

EUROPEAN YOUTH CIRCUS

ARTISTIC-FESTIVAL | 25 - 28 OCTOBER 2018 | WIESBADEN, DERNSCHES GELÄNDE

Every other year young artists from all over Europe meet in Wiesbaden at one of Europe's most important artistry festivals - the European Youth Circus.

TERMS OF PARTICIPATION

All European artistes from 12 to 25 years of age are called upon to participate. Participants at the European Youth Circus will be chosen by an international committee based on the applications submitted. An international jury (experts from the European circus and variety scene) determines the winners using a scoring system. **The members of the selection committee and the jury are not permitted to register any artistes they are training or taking care of.**

ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

- Technical performance
- Presentation and personal charisma
- Idea and innovation

FESTIVAL AWARDS

	Age group I 12 to 17 years old	Age group II 18 to 25 years old
Gold Award	€ 1.500	€ 2.000
Silver Award	€ 1.000	€ 1.500
Bronze Award	€ 700	€ 1.000

In addition to this, there are further attractive special prizes.

IMPORTANT

- Artistes and their accompanying persons will receive an allowance for **travel expenses.**
 - **Accommodation and catering** will be provided free of charge from Sunday, 21 to Monday, 29 October 2018.
 - **Performances with animals** are not permitted.
 - Your **application** shall contain the following:
 - Application form
 - Copy of passports/identity cards of all artistes and their accompanying person(s)
 - Video of your performance, optionally as
 - DVD
 - Video file on a USB memory stick or as
 - "direct-download" video file on the Internet (WITHOUT any password/registration requirement).
- Pay attention for a high quality recording.

Shows

25 October 10.00 am + 7.00 pm
26 October 10.00 am + 7.00 pm

Galas

27 October 7.00 pm
28 October 3.00 pm

Ecumenical Church Service with Artistes

28 October 11.00 am

DECLARATION

Upon signing the application the participants acknowledge the Terms of Participation and the fact that rehearsals and the performances/shows themselves may be recorded by a television crew. The Municipal Institute for Cultural Affairs Wiesbaden holds all the rights including the unrestricted use of any images and video recordings made during the rehearsals and shows of the European Youth Circus.

The Municipal Institute for Cultural Affairs reserves the unrestricted right to use the submitted images and videos for printed materials and electronic media associated with advertising measures undertaken for the European Youth Circus.

The Municipal Institute for Cultural Affairs Wiesbaden cannot be held liable for any injuries, accidents or illnesses incurred by the artistes during their stay in Wiesbaden. The artistes themselves are responsible for taking out appropriate insurance cover.

The Municipal Institute for Cultural Affairs shall not be liable for any damage to, or theft of, the props or costumes.

The artistes perform their acts under their own responsibility and declare that their technical equipment complies with the generally accepted engineering standards and current safety standards. The artistes shall perform their acts without causing any harm to the visitors of the event.

The artistes undertake to arrive in Wiesbaden on Sunday, **21 October 2018** and to take part in all rehearsals, competitions and - in the event of being awarded by the jury - in the Gala Shows.

The number of accompanying persons for performances involving up to four artistes is limited to one person. For performances with five or more artistes two accompanying persons are permitted. Additional accompanying persons shall pay for their own travel expenses, accommodation and catering.

Place, Date

Signature

For artistes aged under 18: signature of the parent

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: 31 MAY 2018

 **APPLICATION** 

 **Please fill in clearly and legibly**

Name/Pseudonym/Name of Group

Title of the performance

Type of performance

Duration (minutes:seconds)

Name(s) of artiste(s)

Date of birth

Gender

Nationality

Name of accompanying person 1

Name of accompanying person 2

Please add a copy of the ID card or passport of each artiste and each accompanying person.

Name of contact person (English- or German-speaking)

Street

Post code

City

Country

Phone

Mobile phone

E-Mail

Website