

**SOLOCOREOGRAFICO YOUTH - Frankfurt 2023**  
Youth Selection - Frankfurt 2023

Call for participation  
deadline September 30, 2023

**REGULATION**

Art 1- **SOLOCOREOGRAFICO YOUTH - Frankfurt 2023** is the international event dedicated to young solo dancers. The event aims at the selection of new talents, who will perform during the Solocoreografico Solo Dance Festival edition in Torino, Italy, with a solo of their choice. Furthermore, during the festival, the young dancers will attend the workshops and will attend the professional show evenings at a reduced price.

The artistic director, Raffaele Irace, wishes to welcome the young dancers within an accredited international event (Solocoreografico Solo Dance Festival) by making the professionalism of his organization available. ([www.solocoreografico.com](http://www.solocoreografico.com)).

This new section of the festival dedicated to young dancers will run as follows:

**Friday 6th October**

Arrival of participants, accommodation in Hotel in Frankfurt.

Recommended hotels: [The Monument Hotel](#) - [Tryp Hotel Frankfurt](#) - [a&o Frankfurt Galluswarte](#)

8:00pm – 10:00pm Solocoreografico Professional Show Solo Dance Festival – Frankfurt 2023

**Saturday 7th October**

10:30am – 12:00pm Contemporary dance (with the Festival's guest choreographers)

12:15pm – 1:45pm Contemporary dance (with the Festival's guest choreographers)

2.45pm – 4.45pm Contemporary dance / choreographic workshop (with the Festival's guest choreographers)

8:00pm – 10:00pm Solocoreografico Professional Show Solo Dance Festival – Frankfurt 2023 (Friday's program 6.10)

**Sunday 8th October**

11:00am – 12.30pm Contemporary dance lesson - Raffaele Irace, Italy/Germany (choreographer and artistic director active in Frankfurt and Turin)

3:00pm– 5:00pm Show: **Solocoreografico Youth – Frankfurt 2023 and award ceremony**

The festival workshops will be held on the stage of the Gallus Theater, Kleyerstr. 15, 60326 Frankfurt.

**Art 2 - Age, categories, choreography**

The dancers must be between the ages of 12 and 17, or if they are already adults 18+ they must be students of dance schools or academies.

There is no age limit for the choreographer.

The category will be unique, as the event will select young artists based on their artistic quality as well as technique, not on age

Multiple choreographies can be submitted. The choreographer can also be an interpreter of the choreography presented.

The style and genre of dance, the choice of drama and music are at the discretion of the choreographer.

The maximum duration allowed is 4 minutes, under penalty of exclusion from participation.

The candidate choreography may have already been presented at other events in the past.

**Art 3 - Participation fee, deadlines**

The participation fee is €110.00 for each choreography entered, and includes the performance on stage, participation in the selection for the Turin 2024 edition, and all the workshops listed.

Only participation in the workshops is also foreseen, with the following fees: 1 lesson 20,- € / 2 lessons 35,- € / 3 lessons 45,- € / 4 lessons 55,- €

The participation fee is to be paid by bank transfer to:

Associazione Culturale SUPERNOVA ETS

Banca di Asti

IBAN: IT11 U060 8530 4100 0000 0024 263

In the reason for the payment, specify: "Registration fee - Name & Surname of the dancer"

- Read carefully and sign this regulation.
- Fill in and sign the registration form which can be downloaded from the website [www.solocoreografico.com](http://www.solocoreografico.com)
- In addition to the regulation and the signed registration form, send a valid certificate of sound and robust physical health as an attachment, and the copy of the payment for registration, to the following email address: [solocoreografico@gmail.com](mailto:solocoreografico@gmail.com),  
Object of the email should be: Registration Solocoreografico Youth - Name Surname

IMPORTANT: write the data of the person (Name, Surname, address and tax code) who made the payment via email to [solocoreografico@gmail.com](mailto:solocoreografico@gmail.com), to allow our administration to issue a regular invoice.

The choreographer and/or contact person is responsible for the authenticity of the documentation provided. Should the organisation find the untruthfulness or incompleteness, the participants will be excluded from the youth program.

#### • **Deadline for sending registrations**

Registrations must be received by 24:00 on Wednesday 30 September 2023.

Only registrations received via the official form which can be downloaded from the website [www.solocoreografico.com](http://www.solocoreografico.com) are valid

#### **Art. 4 - Rehearsals**

There are no rehearsals of the choreography on stage, but only a brief assessment setting of the scenic space.

#### **Art. 5 - Music**

The music tracks must be exclusively in .mp3 format named as follows:

*Name Surname performer - Choreography title*. They must be sent by e-mail to [solocoreografico@gmail.com](mailto:solocoreografico@gmail.com) with the submission of the application.

Choreographers must bring a backup copy of the piece on a USB stick with them, in case of need.

The presence of the teacher/choreographer in the direction is required at the time of the performance.

#### **Article 6 - Lights**

A fixed light (placed white) will be available for all the choreographies.

The light design will be fixed and cannot be modified

#### **Art. 7 – Candidates attend the show**

During the selection phases, participants will be able to access the hearing area based on the availability of seats.

#### **Art. 8 - Jury**

The jury is made up of personalities and dance professionals, artistic directors, choreographers, dancers, entertainment agents, journalists.

The organization may at any time change the composition of the jury if it deems it necessary or due to force majeure.

#### **Art. 9 – Evaluations and selected**

The Jury will be made up of international dance professionals and chaired by the artistic director Raffaele Irace.

The intelligent and creative use of space and time, the realization of an idea through a choreography for the dance of a single performer and the talent of the same, will be the cornerstones for the evaluation of the performances, regardless of the style proposed and the age of the candidates.

