

**Short note about SPRING SEASON - 2021  
of international contests  
DIGI-FORM-ART Contest of the XVII International CULTURE CARAVAN 2021  
and  
STAR BRIDGE Contest of the III International Art Project THE ISLANDS WORLDWIDE 2021**

**Organizing Committee registered 750 applications.**

**In Spring Season in our contests there were almost 1000 participants 26 countries:**

Estonia, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Macedonia, Poland, Slovenia, Romania, Russia, Belarus, Moldova, Serbia, Bulgaria, Germany, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Uzbekistan, South Africa, UK, USA, Portugal, Greece, The United Arab Emirates, Ireland, Azerbaijan.

Groups, ensembles, duets and soloists at the age between 5 years old and adults in a very respectable age. Nominations in different styles and genres: vocal, instrumental music, choreography, drama and reading, fashion, visual arts.

Special Jury Chairman and Jury Vice-Chairman decision – more than one GRAND-PRIX for this contest (for separate art categories):

**\*For BOTH contests for those participants, who was very close to GRAND-PRIX (was nominated for main prize, but hasn't got it) Organizers announced:  
Golden Award, Silver Award, Bronze Award and Overall Award for different nominations.**

**DIGI-FORM-ART POLAND**

**GRAND-PRIX Vocal, 16-19 y.o. (Junior IV)**

**Ania Klah**

Teacher Magda Durecka

Polska, Wroclaw

Song: Caruso, Te voglio bene assai

**GRAND-PRIX Visual Arts, 13-15 y.o. (Junior III)**

**Екатерина Степанович**

Руководитель Шуманская Наталья Евгеньевна

ГУО "Слуцкий Центр детского творчества", Народная изостудия "Вытоки"

Беларусь, г. Слуцк

Painting: "Мои любимые животные". Гуашь.

**GRAND-PRIX Music, 16-19 y.o. (Junior IV)**

**Hajiyev Farid**

Teacher Akhundzade Rufat, Accompanist Asgarli Arzu

Baku Music Academy named by Uzeir Hajibeyli

Azerbaijan, Baku

Trumpet: T.H.Rollinson - Roses and Lilies

**GRAND-PRIX Dance, 13-15 y.o. (Junior III)**

**Schmetterlinge-Maxi**

Teacher Natalie Mitraev

Tanzstudio Schmetterling (Студия современного эстрадного танца "Бабочки")

Germany, Oberhausen

Contemporary / modern: Elektro

**STAR BRIDGE IRELAND – POLAND (WOLIN)**

**GRAND-PRIX Vocal, 10-12 y.o. (Junior II)**

**Raya Atanasova**

Teacher Georgieva Miglena, Boeva Latinka, Yordanova Hristina

CPLR ODK "Nie, vrabchetata"

Bulgaria, Montana

Song: "Molitva"

**GRAND-PRIX Visual Arts, 10-12 y.o. (Junior II)**

**Боровская Варвара**

Teacher Пылинская Валентина Александровна

ГУО "Детская художественная школа им. И.Ф.Хруцкого"

Беларусь, г. Новополоцк

Painting:

- 1) Подружиться со спортом. Гуашь.
- 2) Вдохновение. Смешанная техника, акварель, маркер.

**GRAND-PRIX Music, 7 - 9 y.o. (Junior I)**

**Mariya Safiullina, Yana Matusevich**

Teacher Alena Zubar

State educational institution "Gymnasium nr 17, Minsk"

Belarus, Minsk

Piano: Vladimir Korovitsyn "Signor Stromboli and His Dolls"

**GRAND-PRIX Fashion, 10-12 y.o. (Junior II)**

**Chelsea Allison**

Talent Africa

South Africa, Johannesburg

Modeling: Overall

**GRAND-PRIX Drama, 16-19 y.o. (Junior IV)**

**Brandon Liam Nel**

Talent Africa

South Africa, Johannesburg

Poetry: The Bully

**GRAND-PRIX Dance, 13-15 y.o. (Junior III)**

**Захарова Софья, Шеришорина Елизавета**

Преподаватель Черноусова Светлана Петровна, Концертмейстер Майорова Лариса Борисовна

