

♫ This Entry Form should be submitted to the **World Youth and Children Choral Artists' Association (WYCCAA)** via email on or before **15 February 2017**

PART I CHOIR / GROUP INFORMATION

*Name of Choir / Group (English) _____

*Name of Choir / Group (Chinese, if any) _____

*Name of Conductor (English) (First Name) _____ (Last Name) _____

*Name of Conductor (Chinese, if any) _____

*Country of Origin _____

Recommended by (If any) _____

Award Attained in International Competitions in 2 years (If any) Competition: _____ Award: _____

*Required fills

PART II CONTACT PERSON INFORMATION

*Name of Contact Person (Please tick) Mr. Ms. Mrs. Dr. Prof.

*Name in English (First Name) _____ (Last Name) _____

*Name in Chinese (If any) _____

*Mailing Address _____

*Postal: (Postal Code: _____)

*Office Telephone Number (Country Code: _____)

Fax Number (Country Code: _____)

*Mobile Number (Country Code: _____)

*Email Address _____

*Nature of Entry (Please tick) Choir / Group (go to Part III)

*Required fills

PART III COMPETITION CATEGORY	
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 Children's Choir, SA voices (Age 12 or under, 25 singers or above; Time limit: 8 minutes)	<input type="checkbox"/> A2 Children's Choir, SA voices (Age 16 or under; 25 singers or above; Time limit: 10 minutes)
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 Youth Choir, SA voices (Age 29 or under, 25 singers or above; Time limit: 15 minute)	<input type="checkbox"/> B2 Youth Choir, TB voices (Age 29 or under, 25 singers or above; Time limit: 15 minutes)
<input type="checkbox"/> C Contemporary Music (Any Voice Combination) (Age 29 or under, 25 singers or above; Time limit: 8 minutes)	<input type="checkbox"/> B1 Youth Choir, SA voices (Age 29 or under, 25 singers or above; Time limit: 15 minute)
<input type="checkbox"/> E Show Choir (Any Voice Combination) (Age 29 or under, 25 singers or above; Time limit: 10 minutes)	<input type="checkbox"/> D Folklore (Any Voice Combination) (Age 29 or under, 25 singers or above; Time limit: 8 minutes)
<input type="checkbox"/> G Adult Choir (Any Voice Combination) (Age 30 or above, 25 singers or above; Time limit: 10 minutes)	<input type="checkbox"/> F Vocal Ensemble (Any Voice Combination) (Age 29 or under, max. 16 singers; Time limit: 10 minutes)
❖ For the competitions' rules and regulations update, please go to the 2017 World Youth and Children's Choir Festival (WYCCF) official site (http://www.wyccaa.com/en/wyccf)	

PART IV ENTRANCE FEE

Please tick and fill in the total amount

Choir / Group (Package A1)#	Arrival at HK: 17 July 2017 (Afternoon time)	Competition Fee + University Hostel Residential Fee + Local Meal and Transportation Fees	<input type="checkbox"/> USD 630 per head (* No. of participants including singers, conductors, accompanists _____ and accompanying staff: _____)
	Departure from HK: 22 July 2017 (around noon time)		<input type="checkbox"/> USD 810 per head (* No. of participants including singers, conductors, accompanists _____ and accompanying staff: _____)
Choir / Group (Package A2)#	(Suggested) Arrival at HK: 17 July 2017 (Afternoon time)	Competition Fee only	<input type="checkbox"/> USD 330 per head (excluding the residential, meal and transportation fees) (* No. of participants including singers, conductors, accompanists _____ and accompanying staff: _____)
	Departure from HK: 22 July 2017 (around noon time)		
Enroll in one more choral competition category, additional charge (No choir can enrol in more than two competition categories)			<input type="checkbox"/> USD 510
Total Entrance Fee			USD

Application packages' details please see Part VII. Submission deadline is 15th of February, 2017. Our preliminary assessment process will be done within 2 weeks after your submission. For the successful applicant, please pay the advance deposit of USD 1,000 within 1 week after assessment result notice. And remaining balance has to be settled due on 28th of February, 2017. Please provide payment receipts for our reference. Due to the peak season of summer tourism in Hong Kong, any late payment might affect the accommodation reservation and competition arrangement accordingly. And the telegraphic transfer information will be provided upon successful application. Thank you very much for your generous understanding and cooperation at all.

* Number of accompanying staff members (who are not singers, conductors, or accompanists) is limited a maximum of 4 people or 10%. Please apply as Individual Delegate if the number of accompanying staff exceeds the limit.

Organizers:



Co-presenters:



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Supporter:



PART V SUBMISSION

Please submit the following items to the *World Youth and Children Choral Artists' Association (WYCCAA)* via email on or before **15 February 2017**

- This Entry Form
- Recordings of recent performance of at least two songs within one year in CD / DVD format

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After the selection process, please submit the following items to the *World Youth and Children Choral Artists' Association (WYCCAA)* via email on or before **15 March 2017**:

- Scores of the pieces, please refer to recent update of Regulations on the Festival website for the number of copies. And to be submitted **by post to us**.
- Brief description of each piece (< 50 words) in English (and) Chinese and the programme order should be marked clearly.
- Brief summary in English (and) Chinese of the content of any song (< 50 words) whose lyrics are not in English or Chinese.
- Biography of the Choir (< 150 words).
- Photo of the Choir at print quality (jpeg at 300 dpi).

