

Ishikawa Kanazawa **Open Call for Left-hand Pianists**

Entry Requirements

Purpose: To help create a future of opportunity for people from around the world who aimed to become pianists but are unable to do two-handed performances due to disability etc. of the right hand.

Date/Time: 16 November 2019 (Sat) 2pm - 5pm

*This is an open call; therefore there is no entrance fee.

Venue: Ishikawa Ongakudo Koryu-hall

Organizer: Executive Committee of Ishikawa Kanazawa Spring Green Music Festival

Participation Requirements:

Performers who use only their left hand. 15 years and older. (any nationality)

Application deadline: 16 October (Wed) (Applications accepted 1 Sep to 16 Oct)

Application method:

Submission of the attached application form (including details regarding your disability)

Application Submission: Mail or fax or E-mail to the Executive Committee of Ishikawa Kanazawa Spring Green Music Festival (See Enquiries)

Participation fee: 20,000 yen

Expense Subsidy: The Executive Committee will cover the accommodation expense for one night (for a twin room with your assistant)
(But hotel of executive committee designation)

Set Pieces: A) Shin-ichiro IKEBE compositions "A Paper and Five Pens" for piano (left hand)

or

B) Takashi YOSHIMATSU compositions 'II. Gigue of forest' and 'III. Pavane for water' from "Tapiora Visions" for piano (left hand) Op.92

or

B') Takashi YOSHIMATSU compositions 'II. Arabesque' and 'V. Morzantino' from "Ainola Lyrical Ballads" for piano (left hand) Op.95

* Set piece scores are published by Ongaku No Tomo Sha Corp. Please obtain them from the publisher or a music store.

Time Limit:

- Set Pieces: A or B or B'
- Free program: Single

Total performance time: Under 15 minutes

Prizes: Outstanding performers will be appointed as Maurice Ravel "Piano Concerto for the Left Hand" with the "Arturo Toscanini Philharmonic Orchestra" in the May 2020 Ishikawa Kanazawa Spring Green Music Festival. Or, a solo performance at the same festival.

Judges: Izumi TATENO (pianist, Committee chairman),
Takashi YOSHIMATSU (composer), Tokuhide Niimi (composer)

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Application Form

Full Name		M / F	Date of birth: Student / Adult (please circle one) Age (as at 16 Nov 2019):
Address			Nationality
Contact Details	Home: (TEL) _____ (FAX) _____ Mobile: _____ Email: _____		
CV (Profile) Performances, prizes, past teachers			
Please provide details regarding why you perform using only your left hand			
Set Pieces (Please choose one)	A) "A Paper and Five Pens" / B) "Tapiora Visions" / B) "Ainola Lyrical Ballads"		
Free Program	(Original language name) Musical piece: <p style="text-align: right;">Please be sure to fill in this information. Performance time: _____minutes</p>		
Accommodation preference (Please choose one)	15 November / 16 November	Attendant Y / N	

*Please ensure to fill in all the required information, as it will be used in the concert program.

**Please send applications to : FAX +81 76-232-8712
(Deadline: 16 October)**