ГБПОУ СО "Уральский хореографический колледж"

Россия, г. Екатеринбург

Classic / ballet: Л.Минкус. Балет "Баядерка", танец Ману

**JURY (different jury sections for each contest)**

*\***No one** jury member had a right to vote for participants connected with him/her, **no one** jury member could influence results of participants connected with him/her.*

**LESZEK RODZIEWICZ (Poland - Lithuania) Jury Chairman.** Historian, social and cultural public figure, ballroom dancing coach, organizer of cultural events and educational programs, founder of the Polish Flag Day, which goes together with the Day of the Polish Community Abroad - Polonia. The initiator of the International Culture Caravan Festival&Contest. Chairman of the Rodziewicz Family Society Stowarzyszenie Rodu Rodziewiczów, Radziewiczów, Radzewiczów - a non-governmental organization which activities are closely connected with history and culture. The Rodziewicz Family Society was nominated by the Senate in the category "Keeper of the National Heritage".

**ROBERT TOMASZ ZIĘBA (Poland - Ireland), Jury Vice-Chairman.** Graduated from the St. Kevin's College in Dublin - Media Production, Photography & Visual Arts, Ireland. He is a journalist closely cooperating with European organizing committees of art festivals and contests for amateurs and professionals in Poland, Hungary, Germany, Spain, Ireland, Kazakhstan, Russia and others. His works reflect everyday life, real emotions - touching moments of joy or sadness, idyll or energetic event. Artistic director of the International Cultural Caravan Festival&Contest, President of Foundation "Benefis".

**INNA ZHOLUDEVA (Poland - Ukraine).**

Musician, pianist, vocal teacher of the International House of Culture in Międzyzdroje for more than 10 years. She graduated from the Sumski State Pedagogical University by A.S.Makarenko with a specialty "Musical Art" obtaining the qualification of teacher of a musical instrument. She handles "Boomwhackers" workshops for the youngest giving unlimited possibilities for kids musical activity and their development: playing these instruments can be combined with many other instruments, singing and dancing. The author of various musical and educational programs for children and youth - for example, "A visit at Fryderyk's" (based on works Fryderyk Chopin). Her students, vocalists and instrumentalists are among the finalists of national and international competitions among which contests in Tarnobrzeg and Świnoujście, and children's song contest in the Pomeranian Dukes' Castle in Szczecin.

**ANITA DOLATA (Polska).**

Graduated University Course "Dance In Animation", Philosophy with the Knowledge of Culture, Artistic Education within Visual Arts, M.A. in Music Education

(Music Teaching).

Now - Teacher of Music, Art, Knowledge of Culture in Zespół Szkół nr 1 in Nowe Miasteczko.

Piano, guitar, keyboard, flute.

**EVGENY MINEV (Russia, Bulgaria, United Kingdom).**

Saxophonist, music teacher, songwriter.

During 10 years he was an artist for Belgorod Philharmonic Hall. For 7 years worked as a teacher for Belgorod Institute of Arts.

Artist of P.Mauriat UK.

Saxophonist of Hightown Pirates (London), and Pilgrim (Moscow).

**EVGENIYA BRAGANTSEVA (Russia).**

Jazz musician, composer, poetess, member of the Moscow Writers' Union, sound producer.

Winner of the medal award "Talent and Avocation". Member of the Jazz Journalists' Association, organizer and head of the jazz club "Guitar Forms".

Soloist and leader of musical projects "GuitarLady Trio", "JA-zz duo" and the solo project "GuitarLady".

**ANDREY NIKITCHENKO (Russia).**

Soloist of the Belgorod State Philharmonic Society, a senior lecturer at the Belgorod State Institute of Culture and Arts. Laureate of jazz festivals. One of the most popular session musicians in the city, a member of such groups as: the Philharmonic jazz big band "No Comment Band", fusion groups "Plan B", "Sahar Band", "All Matter", the blues of the rock band "Big Lebowski", a member of many other projects.

