.05.2013

Open to all amateur choirs.
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http://www.kaunascantat.lt

Siauliai Cantat Choir Festival and Competition



Kaunas, Lithuania • 23.-26.05.2013

Open to all amateur choirs.
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42nd "Florilège Vocal de Tours"



Tours, France • 24.-26.05.2013

Four categories: mixed choirs, mixed vocal ensembles, equal voices (male or female), free expression (all ensembles). Qualifying rounds, final rounds and Grand Prix. International competition for youth and children's choirs - two rounds.

Contact: Florilège Vocal de Tours,
Tel: +33-2-47216526, Fax: +33-2-47216771
Email: contact@florilegevocal.com
http://www.florilegevocal.com

Festa Choralis



Bratislava, Slovakia • 29.05.-02.06.2013

8th International choir festival and choir competition.
Contact: Festa Musicale, PO BOX 55, Slovenská 5
77111 Olomouc, Czech Republic,
Tel./fax: +420 587 420 334
Email: info@festamusicale.com
http://www.festamusicale.com

4th Bruckner-Choir-Competition & Festival



Linz, Austria • 29.05.-02.06.2013

The international Anton-Bruckner-Choir-Festival is an international competition with different categories for amateur choirs. Choirs from all over the world will give concerts and will benefit from the international event's atmosphere.

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http://www.interkultur.com

Festival of Songs



Olomouc, Czech Republic • 05.-09.06.2013

International choir festival
Contact: Festa Musicale, Olomouc, Czech Republic
Email: info@festamusicale.com
http://www.festamusicale.com

16th Alta Pusteria Choir Festival



Alto Adige-Südtirol, Italy • 19.-23.06.2013

Non-competitive festival in the heart of the Dolomites: concerts, open air reviews, day-meetings.
Contact: Alta Pusteria Festival Office,
Tel: +39-06-33652422
Email: info@festivalpusteria.org
http://www.festivalpusteria.org

Grand Prix



St. Petersburg, Russia • 19.-23.06.2013

International choir festival
Contact: Festa Musicale, Olomouc, Czech Republic
Email: info@festamusicale.com
http://www.festamusicale.com

9th Festival of Sacred Music Vienna



Vienna, Austria • 28.06.-01.07.2013

"Music" is the most important language that connects people from all over the world. Four days long Vienna will transfer into a center of sacred music. We invite you to join us and we look forward to welcoming you.

Contact: Chorus MM Fürstallergasse 48, A-5020 Salzburg
Email: chorus2000@aon.at
http://www.concerttours-europe.com

5th Musica Sacra a Roma



Rome, Italy • 03.-07.07.2013

In the spirit of world peace, the international choral and sacred music festival MUSICA SACRA A ROMA will again be held in the Italian capital. Amateur choirs from all over the world focusing on sacred music are invited again to come to the eternal city and to meet in peace and friendship.

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http://www.interkultur.com

15th International CANTUS MM



Salzburg, Austria • 04.-07.07.2013

Music & culture - different nations - different music... ONE experience of life.

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Email: chorus2000@aon.at
http://www.concerttours-europe.com/chorus2000/

Summa Cum Laude



Vienna, Austria • 06.-10.07.2013

International Youth Music Festival, cross-cultural and musical exchange event including workshops, lectures, seminars, concerts in and around Vienna, competition with an international and highly renowned jury.

Contact: Summa Cum Laude Youth Music Festival
Tel: +43-650-6192152; Fax: +43-1-9685750
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http://www.scf-festival.org

8th Brahms - Choirfestival & Competition



Wernigerode, Germany • 17.-21.07.2013

Since 1999 this Interkultur event is a crowd-puller for choirs and music groups from all over the world. The category "Sacred Choir Music" will be included in the competition for the first time as an additional option to those categories already available. We explicitly invite choirs and ensembles of all kinds who prefer not to take part in competition but like to give concerts in Wernigerode and other regional communities.

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http://www.interkultur.com

Rhapsody! Children's Music Festival



Prague, Czech Republic • 11.-22.07.2013

Participating choirs will perform at famous venues in three of Europe's most musical and historical cities. Workshop, musical exchanges and sightseeing tours.

Contact: Zhongjie Shi, Classical Movements, Inc.
Tel: +1-703-6836040, Fax: +1-703-6836045
Email: ZS@ClassicalMovements.com
http://classicalmovements.org/rhap.htm

5th Florence Choir Festival



Florence, Italy • 17.-19.07.2013

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Email: director@florencechoirfestival.com
http://www.florencechoirfestival.com

Worcester Festival for Young Singers



Worcester, England • 19.-27.07.2013

Open to youth and children's choirs and set in one of the UK's most attractive cities. Four ateliers, led by Bob Chilcott (UK), Carlo Pavese (Italy), Margret Boasdottr (Iceland) and Sanna Salvane (USA). SATB, SSA and children's voices. Evening concerts in the city and surrounding towns and villages. Final gala concert in the cathedral which will feature a specially commissioned work by Bob Chilcott involving all the participants. Opportunities for sight-seeing and other concerts.

Contact: Tel: -00 44 (0)7980 143272
Email: info@singuk.org
http://www.singuk.org/wifys

21st Choralies



Vaison-la-Romaine, France • 01.-09.08.2013

An exceptional festival with 40 ateliers, open singing, over 200 concerts in the nice city of Vaison-la-Romaine in the middle of the vineyard of Provence. Ateliers of 8, 5 or 3 days with international recognized conductors.

Email: activites@choralies.org http://www.choralies.org

10th „In...Canto sul Garda“



Riva del Garda, Italy • 10.-14.10.2013

The Interkultur choir competition and festival takes into account the growing interest of choirs in jazz, spiritual and gospel singing. However, emphasis is also put on sacred music and the strongly differentiated categories for folklore. In the framework of the festival encounter concerts take place at selected locations in the region. The traditional opening of the event is a colourful choir parade through the picturesque old town of Riva with all participants.

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Sacred Music Festival Choir Competition Cantate Domino



Kaunas, Lithuania • 24.-27.10.2013

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