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# IX YOUNG GUITARISTS COMPETITION

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## Rules

- Open competition for all guitarists between 8 and 25 years old, inclusive.
- The repertoire has to be performed by heart and the pieces from the previous round can not be repeated. The score must be sent by mail in pdf format.
- Participants allow the Organization of the Competition to publish photos or videos of the contestants which will be used only for educational purposes and not for a commercial use.
- Categories A, B and C will be in-person in one Final Round.
- Category D: Preliminary Round online and Final Round in-person. The videos must be recorded in one shot (edited videos are not allowed). The participant must upload in YouTube the unlisted video and send the link to [festivalguitar.gandia@gmail.com](mailto:festivalguitar.gandia@gmail.com) up to 12<sup>th</sup> May 2024 before 23:59h CET. In the video must appear:
  - Title: CONCURSO GUITARRA GANDIA 2024 NameSurnameCategory
  - Description: Title of the pieces and composer. Category D.
- Public draw to determine the contestants' order of appearance will take place 8<sup>th</sup> July 2024.
- Participants in each category cannot exceed the age limit on the date of the contest.
- Previous winners cannot participate in the same category.
- Prizes subject to withholdings established by current legislation.
- The Organization reserves the right to carry out any adjustments deemed appropriate.

## Categories and Repertoire

Free program in every category. Participants will deliver three copies of the scores.

### *Category A - age 11 or under*

One round. Maximum of 5 minutes

### *Category B – age 14 or under*

One round. Maximum of 8 minutes

### *Category C – age 17 or under*

One round. Maximum 15 minutes

### *Category D – age 25 or under*

Preliminary round online. Video of a maximum 12 minutes



Final round. Maximum 20 minutes

## Jury

The Jury will consist of prominent national and international musicians and guitar pedagogues whose decision will be final.

The jury will assess the interpretative merits, the stage presence and the technical and musical interest of the presented repertoire.

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## Date and Place

Competition will be held in Casa de Cultura “Marqués González de Quirós” (Passeig de les Germanies nº13, Gandía (Valencia).

Deadline video acceptance for category D 12<sup>th</sup> May. Decision of the jury 17<sup>th</sup> May.

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July, Final Round of all categories:

- 09:30h Final categories A and B
- 12.00h Final Category C
- 16.30h Final Category D
- 19.30h. Awards ceremony

## Prizes

### Category A

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Diploma. Esteve Classical Guitar 4ST model. RCStrings Bonus 40€.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: Diploma. Guitar CD batch
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: Diploma. Tossal Música batch.

### Category B

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Diploma. Esteve Classical Guitar model 3. RCStrings Bonus 60€, Guitar CD batch.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: Diploma. Piles Editorial Scores and guitar books. Guitar CD batch.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: Diploma. Tossal Música batch.

### Category C

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Diploma. Esteve Classical Guitar 7SR model. RCStrings Bonus 100€, Guitar CD batch.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: Diploma. Piles Editorial Scores and guitar books, Guitar CD batch.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: Diploma. Tossal Música batch.

### Category D

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Diploma. Esteve Classical Guitar, Concert model, three concerts with an economic compensation of 1700€\*, organized by the Gandia Guitar Festival, Amigos de la Guitarra de Diània Society and Vicky Foods Foundation. RCSTRINGS Bonus 100€, Guitar CD batch.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: Diploma. 400€ \*. Piles Editorial Scores and guitar books. Guitar CD batch. Tossal Música batch.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: Diploma. 200€ \*. Piles Editorial Scores and guitar books, Guitar CD batch

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## Registration

Registration via e-mail (including name, surname, date of birth, phone number, pdf scores of the program, contact e-mail, id card and registration fee payment document):

[festivalguitar.gandia@gmail.com](mailto:festivalguitar.gandia@gmail.com)

Competition fee 40€.

The competition fee will be deposited in the bank account:

IBAN ES40 3159 0063 5929 7507 1321

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