

## PIANO COMPETITION CALENDAR 2021

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>2021</b>				
<del>3 - 10 January</del>	[.....]	Tempe (AZ) (usa) 'Bösendorfer' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	19-32	~ € 13812
<del>3 - 10 January</del>	[.....]	Tempe (AZ) (usa) 'Yamaha' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	16-18 +Y	~ € 4604
5 - 8 January	[20 Nov]	Seoul (cor) 'Korean Open' (AAF)	0-35	€ 30000
<del>14 - 22 January</del>	[.....]	Thessaloniki (gr) 'Giorgos Thymis' (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-32	€ 5000
20 Jan - 5 Feb	[15 Nov]	Singapore [Online] (sing) (AAF)	18-35 +Y	€ 8923
<del>5 - 7 February</del>	[.....]	Pontoise (f) 'Piano Campus' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	16-25	€ 5000
<del>6 - 15 February</del>	[.....]	Graz (a) 'Schubert - 20th Century' (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	~0-35	€ 13500
26 - 27 February	[20 Nov]	Düsseldorf (frg) 'Schumann' (AAF)	18-20 +Y	€ 5000
<del>26 Feb - 6 Mar</del>	[.....]	Århus (dan) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	16-21 +Y	€ 15000
27 - 28 February	[22 Dec]	Neuchâtel (ch) (AAF)	16-25 +Y	€ 3661
27 Feb - 2 Mar	[ 5 Jan]	Hong Kong / [Online] (hk) 'HKYPAF' (AAF)	20-30 +Y	€ 575
<del>15 - 25 March</del>	[.....]	Weimar (frg) 'Liszt' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	14-18 +Y	€ 3000
<del>21 - 28 March</del>	[.....]	Epinal (f) (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	16-30	€ 10000
23 - 26 March	[25 Feb]	Brussels [Online] (b) 'Merci Maestro!' (AAF)	16-22 +Y	~ € 600
31 Mar - 3 Apr	[ 9 Feb]	Milwaukee (WI) (usa) 'PianoArts' (AAF)	16-21 Y	€ 10708
<del>6 - 11 April</del>	[.....]	Varazdin (crt) 'Jurica Murai' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	17-32 +Y	€ 2000
8 - 10 April	[15 Mar]	Viseu [online] (prt) (AAF)	0-31	€ 8000
8 - 17 April	[18 Feb]	Jaén (esp) (Fed.) (AAF)	0-32	€ 20000
<del>19 - 25 April</del>	[.....]	Pilsen (cz) 'Smetana' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-30 +Y	€ 1850
26 Apr - 14 May	[15 Nov]	Montreal [online] (can) (Fed.) (AAF)	0-31	€ 54504
29 Apr - 3 May	[ 1 Oct]	Tel-Aviv (isr) 'Arthur Rubinstein - Finals' (Fed.) (AAF)	19-33	€ 35694
1 - 8 May	[ 1 Apr]	Ferrol (esp) (AAF)	all ages	€ 15000
3 - 29 May	[ 4 Dec]	Brussels (b) 'Queen Elisabeth' (Fed.) (AAF)	19-31	€ 25000
<del>4 - 8 May</del>	[.....]	Cantu (it) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-36	€ 5000
<del>7 - 9 May</del>	[.....]	Vanves (f) 'Jean Françaix' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-38	€ 4000
10 - 15 May	[26 Feb]	Prague (cz) 'Printemps de Prague' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-30	€ 9251
13 - 16 May	[12 Mar]	Szafarnia [online] (pol) 'Chopin' (AAF)	14-17 +Y	€ 2000
13 - 23 May	[29 May]	Bucarest (rum) 'George Enescu - SF & Finals' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-33	€ 15000
<del>14 - 25 May</del>	[.....]	Dublin (irl) (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	18-30	€ 15000
21 - 28 May	[30 Apr]	Kielce [online] (pol) 'Moritz Moszkowski' (AAF)	0-20 +Y	~ € 646
