

**PIANO COMPETITION CALENDAR  
2019**

The AAF member competitions that are scheduled for this year are listed below.  
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including also many competitions that are not affiliated with AAF.

(N.B.: when preceded by a tilde (~), it means that the information is uncertain.  
It was taken from the last competition, and might have changed.)

Y: indicates a special focus on (very) young pianists (aged not over 22).

+Y: indicates an additional category (categories) with even lower age limits.

Period	Appl. date	Place (country) 'Name' (Fed.) (AAF)	Age limit	First prize
<b>2019</b>				
9 - 14 January	[25 Oct]	Tokyo (jpn) 'Chopin' (AAF)	all ages	€ 4372
10 - 18 January	[15 Dec]	Thessaloniki (gr) 'Giorgos Thymis' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-32	€ 5000
13 - 20 January	[12 Nov]	Tempe (AZ) (usa) 'Bösendorfer' (AAF)	19-32	€ 13385
13 - 20 January	[12 Nov]	Tempe (AZ) (usa) 'Yamaha' (AAF)	16-18 +Y	€ 4461
22 - 27 January	[22 Dec]	Huesca (esp) (AAF)	0-35 +Y	€ 1200
26 - 31 January	[15 Dec]	Singapore (sing) (AAF)	18-35 +Y	€ 1969
12 - 17 February	[14 Dec]	Lagny-sur-Marne (f) (AAF)	0-33 +Y	€ 3000
15 - 17 February	[ 8 Dec]	Pontoise (f) 'Piano Campus' (AAF)	16-25	€ 5000
18 - 24 February	[15 Dec]	Grosseto (it) 'Scriabin' (AAF)	0-36	€ 6000
21 Feb - 2 Mar	[26 Nov]	Hastings (gb) (AAF)	16-30	€ 17599
22 - 25 February	[25 Jan]	Paris (f) 'France-Amériques' (AAF)	0-35 +Y	€ 3000
6 - 10 March	[20 Nov]	Düsseldorf (frg) 'Schumann' (AAF)	18-20 +Y	€ 5000
11 - 18 March	[30 Sep]	Hilton Head (SC) (usa) (AAF)	18-30	€ 13385
11 - 21 March	[15 Dec]	Würzburg (frg) 'Bach' (AAF)	0-36	€ 8000
14 - 16 March	[15 Jan]	Rzeszów (pol) 'Chopin' (AAF)	0-21 +Y	
15 - 23 March	[15 Nov]	Arhus (dan) (AAF)	16-21 +Y	€ 8000
17 March	[31 Oct]	Bern (ch) 'Interlaken Classics' (AAF)	all ages	€ 9154
21 - 24 March	[10 Feb]	Hamburg (frg) 'ClaviCologne' (AAF)	0-35	€ 10000
23 Mar - 4 Apr	[10 Dec]	Barcelona (esp) 'Maria Canals' (Fed.) (AAF)	17-28	€ 25000
26 Mar - 1 Apr	[31 Oct]	Moscow (rus) 'Kraïnev' (AAF)	17-22 +Y	€ 6912
29 - 31 March	[ 1 Jan]	New York (NY) (usa) 'Kosciuszko - Chopin' (AAF)	17-30	€ 8923
31 Mar - 1 Apr	[19 Dec]	Frankfurt a/Main (frg) 'Int'l German Piano Award' (AAF)	all ages	€ 20000
4 - 6 April	[10 Mar]	Stradella (it) 'Agostino Depretis' (AAF)	0-34	€ 5000