If applicant wish to perform in a friendly concert, please submit the following items to *World Youth and Children Choral Artists' Association (WYCCAA)* via email on or before **15 March 2017**:

- Recordings of recent performance of at least two songs within one year in CD/DVD format to be sent via online. (Choirs joining competition **do not** need to submit again)
- A repertoire of 2 to 3 songs other than the songs chosen for competitions within 15 minutes.
- Brief description of each piece (< 50 words) in English (and) Chinese and the programme order should be marked clearly.
- Brief summary in English (and) Chinese of the content of any song (< 50 words) whose lyrics are not in English or Chinese.

Enquiry/ Submission:



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PART VI AGREEMENT

I hereby certify that all of the above information is correct. I understand that the application will be disregarded and the group's participation will be disqualified if any of the above information and attached materials are not true or intentionally modified.

I understand that World Youth and Children Choral Artists' Association (WYCCAA) and Hong Kong Treble Choirs' Association are the organizers of the 2017 World Youth & Children's Choir Festival (WYCCF) - Hong Kong. The Chinese Society for Music Education (CSME) and China Music Education are the co-presenters of festival. And the Musica Connection is the supporter of the festival.

I understand that World Youth and Children Choral Artists' Association (WYCCAA) reserves all rights to vary or terminate the offers and programs at any time. In case of any disputes arising out of or in connection with the accommodation/ meal/ transportation/ competition arrangements, the decision of World Youth and Children Choral Artists' Association (WYCCAA) should be the final.

I also understand and agree that World Youth and Children Choral Artists' Association (WYCCAA) and the Organizing Committee of 2017 World Youth & Children's Choir Festival - Hong Kong have the final and absolute rights to amend and decide the distribution of all awards and prizes without giving prior notification. Decisions given by the jury will be final and any breach of the Festival Regulations by any of the group member will lead to disqualification.

The participating choir/ group hereof undertake that World Youth and Children Choral Artists' Association (WYCCAA): 1) has all rights to record and photograph all performances and/or competitions 2) has all rights to broadcast and/or publish the recorded materials and photographs taken during and after the Festival and 3) retains the copyrights of all sorts of recorded materials and photographs taken in the Festival.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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PART VII PACKAGE FEES & REMARKS

Package A1: Participating Choir/ Group

(including accommodation, local meal and transportation):

1. 6 Days/ 5 Nights of Accommodation During the Festival (17JUL2017 afternoon arrival; 22JUL2017 noon departure)
2. Local Meals and Transportation During the Festival
3. Participation in 1 Category of Competition (Max. 2 categories but extra participation fees required)
4. 1 Workshop (Designed for choir members)
5. Extra Workshops upon Request
6. 1 Master Class (Designed for conductors and tutors, 2 persons per team)
7. Extra Master Classes upon Request
8. Free Admission to 3 concerts (Including opening and closing concerts)
9. Extra Concerts in Half-Price
10. As per the Ticketing Status and Seating Arrangement, Conductors and Tutors could Attend Extra Concerts (2 persons per team, pre-registration required)
11. Chance to Perform in 1 Friendly Concert (Organizing committee's assessment required)
12. Souvenir and Souvenir Book
13. Certificate of Participation
14. Attending Welcoming Banquet with International Renowned Choral Experts (For conductors and tutors, 2 persons per team)
15. Admission to Competitions

Remarks:

- All residential rooms are basically twin rooms (as per the accommodation supply status, few triple/ quad rooms might be offered). An extra USD230 for hostel single room and USD390 for hotel single room will be charged.
- Enroll in one more choral competition category, additional charge USD510. (Max. 2 categories of competition in total for each team)
- Request for extra sightseeing tours can be under consideration, and extra payment is needed.
- WYCCAA reserves the right to vary or terminate the offers and programs at any time.
- In case of any disputes arising out of or in connection with the accommodation/ meal/ transportation/ competition arrangements, the decision of WYCCAA should be the final.

Package A2: Participating Choir/ Group

(EXCLUDING accommodation, local meal and transportation):

1. Participation in 1 Category of Competition (Max. 2 categories but extra participation fees required)
2. 1 Workshop (Designed for choir members)
3. Extra Workshops upon Request
4. 1 Master Class (Designed for conductors and tutors, 2 persons per team)
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** Seats of all corresponding venues are limited and reserved on request. First-come-first-served. **

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Organizers:



世界青少年合唱藝術家協會
WORLD YOUTH & CHILDREN CHORAL ARTISTS' ASSOCIATION



香港童聲合唱協會
Hong Kong Treble Choirs' Association

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Supporter:



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