22 May	[30 Apr]	Verona (it) 'C. V. Alkan' (AAF)	0-27	€ 5000
27 May - 5 Jun	[15 Feb]	Zürich (ch) 'Géza Anda' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-32	€ 36619
<del>27 May - 12 Jun</del>	[.....]	Fort Worth (TX) (usa) 'Van Cliburn' (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	18-30	€ 89235
1 - 9 June	[25 May]	Massarosa [online] (it) (AAF)	0-30	€ 5000
<del>3 - 13 June</del>	[.....]	Zwickau (frg) 'Schumann' (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-31	€ 10000
6 - 12 June	[30 Apr]	Maisons-Laffitte (f) 'Opus Yvelines' (AAF)	0-33 +Y	€ 3000
11 - 18 June	[15 May]	Vilnius [online] (lit) 'Balyš Dvarionas - I & II round' (AAF)	0-21 +Y	€ 3000
13 - 19 June	[15 Sep]	Salt Lake City (UT) [online] (usa) 'Gina Bachauer' (AAF)	11-14 Y	€ 8923
16 - 19 June	[31 Mar]	Monte Carlo (mc) 'World Music Masters' (AAF)	0-40	€ 30000
17 - 20 June	[30 Apr]	San Jose (CA) [online] (usa) (AAF)	15-18 +Y	€ 1784
<del>17 - 26 June</del>	[.....]	Hastings (gb) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	16-30	€ 17599
<del>19 - 25 June</del>	[.....]	Tromsø (n) 'Top of the World' (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	17-35	€ 30000
20 - 26 June	[15 Sep]	Salt Lake City (UT) [online] (usa) 'Gina Bachauer' (AAF)	15-18 Y	€ 13385
23 - 27 June	[ 7 Jun]	Enna (it) 'F.P. Neglia' (AAF)	~16-36	~ € 4500
23 Jun - 2 Jul	[14 Jan]	Valencia (esp) 'José Iturbi' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-36	€ 30000
29 Jun - 3 Jul	[22 Mar]	Lleida (esp) 'Ricard Viñes' (AAF)	18-32	€ 12000
2 - 18 July	[16 Dec]	Sydney [Online] (aus) (Fed.) (AAF)	19-33	€ 16912
3 - 4 July	[19 Apr]	Orléans (f) 'Brin d'Herbe' (AAF)	0-18 +Y	€ 600
3 - 15 July	[10 Dec]	Barcelona (esp) 'Maria Canals' (Fed.) (AAF)	18-29	€ 25000
4 July	[15 Apr]	Grosseto (it) 'Scriabin - Finals' (AAF)	0-36	€ 8000
5 - 9 July	[ 1 Apr]	Lyon (f) (AAF)	17-35	~ € 5000
7 - 11 July	[ 4 Jul]	Milano (it) 'Antonio Mormone' (AAF)	17-28	€ 30000
8 Jul - 7 Aug	[26 Nov]	Cleveland (OH) (usa) (Fed.) (AAF)	18-32	€ 66926
10 - 17 July	[15 Apr]	Porto (prt) 'Santa Cecilia' (AAF)	0-32	€ 20000
12 - 18 July	[ 3 Jan]	Minneapolis (MN) [Online] (usa) 'e-piano junior' (AAF)	0-17 +Y	€ 6246

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12 - 18 July	[17 Jan]	Bremen (frg) (AAF)	16-31	€ 10000
13 - 16 July	[29 May]	Porto (prt) 'Santa Cecilia - Junior' (AAF)	6-18 +Y	€ 1000
15 - 18 July	[ 7 Jun]	Windsor (gb) (AAF)	18-29 +Y	~ € 707
16 - 18 July	[10 Jun]	Val Tidone (it) 'Premio Bengalli' (AAF)	0-35 +Y	€ 10000
<del>18 - 25 July</del>	[.....]	New Orleans (LA) (usa) 'NOIPC' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	all ages	€ 13385
19 - 20 July	[31 May]	Paris (f) 'IMFP' (AAF)	18 and up +Y	€ 1000
24 - 25 July	[20 Jun]	Lovere (it) 'Tadini' (AAF)	19-25 +Y	€ 1000
<del>26 - 31 July</del>	[.....]	Fort Collins (Colorado) (usa) 'Odysiad' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-35 +Y	€ 892
<del>July/Aug-</del>	[.....]	Tokyo (jpn) 'Shigeru Kawai' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	~17-27	~ € 7792
August	[.....]	Hong Kong (hk) 'Mozart Memorial' (AAF)	19-35 +Y	
1 - 14 August	[20 Jun]	Fulda (frg) 'Pianale' (AAF)	18-30 +Y	€ 1000