Guitarist playing in styles - rock, jazz, blues, funk, fusion. Studied at jazz schools in Europe. Has performed with many famous jazz and rock musicians, including Georgy Garanyan, Igor Bril, Anatoly Kroll, Daniil Kramer, Sergey Dolzhenkov, ex-vocalist of Rainbow and Deep Purple bands Joe Lynn Turner, keyboardist and vocalist of Uriah Heep Ken Hensley and others. His students are laureates and diploma winners of competitions, members of professional musical groups.

**TATIANA DANILINA (Russia).** Member of the Moscow Union of Teachers-Artists. Organizer and chairman of the jury of the municipal level of the Moscow competition "Moscow Vernisage". Organizer of the municipal and regional levels of the Moscow Fine Arts Olympiad. She has many awards, such as Honorary Diploma of the Ministry of Education and Science of the Russian Federation, Honorary Medal of Worker of General Education of the Russian Federation. Methodist, teacher of fine arts, head of the studio "Academy of Artists" which students take prizes in various competitions and contests.

**DZMITRY STELMAKH (Belarus).**

Head of the department of the educational institution "Minsk State College of Arts", bachelor of arts, member of the Belarusian Union of Musical Personalities.

Head of the folk cymbal orchestra "Lira"- winner of numerous awards, as well as, winner of the prize of the special fund of the President of the Republic of Belarus for the support of talented youth, laureate of republican and international competitions.

Member of the commission for assignment and confirmation of the title "national".

**KRISTIAN RATEVOSSIAN (Germany - United Kingdom).**

Graduated from Vaganova ballet academy in Russia, Hamilton academy of performing arts in USA.

Professional Ballet Teacher's Program in Vaganova system.

Choreographer, ballet master, master-classes and workshop organizer, gala co-organizer, judge in international competitions for many countries.

Used to be a guest teacher at West London School of Dance (London, UK), Het Nationale Ballet (Amsterdam, Netherland), Russian Ballet School (Hong Kong), DanceWorks International Ballet Academy (DIBA, London), Deutsche Oper Berlin, Saint-Petersburg Ballet Theatre, Kirova Ballet of Miami (USA). Bishkek Ballet School. Ch. Bazarbaeva (Kyrgyzstan), Hamilton City Ballet (Canada), SMD Scuola Movimento Danza Associazione Culturale (Sassari, Italy) and many others.

He worked as ballet master and dancer Deutsche Oper Berlin and other famous companies.

Danced as soloist on the most prestigious stages in Germany, Austria and Russia.

**NATALIE MITRAEV (Germany - Kazakhstan).**

Certified teacher of modern pop dance for children from Oberhausen. She graduated from the Pavlodar school "House of Culture named after Kataev". More than 20 years of teaching experience in Germany as the head of the studio of pop-modern dance "Butterflies" (Tanzstudio Schmetterling).

Modern dance, folk dance, child dance, acrobatic dance, show dance, as well as drama/theater and musical.

**VIKTORIA KATT (Estonia).**

Sculptor, artist, singer and songwriter, art director of the creative group "Vjunel stuudio".

Finalist of the "Hit-parade" project on radio "Voices of the Planet", winner of the "Top-hit" project on radio "Unknown Genius", winner of International Competition "Balt Prix" . Member of the Union of Estonian Artists.

**VERONIKA GRACE (Israel - Uzbekistan).**

Mezzo-Soprano born in Tashkent, Uzbekistan. Master's Degree in Vocal/Choral Music and Conducting at the Tashkent State Conservatory "M.Ashraphy" and teacher of voice in music college, served as second conductor at the conservatory's opera studio.

As a concert soloist she sang for the Tashkent State Opera, the Agape Church in Tashkent, the Tashkent State Philharmonic Orchestra and with the "Silk Road" Choir.