4 - 7 April	[15 Dec]	St. Priest (f) (AAF)	15-30	€ 10000
11 - 14 April	[ 9 Mar]	Mayenne (f) (AAF)	0-32	~ € 3500
11 - 14 April	[ 4 Mar]	Orléans (f) 'Brin d'Herbe' (AAF)	0-18 +Y	€ 500
18 - 19 April	[ 1 Mar]	Seoul (cor) 'Tchaikovsky Online' (AAF)	0-17 Y	€ 13385
22 - 26 April	[31 Mar]	Madrid (esp) 'Delia Steinberg' (AAF)	18-30	€ 5000
23 - 27 April	[15 Apr]	Viseu (prt) (AAF)	0-31	€ 8000
24 Apr - 3 May	[13 Mar]	Jaén (esp) (Fed.) (AAF)	0-32	€ 20000
26 - 28 April	[25 Feb]	Brussels (b) 'Merci Maestro!' (AAF)	15-21 +Y	€ 600
30 Apr - 3 May	[30 Mar]	Orbetello (it) (AAF)	0-35	€ 4000
4 - 5 May	[ 5 Apr]	Orbetello (it) (AAF)	17-20 +Y	€ 1000
4 - 12 May	[20 Apr]	Aci Bonaccorsi (it) 'Giuseppe Raciti' (AAF)	all ages	
9 - 11 May	[20 Apr]	Aci Bonaccorsi (it) 'Amigdala' (AAF)	0-36	€ 2000
10 - 12 May	[25 Apr]	Vanves (f) 'Jean Françaix' (AAF)	0-38	€ 4000
10 - 12 May	[31 Jan]	Murcia (esp) 'Clamo' (AAF)	0-36	€ 3000
11 - 16 May	[15 Apr]	Krasnodar (rus) 'Where the art is born' (AAF)	16-18 +Y	
12 - 18 May	[30 Mar]	Astana (kzk) 'Astana Piano Passion' (AAF)	15-18 +Y	€ 8923
14 - 19 May	[ 3 May]	San Donà di Piave (it) (AAF)	0-35 +Y	€ 3000
16 - 18 May	[30 Apr]	Taranto (it) 'Arcangelo Speranza' (AAF)	0-35	€ 4000
16 - 19 May	[15 Mar]	Szafarnia (pol) 'Chopin' (AAF)	14-16 +Y	€ 2000
17 - 24 May	[~25 Apr]	Kielce (pol) 'Moritz Moszkowski' (AAF)	~0-20 +Y	~ € 646
18 - 19 May	[15 Apr]	Düsseldorf (frg) 'Anton Rubinstein Junior Award' (AAF)	15-19 +Y	€ 500
18 - 22 May	[18 Apr]	Vienna (a) 'Classic on Danube' (AAF)	0-35	€ 10000
19 - 25 May	[31 Oct]	Terni (it) 'Casagrande' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-34	€ 20000
23 - 26 May	[20 Apr]	Washington (DC) (usa) 'AIPFC' (AAF)	0-35	€ 10000
25 May - 2 Jun	[23 Apr]	Roma (it) 'Academy Award' (AAF)	15-32 +Y	€ 10000
25 May - 9 Jun	[14 Nov]	Sendai (jpn) (Fed.) (AAF)	0-28	€ 26234
29 May - 2 Jun	[18 May]	Gioia del Colle (it) 'Pietro Argento' (AAF)	0-37 +Y	€ 2000
31 May - 8 Jun	[10 Jan]	Dallas (TX) (usa) 'Cliburn Junior' (AAF)	13-17 Y	€ 13385
4 - 9 June	[15 May]	Milano (it) 'Piano Talents' (AAF)	19-21 +Y	€ 1500
5 - 8 June	[15 May]	Massarosa (it) (AAF)	0-30	€ 5000
6 - 14 June	[20 Mar]	Yerevan (arm) 'Khatchaturian' (Fed.) (AAF)	16-32	€ 13385
8 - 15 June	[20 Apr]	Maisons-Laffitte (f) 'Opus Yvelines' (AAF)	0-32 +Y	€ 3000