2 - 3 August	[20 Jun]	Recanati (it) 'Conero' (AAF)	18-32 +Y	€ 892
<del>12 - 22 August</del>	[.....]	Harbin (chn) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	18-36	€ 44617
13 - 20 August	[23 Jul]	Madrid [online] (esp) 'Delia Steinberg' (AAF)	18-30	€ 5000
14 - 19 August	[12 Aug]	New York (NY) [online] (usa) 'Manhville' (AAF)	18-25 +Y	€ 1784
16 - 19 August	[10 Jun]	Tokyo (jpn) 'PTNA' (AAF)	all ages	€ 10494
20 - 24 August	[ 1 Jun]	Zhuhai (chn) 'Chopin Memorial' (AAF)	0-32 +Y	€ 3451
21 - 26 August	[ 1 Jun]	New York (NY) [online] (usa) 'GOCAA' (AAF)	all ages	
23 - 31 August	[10 Jul]	Finale Ligure (it) 'Palma d'Oro' (AAF)	0-35	€ 4500
23 Aug - 15 Sep	[ 5 Aug]	New York (NY) [online] (usa) 'NYCA' (AAF)	0-35	
30 Aug - 8 Sep	[31 Mar]	Munich (frg) 'ARD' (AAF) [Piano Duo]	17-35	€ 12000
<del>Aug/Sep-</del>	[.....]	Sacile (it) 'FVG - 2nd phase' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-33	€ 10000
<del>31 Aug - 5 Sep</del>	[.....]	Qingdao (chn) 'Asian Liszt' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	15-18 +Y	€ 10708
4 - 12 September	[31 Jul]	Aachen (frg) 'MozArte' (AAF)	0-32 +Y	€ 3000
8 - 12 September	[30 Aug]	Acquaviva delle Fonti (it) 'Giovanni Colafermina' (AAF)	0-35 +Y	€ 5000
8 - 18 September	[31 Oct]	Leeds (gb) (Fed.) (AAF)	20-29	€ 29331
10 - 12 September	[20 Aug]	Aachen (frg) 'MozArte Junior' (AAF)	14-18 +Y	€ 500
11 - 18 September	[31 May]	Rzeszów (pol) 'Stanislaw Moniuszko' (AAF)	all ages	€ 20000
12 September	[18 Jun]	Bern (ch) 'Interlaken Classics' (AAF)	~16-30	~ € 9145
12 - 19 September	[15 Apr]	Budapest (hun) 'Liszt' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-32	€ 20000
<del>14 - 26 September</del>	[.....]	Zhuhai (chn) 'Mozart' (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	17-23 +Y	€ 26770
15 - 19 September	[15 Jul]	Sanremo (it) 'Russian Music' (AAF)	16-32	€ 6000
<del>17 - 25 September</del>	[.....]	Bergen (n) 'Grieg' (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	17-34	€ 30000
20 - 26 September	[15 Aug]	Poznan (pol) 'Halina Czerny-Stefanska' (AAF)	~0-30	~ € 5721
<del>23 - 26 September</del>	[.....]	Seregno (it) 'Elsa Pozzoli' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	16-18 +Y	€ 2000
24 - 26 September	[31 Jul]	Murcia (esp) 'Clamo' (AAF)	0-37	€ 3000
24 - 27 September	[20 Sep]	Kiev (ukr) 'Kyiv IPC' (AAF)	18-35 +Y	€ 3000
24 Sep - 3 Oct	[15 Jun]	Dortmund (frg) 'Schubert' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-33	€ 10000
25 Sep - 10 Oct	[18 Sep]	Verona [online] (it) 'Verona Young' (AAF)	17-18 +Y	€ 1000
27 Sep - 3 Oct	[30 Apr]	Detmold (frg) 'Brahms' (AAF)	0-35	€ 5000
28 Sep - 5 Oct	[30 Jul]	Seregno (it) 'Ettore Pozzoli' (AAF)	0-32	€ 15000
<del>1 - 11 October</del>	[.....]	Tbilisi (geor) (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	16-33	€ 17847
2 - 23 October	[ 1 Dec]	Warsaw (pol) 'Chopin' (Fed.) (AAF)	16-31	€ 40000
7 - 10 October	[31 Jul]	Verona (it) (AAF)	0-35	€ 7000
<del>8 - 18 October</del>	[.....]	Darmstadt (frg) 'Chopin' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-30	~ € 10000