Veronika has participated in numerous international festivals in many countries. She was a singer on the opera stages in roles such as Marcellina in Mozart's Marriage of Figaro, Giovanna in Verdi's Rigoletto, Larina in Tchaikovsky's Eugene Onegin, Kate in Puccini's Madame Butterfly and Carmen in Bizet's masterpiece.

Since she lives in Israel, she gives concerts both locally and abroad. Recent performances include Tel-Aviv opera "Sadna" and "Aeterna" in Jerusalem.

Since 2006 she is the voice teacher at the Magnificat Institute of Music in Jerusalem.

She is currently the director of the Noter Dame Choir at the Pontifical Institute of Notre Dame Jerusalem Center.

**OKSANA VASHOVA (Czech Republic).** Doctor of Philosophy, President of the European Festival Movement "Stars way", President of the World Union of Culture, organizer of beauty and fashion contests "Diamond star of the world", public figure, pianist (Mongolian State Conservatory), jury member of various international talent and beauty contests, art critic, author of works: "Albrecht Durer and the German Renaissance", "Cultural heritage of the Maya, Aztecs, and Incas."

**ALEXANDER VINOKUROV (Germany - Russia).**

Teacher of wind instruments (clarinet, saxophone, flute). Conductor and musician. Lives in Berlin. Graduated from the St. Petersburg State Institute of Culture and has 30 years of experience as a teacher in Russia and Germany. Plays and teaches children and adults traditional klezmer music. For three years he directed a project at Janusz Korczak's House in Berlin - Germany's first children's klezmer orchestra.

Now he is managing two projects: 1) teaching klezmer music from 0-level on the clarinet; 2) the author's method of teaching to play a wind instrument from Hawaii - Classik Xaphoon for Russian speakers from all over the world from the 0-level.

He prepares future musicians - for study at musical institutions, gives master classes for wind instrument ensembles, and also provides online consultations and training.

**SIPAN OLAH (UK-Armenia).**

Opera Tenor, Pianist, Producer, Artistic director and Conductor of the Klingen Choir and Cultural Association in London.

Sipan Olah is a London-based award-winning musician.

Sipan's performed in Armenia, Austria, Germany, Russia, Ukraine, Malta and the UK. His performances have been highly appreciated by both the general public and the media worldwide.

In 2018 he had a concert tour year in Malta where he performed in 40 concerts and 3 operas.

In London, he performed in the Royal Albert Hall and Royal Festival Hall, Barbican Hall, Westminster's St. John's Smith Square, St. Cuthbert's Church, Russian Culture House in London.

His concert repertoire comprises a wide variety of pieces in different languages and styles.

**KRISTINE JEFIMOWA (Germany - Latvia).**

Ballerina, choreographer and teacher.

Graduated from St. Petersburg Choreographic school named after Vaganova, practised with the Eifman Ballet.

Worked as a ballet dancer at the Riga operetta theatre. The ballerina's creative career developed under choreographers' guidance - Juris Kaprālis, Inese Čača, Janina Pankrāte.

Since she moved to Germany in 1998 Kristine intensively developed classical ballet for adult amateurs.

She is tirelessly looking for new forms of presentation and popularising classical ballet, especially among the younger generation. She used to take part in various competitions and festivals as choreographer.

Since 2012 cooperates with the professional ballet costume maker company "Benefis".

In 2018, the work of Kristine Jefimowa was highly praised at home in Latvia and internationally. Her name is included in the new edition "Ballet Encyclopedia" issued by the Latvian Ministry of Culture as well as invited to become a member of CID UNESCO.

In 2019 she founded "Jefimowa Ballet Production" to develop and promote classical dance for amateurs. During the many years of work in the dance industry, she has created and updated her own training programs specifically for non-professional dancers.

Organizer of global dance competition "Ballet Diamonds".

**RAISA SALAKHOVA (Italy).**

Head of the dance and theater studio "Dance Mission" in Genoa for 20 years.

Art Director and Founder of International festivals and competitions IDFC "Around the world" (Genoa) and IDC "Talent garden" (Milan).

Associate Professor at Genoa State University.