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12 - 15 June	[30 Apr]	Val Tidone (it) ' <i>Premio Bengalli</i> ' (AAF)	0-35 +Y	€ 8000
15 - 21 June	[15 Feb]	Tromsø (n) ' <i>Top of the World</i> ' (Fed.) (AAF)	17-35	€ 30000
16 - 23 June	[ 1 Mar]	San Jose (CA) (usa) (AAF)	18-32	~ € 4604
23 - 27 June	[15 May]	Königs Wusterhausen (frg) ' <i>Young Piano Stars</i> ' (AAF)	18-35 +Y	€ 1000
24 - 28 June	[ 1 Apr]	Tucumán (arg) (AAF)	18-32	€ 5354
27 - 30 June	[ 1 May]	Lleida (esp) ' <i>Ricard Viñes Kids &amp; Youth</i> ' (AAF)	15-17 +Y	€ 2000
27 Jun - 3 Jul	[30 Apr]	Novi Sad (serb) ' <i>WPTA</i> ' (AAF)	all ages	
5 - 10 July	[ 3 May]	Couvet (ch) (AAF)	16-25 +Y	€ 3661
6 - 13 July	[16 Nov]	Minneapolis (MN) (usa) ' <i>e-piano junior</i> ' (AAF)	0-17 Y	€ 8923
8 - 14 July	[20 May]	Paris (f) ' <i>IMFP</i> ' (AAF)	17-28 +Y	~ € 1000
9 - 14 July	[31 May]	Granada (esp) ' <i>María Herrero</i> ' (AAF)	~20-35 +Y	~ € 4000
13 - 18 July	[ 1 May]	Windsor (gb) (AAF)	18 and up +Y	~ € 707
14 - 21 July	[25 Mar]	Porto (prt) ' <i>Santa Cecilia</i> ' (AAF)	0-32 +Y	€ 8000
15 - 20 July	[15 May]	Lyon (f) (AAF)	17-35	~ € 5000
20 - 21 July	[30 Apr]	Hamburg (frg) ' <i>ICoM</i> ' (AAF)	18-36 +Y	€ 1000
24 - 28 July	[10 Jun]	Geilenkirchen (frg) ' <i>Euregio</i> ' (AAF)	18-32 +Y	€ 4000
28 Jul - 4 Aug	[31 Jan]	Tokyo (jpn) ' <i>Shigeru Kawai</i> ' (AAF)	17-27	€ 8745
29 Jul - 4 Aug	[20 Jun]	Brescia (it) ' <i>Brescia Classica</i> ' (AAF)	0-35	€ 6000
30 Jul - 3 Aug	[~15 Jun]	Fort Collins (Colorado) (usa) ' <i>Odyssiad</i> ' (AAF)	~0-35 +Y	~ € 920
1 - 4 August	[10 Jul]	Troisdorf (frg) (AAF)	0-35 +Y	~ € 4500
1 - 6 August	[15 May]	Los Angeles (CA) (usa) (AAF)	19-28 +Y	~ € 13812
1 - 11 August	[14 Jan]	New York (NY) (usa) ' <i>NYCA Auditions</i> ' (AAF)	0-35	
11 - 28 August	[25 Jun]	Schlitz (frg) ' <i>Pianale</i> ' (AAF)	18-30	€ 1000
12 - 17 August	[15 Jul]	Shanghai (chn) (AAF)	0-35	€ 30000
19 - 22 August	[ 3 Jun]	Tokyo (jpn) ' <i>PTNA</i> ' (AAF)	all ages	€ 10494
19 - 23 August	[ 1 Jul]	Hong Kong (hk) ' <i>Chopin</i> ' (AAF)	0-32 +Y	€ 3451
22 - 27 August	[25 May]	Busan (cor) ' <i>KIPA</i> ' (AAF)	~0-35	~ € 3835
26 - 31 August	[25 May]	Finale Ligure (it) ' <i>Palma d'Oro</i> ' (AAF)	0-35	€ 4500
31 Aug - 10 Sep	[ 1 May]	Harbin (chn) (AAF)	18-36	€ 44617
September	[~20 Aug]	San Benedetto del Tronto (it) ' <i>La Palma d'Oro</i> ' (AAF)	~18-36	€ 3000
2 - 4 September	[~31 Aug]	Marbella (Malaga) (esp) ' <i>Rising Stars</i> ' (AAF)	~0-18 +Y	~ € 300
7 - 15 September	[ 8 Mar]	Budapest (hun) ' <i>Bartók</i> ' (AAF)	0-32	€ 30000
8 - 16 September	[22 Jul]	Tel-Aviv (isr) ' <i>Wandering Music Stars</i> ' (AAF)	0-35	€ 50000
9 - 13 September	[31 Jul]	Aachen (frg) ' <i>MozARTe</i> ' (AAF)	0-32	€ 3000
10 - 22 September	[30 Apr]	Zhuhai (chn) ' <i>Mozart</i> ' (AAF)	17-23 +Y	€ 26770