<del>14 - 22 October</del>	[.....]	Calgary (can) 'Honens' (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	20-30	€ 68130
16 - 22 October	[ 1 Jun]	Dresden (frg) 'Carl Maria von Weber' (AAF)	18-23 +Y	€ 6000
<del>16 - 23 October</del>	[.....]	Enschede (hol) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	16-20 +Y	€ 4000
17 - 20 October	[20 Aug]	Frankfurt a/Main (frg) 'Int'l German Piano Award' (AAF)	all ages	€ 20000
18 - 21 October	[ 5 Nov]	Vienna (a) 'Beethoven' (Fed.) (AAF)	20-33	€ 10000
19 - 23 October	[ 1 Oct]	Milano (it) 'Piano Lovers' (AAF) [Non professionals]	40 and up	~ € 150
<del>26 Oct - 7 Nov</del>	[.....]	Shenzhen (chn) 'Concerto' (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-31	€ 26770
27 - 31 October	[10 Oct]	Radovljica (slvn) (AAF)	19-24 +Y	€ 1500
27 Oct - 7 Nov	[ 1 Jul]	Weimar / Bayreuth (frg) 'Liszt' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-31	€ 12000
Oct./Nov.	[ 1 Oct]	[Online] (frg) 'EUPLAYY' (AAF)	18-21 +Y	~ € 500
November	[~31 Oct]	Hong Kong [Online] (hk) 'IFA - Music Talents Online' (AAF)	all ages	~ € 920
2 - 6 November	[31 Jul]	Eppan (it) (AAF)	~17-26 +Y	~ € 5000
4 - 6 November	[15 Oct]	Taranto (it) 'Arcangelo Speranza' (AAF)	0-35	€ 4000
4 - 16 November	[11 Oct]	Roma (it) 'Chopin' (AAF)	0-35 +Y	~ € 7000
<del>11 - 14 November</del>	[.....]	St. Priest (f) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	~15-30	~ € 10000
<del>12 - 29 November</del>	[.....]	Hamamatsu (jpn) (Fed.) (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-30	€ 26234
14 - 20 November	[15 Sep]	Roubaix (f) 'Etoiles du Piano' (AAF)	18-32	€ 13500
15 - 18 November	[15 Oct]	Valladolid (esp) 'Frechilla-Zuloaga' (AAF)	0-35	€ 12000
22 - 27 November	[15 Jun]	New York (NY) (usa) 'Vendome - Semifinals' (AAF)	0-27	€ 26770
23 - 28 November	[ 4 Oct]	Grez Doiceau (b) 'EPTA' (AAF)	0-25 +Y	€ 1500
<del>24 - 27 November</del>	[.....]	Newcastle (gb) 'Young Pianist of the North' (AAF) <i>Cancelled</i>	0-20 +Y	~ € 927
24 - 27 November	[30 Jul]	Bratislava (slvk) 'Hummel - SF & Finals' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-32	€ 6000
28 - 30 November	[24 Oct]	Bangkok (thl) 'Bangkok IPC' (AAF)	16-20 +Y	€ 642
29 Nov - 5 Dec	[27 Sep]	Manchester (gb) 'James Mottram' (Fed.) (AAF)	0-30	€ 11732

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1 - 6 December	[~30 Oct]	Lomianki (pol) ' <i>Juliusz Zarebski</i> ' (AAF)	20-27 +Y	
2 - 11 December	[14 May]	Bonn (frg) ' <i>Telekom-Beethoven</i> ' (Fed.) (AAF)	18-32	€ 30000
3 - 6 December	[18 Oct]	Campillos (esp) (AAF)	all ages	€ 4000
3 - 7 December	[10 Nov]	Paris (f) ' <i>Animato - Chopin</i> ' (AAF)	all ages	€ 30000
4 - 10 December	[30 Oct]	Suzhou [online] (chn) ' <i>Jinji Lake</i> ' (AAF)	16-28	€ 26770
4 - 10 December	[ 1 Nov]	Novi Sad (serb) ' <i>Isidor Bajic</i> ' (AAF)	0-35 +Y	€ 4000
5 December	[ 1 Nov]	Milano [online] (it) ' <i>Piano Talents</i> ' (AAF)	17-18 +Y	€ 2000
7 - 23 December	[ 1 Nov]	[online] (sing) ' <i>Piano Island</i> ' (AAF)	18-35 +Y	€ 1338
11 - 12 December	[22 Nov]	Varallo (it) ' <i>Valsesia - Musica</i> ' (AAF)	0-37	€ 8000
18 - 19 December	[ 1 Nov]	Kraainem (b) ' <i>César Franck</i> ' (AAF)	17-21 +Y	€ 1000