**MALEYKA AHADZADE (Azerbaijan).** Hajibeyov Baku Academy of Music, Baku Musical College of Azerbaijan National Conservatory. Professor, Doctor of Philosophy, concert violinist, pedagogue. Multiple winner and Grand Prix winner of international competitions, jury member of international competitions. Organizer and jury chairman of the of the International violin contest named after Azad Aliyev.

**FANI HODARA (Turkey - Italy).**

Pianist and composer with many songs of great prizes in many countries.

Music styles: ballads, neo-classic, pop and movie soundtracks.

Her work "Night" was awarded 3 awards in 1996 and 1997 at the international Pamukkale Music Festival and in Ireland's Cavan music competition.

In Los Angeles in 1998 at the International Music Competition on Peace and Friendship, her song "Come my friend" won the 4th place prize of 500 works. This song was published on CD with the works of world-renowned composers and this CD was introduced and sold at Midem Music Fair in Cannes.

2002 EUROVISION Song Contest held in Estonia her song represented Turkey.

Her composition "Alone" won the "Grand-Prix" at The Golden Cross International Singing Festival held in Malta on 2008.

She won the "Best song in Varna Radio and TV" with her composition "Call me" in the music contest held in Bulgaria in 2011.

In 2015, she won two awards, "Best composition" and "Best soloist", at the "International Eurokids - Eurotalent Music Festival" in Maiori, Naples, where 120 pieces competed.

The soundtrack of the movie Russians' Game (orig. Rus'un Oyunu), which was shot in 2016, also belongs to Fani Hodara.

### **SONJA STEFANOVIC (Cyprus-Serbia).**

Graduated solo singer with master degree of University of Arts- Serbia.

Working as a teacher of singing, piano, and musical theatre.

Voice and singing director of the Musicals: "Little Mermaid", "Alice in Wonderland", "Peter Pan", "Jungle book", "Merry Poppins".

### **MARIANNA TZOLOVA (Bulgaria).**

Choral conductor, with an additional profile – piano and pop singing.

Marianna's students have won many national and international awards.

She is a member of an international jury in Russia, Georgia, Romania, Macedonia, Italy, USA.

### **KRISTINA GOLUBEVA-MIKALOUSKAS (Malta - Russia).**

Graduated from the State Academy of Slavic Culture and the Gnesin's Russian Academy of Music in Moscow, journalist of the newspaper "Music Klondike". Musician, composer, pedagogue, laureate of international competitions, author of educational programs in the fields of pedagogy and music, a member of AMPP (Association of musical psychologists and psychotherapists) and MSA (Malta Society of Arts) Founder, director and teacher of International Studio School of Arts in Malta/ ISSA.

### **ONUTĖ ŽUKIENĖ / ONUTE ZHUKIENE (Lithuania).**

Singer, producer, professional vocal teacher, artistic director of vocal studio "M.E.S".

Director of artists' agency, concerts and festivals "Sonata of the Stars".

President and member of the jury in many world vocal competitions.

### **ELENA SAVTSUK (Estonia).**

Professional singer, vocal coach, director of vocal studio DeLight.

Member of international culture organization Lüüra in Estonia, president WAPA section Estonia.

Member of international jury in many festivals and contest in Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Russia, Macedonia, Serbia, Kosovo, Italy and others.

### **ZORICA NINKOVIC (Serbia).**

Producer, artist manager, music consultant, Master pedagogue of stage movement.

Founder and president of "Thalia-art development fulcrum".

Founder and director of "Angel Voice" music festival.

### **ARMAN GHUKASYAN (Armenia).**

Folkdance, latinamerican, hip-hop, modern ballet, contemporary, jazz, brodyway dances.

Teacher and Art Director of dance group "Gold Stars".

Winner of multiple awards.

Jury member and chairman of many international contests.

### **SNEZHANA POLICHRONOVA-KARNOLSKY (Bulgaria).**

Pianist, conductor, prominent vocal pedagogue and musician.

Member of international jury at many contests.