12 - 15 September	[~31 Aug]	Marbella (Malaga) (esp) ' <i>Marbella</i> ' (AAF)	~0-35	~ € 5000
17 - 24 September	[19 Aug]	Yerevan (arm) (AAF)	0-35	€ 10000
24 Sep - 1 Oct	[31 Jul]	Seregno (it) ' <i>Ettore Pozzoli</i> ' (AAF)	0-32	~ € 15000
26 Sep - 5 Oct	[10 Jun]	Athens (gr) ' <i>Maria Callas</i> ' (AAF)	18-32	€ 12000
27 Sep - 6 Oct	[ 1 Jul]	Bucarest (rum) ' <i>Suzana Szörenyi</i> ' (AAF) [Piano Duo]	0-0 +Y	€ 4000
Sep./Oct.	[31 Jul]	Verona (it) (AAF)	~0-35	~ € 5000
30 Sep - 6 Oct	[30 Apr]	Detmold (frg) ' <i>Brahms</i> ' (AAF)	all ages	€ 5000
October	[~1 Oct]	Milano (it) ' <i>Piano Lovers</i> ' (AAF) [Non professionals]	40 and up	~ € 150
2 - 6 October	[ 6 Sep]	Trento (it) ' <i>Roberto Melini</i> ' (AAF)	0-32 +Y	~ € 1500
2 - 8 October	[31 Jul]	Parma (it) ' <i>Liszt - Premio Mario Zanfi</i> ' (AAF)	0-35	€ 10000
7 - 24 October	[28 Feb]	Hong Kong (hk) (Fed.) (AAF)	0-30	€ 22308
9 - 19 October	[21 Jul]	Vercelli (it) ' <i>G.B. Viotti</i> ' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-30	€ 21000
10 - 16 October	[ 9 Sep]	Tokyo (jpn) ' <i>Japan Piano Open</i> ' (AAF)	0-35	€ 30000
12 - 15 October	[15 Sep]	Riga (lat) (AAF)	19-21 +Y	€ 500
22 - 27 October	[30 Sep]	Cento (it) ' <i>Roberta Gallinari</i> ' (AAF)	~0-35	~ € 4000
26 - 31 October	[ 1 Jul]	Eppan (it) (AAF)	18-26 +Y	€ 5000
26 Oct - 3 Nov	[~12 Aug]	Tongyeong (cor) ' <i>Isang Yun</i> ' (Fed.) (AAF)	~15-30	~ € 23010
26 Oct - 3 Nov	[15 Sep]	Kiev (ukr) ' <i>Kyiv IPC</i> ' (AAF)	16-32	€ 8000
27 Oct - 3 Nov	[ 1 Jun]	Albuquerque, New Mexico (usa) ' <i>Olga Kern</i> ' (AAF)	18-32	~ € 10128
30 Oct - 3 Nov	[10 Oct]	Radovljica (slvn) (AAF)	19-24 +Y	€ 1500
Oct./Nov.	[~24 Sep]	Roma (it) ' <i>Chopin</i> ' (AAF)	0-35 +Y	€ 10000
9 - 16 November	[ 1 Oct]	Las Rozas (esp) (AAF)	0-36	~ € 8000
10 - 24 November	[20 Apr]	Bydgoszcz (pol) ' <i>Paderewski</i> ' (Fed.) (AAF)	16-32	€ 30000
11 - 17 November	[15 Oct]	Graz (a) ' <i>Béla Bartók</i> ' (AAF)	22-25 +Y	
19 - 23 November	[ 8 Oct]	Roubaix (f) ' <i>Etoiles du Piano</i> ' (AAF)	18-32	€ 5000
20 - 23 November	[ 1 Oct]	Newcastle (gb) ' <i>Young Pianist of the North</i> ' (AAF)	0-22 +Y	~ € 795
29 Nov - 1 Dec	[30 Sep]	Budapest (hun) ' <i>Ferenczy György</i> ' (AAF)	0-22 +Y	
30 Nov - 8 Dec	[ 1 Jun]	Ryazan (rus) ' <i>Russian Music</i> ' (AAF)	19-30 +Y	€ 13825
5 - 8 December	[13 Oct]	Campillos (esp) (AAF)	all ages	~ € 4000
6 - 8 December	[~1 Nov]	Osimo (it) ' <i>Nuova Coppa Pianisti</i> ' (AAF)	16-32 +Y	~ € 2000
6 - 14 December	[10 May]	Bonn (frg) ' <i>Telekom-Beethoven</i> ' (Fed.) (AAF)	16-32	€ 30000
13 - 15 December	[15 Nov]	Kraainem (b) ' <i>César Franck</i> ' (AAF)	~17-21 +Y	~ € 1000
16 - 20 December	[11 Nov]	Moscow (rus) ' <i>Moscow Piano Open</i> ' (AAF)	0-35	€ 10000