The results of the selection will be communicated at the end of the performances by the artistic director and the jury present in the hall. The following day the names will be published on social and web channels.

The Jury's decision will be final.

#### **Art. 10 - PRIZES**

The Jury will select a maximum of 3 choreographies that will participate in the international festival for professionals Solo Dance Festival – Torino Edition 2024 in the city of Torino in Italy, Teatro Café Müller, partner of the festival.

The selected choreographies will be performed during the festival evenings in Italy. The invited dancers and choreographers will have free access to all the workshops and shows during the festival days.

The organisation will be responsible for the partial reimbursement of travel expenses and the entire cost of accommodation for the duration of the festival, both for the selected dancer and for an accompanying choreographer if the dancer is a minor.

Participation in the festival for professionals in Turin in Italy is a great opportunity for visibility and sharing for both choreographers and young artists, to directly access a unique professional and international artistic community.

In fact, the network of the Solocoreografico festival extends all over the world: France, Germany, Italy, Israel, Portugal, Singapore, Slovenia, United States, Turkey. This makes it possible to access, in case of selection, the various dance platforms in Italy and abroad.

Our partners:

FRANCE > Festival 1.2.3. SOLI - Lyon

GERMANY > SOLOCOREOGRAFICO Solo Dance Festival - Frankfurt edition

GERMANY > International Choreography Competition - Hannover

ISRAEL > MACHOL SHALEM Dance Festival - Jerusalem

ISRAEL > Jerusalem International Solo Dance Festival

ITALY > Teatro Café Müller / BlucinQue Associazione - Turin

PORTUGAL > Quinzena de Dança de Almada Festival - Almada

SINGAPORE > Odyssey Dance Theater International – Singapore

SLOVENIA > OPUS - International Competition of Young Dance Creators - Celje

UNITED STATES > Oklahoma International Dance Festival

TURKEY > Solo Contemporary Dance Festival - Ankara

#### Article 11 - **Ticket office**

**Solocoreografico show professionals** on 6 October at 8:00pm - 10 euro

**Solocoreografico show professionals** on 7 October at 8:00pm - 10 euro

Price categories for non-members of the YOUTH program: operators/dance schools/accompanying person 10 euro, 15 euro reduced, 20 euro full price.

**Show SOLOCOREOGRAFICO YOUTH** 8 October at 3pm, is free for members of the program plus one accompanying person. For non-members of the program the full price is 10 euro.

All tickets must be booked by email to [solocoreografico@gmail.com](mailto:solocoreografico@gmail.com)

The shows will be presented at the Gallus Theater, Kleyerstr. 15, 60326 Frankfurt.

#### Art. 12 – **Video recordings and photographs**

Photographers and video operators not authorized by the theater will not be admitted during the show.

The organization will produce a film and photographs necessary for the documentation of the event. Videos and photographs will be available for purchase in the days following the event.

#### Art. 13 – **Cancellation**

The organization avails itself of the right to cancel the event should there be reasons of proven force majeure. In this case the registration fees will be refunded. In case of non-participation in the event for reasons not attributable to the organization, for renunciation or otherwise, you will not be entitled to any refund of the fee.

#### Art 14 - **Use of images**

The organization of the event reserves the right to use images and videos of the performances for possible television or internet passages. The participant and whoever takes his place assigns to the Organization all rights relating to the use of images and videos created during the competition. This means that the participants and whoever takes their place will not be able to claim any type of economic request for the possible use of the images and videos used in the aforementioned methods.

#### Art. 15 – **Use of personal data**

The organizer is authorized to acquire and use (unless written dissent) the personal data, released by each participant for promotional, informational and statistical purposes in accordance with the laws in force. Personal data will in no case be transferred to third parties.

#### Art. 16 - **Physical health**

The participants in the Competition, or whoever takes their place, declare that they are in good health as per the medical certificates in their possession and already delivered during the registration phase. The Organizer also declines all responsibility for damage to property or persons that may occur during the various stages of the event, whether suffered or caused by the contest participants themselves or by their companions.

**Art. 17 - Acceptance of the regulation**

Participation in the Competition implies the unreserved acceptance of these regulations and any additional rules that the organization reserves the right to introduce and which take on equivalent value to the regulation itself. In the event of non-compliance with the provisions of these regulations, the Organization may also adopt the measure of expulsion from the Competition. In this event, the participant is not entitled to any refund or indemnity.

**Article 18 – Responsibility**

Excriminating consent of the entitled person. The organization is exempt from any type of liability as any damage to persons (himself or others) or to things occurring in the practice of dance on the occasion of the competition must be considered covered by the consent of the entitled party, relieving the participant and the organization from any and all responsibility in this regard, and by signing this regulation and the registration form as a formal provision of consent in terms.

**Liability waiver for things or valuables of the participants in the competition.**

The organization is not liable for the loss, theft or deterioration of things or valuables and personal effects of the members brought into the competition venues.

**Art. 19 – Extraordinary decisions and assessments**

For anything not covered in these regulations, every decision rests with the artistic direction of the organization.

**ACCEPTANCE OF THE REGULATION**

The undersigned declares to have read and fully accept the regulation of “SOLOCOREOGRAFICO Solo Dance Festival - YOUTH Frankfurt 2023”

signature choreographer/teacher (Surname e Name, place, date and signature)

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signature dancer (Surname e Name, place, date and signature)

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Identity document number of the minor's parent or guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of the minor's parent or guardian (Surname e Name, place, date and signature)

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For further communications and information:  
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