Director of the National Contest "Road to Glory" in Bulgaria and International Festivals "Orpheus in Italy" on Lido Di Jezolo (Italy), "Summer Camp - Sunny Beach", "The Crown of Orpheus" in Greece.

### **NICOLA ASHCROFT (South Africa).**

Singer, songwriter, actor, dancer & recording artist.

She began performing at the age of 4. There were awards, critical acclaim, and overall positive recognition:

- The Industry Award, awarded by Bob Hope at Hollywood Palladium;
- Singing at the opening ceremony of the Dance World Cup in Croatia, 2012;
- Title Holder of Little Miss South Africa;
- Title Holder of Miss International Princess & Grande Supreme Talent Winner, 2015;
- International dancer - competed and took part in several shows in the United States and Europe.

Qualified in Ballet, Contemporary/Modern, Acro, Hip-Hop, Street, Ballroom (Latin, jive etc).

Vocal (12 years of vocal examinations), trained in NY in Belcanto, Opera. Internationally recognized recording artist signed by Caelum studio NYC released 14 of her own songs.

Plays Piano, Guitar, Drums, Ukulele.

Internationally recognized stage performer. Acting skills, modelling, TV productions, TV commercials, TV presenter.

Nicola is also the National Administrator for "Talent Africa – A Family of Performers".

### **NATALIA BRAUN (Germany - Russia).**

Founder and pedagogue in Kinder lernzentrum für Frühentwicklung "EviRick" in Berlin. She teaches kids of early age, they successfully take part in concerts, cultural events and even international competitions in Germany and abroad in categories of instrumental music, dance, vocal, visual arts.

### **TONI ALEKSOVSKI (Macedonia).**

Head of the school of pop singing, Prominent musician and composer, author of many compositions.

Since 2000 has been a president of the Assotiation for arts ALEKSOVSKI, that is the organizer of the International Music Festival "Tra la la". International jury member at festivals in Italy, Bulgaria, Armenia, Malta, Serbia, Romania, Italy, Lithuania and many others and president of the jury at festivals in Russia, Slovenia, Moldova, Serbia and others.

Together with the "Tra la la" festival representatives he has participated at about 45 tours in many countries around the world. Winner of many awards, certificates for appreciation and development of children's music and culture, as well as a title of Ambassador for world peace by the World Association of Festivals and Arts.

Already 20 years he is the Director of the International Music Festival "Tra la la" Macedonia.

### **OLGA SKURIDINA (Ukraine - Poland).**

Senior teacher of the highest category in the violin class, certified teacher of the Suzuki method of the second degree, member of the European Suzuki Association.

Author of the collection "Merry Violin" for the violin ensemble.

She worked as a violin teacher at the school of arts, artist of the Academic Symphony Orchestra of the Luhansk Philharmonic, teacher at the "Suzuki Violin School" talent education studio in Severodonetsk-Szczecin.

Her students and violin ensembles "Фантазёры" and "Фантазия" are the winners of Regional, All-Ukrainian and International competitions.

She was organizer, coordinator and member of the jury of the All-Ukrainian festival-competition "Let's Play Together. East of Ukraine" (2015-2016).

She has a higher education in music and teaching, currently studying the Suzuki Method in Gdansk.

### **KARLA ABDIKARIMOVA (Kazakhstan).**

The Honored Art Figure of Culture of the Republic of Kazakhstan.

Winner of State Awards - the medal "Eren Ebegi Ushin" ("For Labor Valor"), an International Medal "Peace and Accord" and the Order "Kurmet".

Founder and Director of the International Festivals Contests "Boztorgai" and "Shattyk" in Kazakstan.

An official representative of Kazakhstan at "Slavyanskiy Bazar in Vitebsk".

Producer, young talents promoter.

### **ANA CRISTINA VIDEIRA (Portugal).**

Professor at Escola Arte-Musical Centro Cultural e Recreativo do Alto do Moinho/CCRAM, Corroios, Seixal, Portugal. She is art and music teacher and also a writer with 3 books published, poet and song writer - winner of Best Lyrics Awards at song festivals across the country and many other art awards.

Member of international jury boards in Italy, Lithuania, Russia, Bulgaria, France, Finland and others.

### **MOHD HAIRUL NAZMIE TALIB (Malaysia).**

Choreographer, pedagogue, dance instructor.

He has won many awards by participating in competitions in his country and abroad.

During his dance career, he has acted as a teacher working with many schools throughout Malaysia. As the founder of the dance school "WindBreeze Dance Company".

He organizes the Malaysian Qualifier for the "World Dance Cup".

### **GULSINA BAIKENOVA (Kazakhstan).**

During her career she danced in Academic Opera and Ballet Theaters in Russia, Kyrgyzstan and Kazakhstan. She worked as art director and choreographer in regional youth ensemble "Atyrau". For many years she worked as chief choreographer for Regional Philharmonic by N. Zhantorin (Atyrau) and Regional Drama Theater by Makhambet. Also she was on position of teacher-choreographer of classical dance at Small Academy of Arts by N. Tlendiev for gifted children.

In 2001 she founded the first ballet school in Atyrau and she is its director till present. Actively cooperates with people with disabilities. She is also a founder of the first dance theater for people with disabilities in Atyrau.

She is very often asked to be the chief director-choreographer of city, regional, republican mass events not only in Kazakhstan, but abroad, even in China.

Head of the ethnocultural association of Tatars and Bashkirs "Tatulyk" of the Atyrau region. Member of the Assembly of the People of Kazakhstan.

She was honored with many awards: Medal "The Honorable Guest of Russia" (Moscow), Gold Medal of the Assembly of the People of Kazakhstan "Birlik" - "Unity", as well as State Medal of the Republic of Kazakhstan "20 Years of Independence", Jubilee Medal of the Regional Philharmonic Society by N. Zhantorin, Jubilee Medal "25 years of maslikhats of the Republic of Kazakhstan".

In 2012 she was awarded with medal and honorary badge of the international encyclopedia "Best People" (Russia, Belarus, Ukraine, Kazakhstan). In 2013 she was awarded with medal "The Patron of the Year". Conducts charity concerts, performances for orphans, nursing homes and homes for the disabled.

**LYUDMYLA DUTRUEL (France).**

Hired by the national dance company of Ukraine, Virsky, and performed jointly with the Russian National Ballet Moisseev and Beriozka around the world. In 2005, she obtained a degree in Ballet Dance Studies and in Character from the national Ballet school in Ukraine.

After her arrival in France, she continued to dance with her own folk dance company, Yolki Dance. In her work, Lyudmyla seeks to transmit the traditions of the Russian dance school she comes from. Her work focuses on emotional interpretation, grace of movement and incorporates techniques of folk dances from around the world. Teaches in Switzerland (Dance Area) and in France where she owns a dance school "Danse avec Lyudmyla". Her students won different contests, among them such as CND international, which allows to represent country on international level.

**IRYNA NIKORIUK (Poland - Ukraine).**

Pianist, music theoretician, teacher, accompanist.

She graduated from Music Academies in Kiev and Poznań.

Apart from active pedagogical activity, she has been accompanying professional vocalists, instrumentalists and dancers for concerts and competitions in Poland and abroad.

**MARINA NIKORIUK-JACHIMOWICZ (Poland - Ukraine).**

Mezzo-soprano, vocal and art teacher. She was born in Ukraine. She graduated from vocal and acting department of the Music Academy I.J.Paderewski in Poznań. In the years of her studies, she performed in the Grand Theater in Poznań. Winner of the A.Dvořák's International Singing Competition (Czech Republic). She is very active with concerts and shows in Poland and abroad, singing solo recitals and realizing her own musical projects. She participates in many classical music festivals: Opernfestspiele in Bad Hersfeld, Usedomer Musikfestival (Germany). She founded own musical school in Świnoujście - "The vocal and artistic studio of Marina Nikoriuk", preparing young people for professional studies.

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