Sabbioneta chamber OPERA festival RESIDENZE

Mozart e la trilogia di Da Ponte

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Mozart and the Da Ponte Trilogy

COURSE STRUCTURE AND PURPOSE

The "Sabbioneta chamber Opera Festival - Residenze," based in Sabbioneta (Mantua), is a project launched in 2026 with the aim of guiding young singers and musicians towards their debut through a program of advanced artistic development.

The vocal program chosen for the 2026 edition is dedicated to: "Mozart and the Da Ponte Trilogy."

The training program is divided into three sessions, spread across three different periods, dedicated respectively to:

- respect for Mozart's style and interpretation
- stagecraft and direction
- musical preparation with the Festival Conductor and Orchestra.

CALENDAR

- First session: May 9-13, 2026
  - vocal training with Barbara Frittoli
  - score study
  - "The Meaning of Vocal Warm-Up" meeting with Prof. Franco Fussi. Followed by individual phoniatric visits with laryngostroboscopy (May 13).
- Second session: June 26 to June 30
  - Performing arts with Bepi Morassi, accompanied by piano.
  - Third session: July 1 to July 5
  - Vocal improvement with Barbara Frittoli
  - Ensemble rehearsals with conductor and the Festival orchestra

Final concerts with the orchestra. An artistic collaboration contract will be drawn up for any concerts.

A study room with a piano will be available during each session for individual study.

STUDY AREAS

- Technique and style in Mozart's repertoire
- Mozart's recitative
- Stagecraft and direction lessons
- Music reading with the conductor
- Rehearsals with the orchestra and conductor
- Score study with a piano accompanist
- Meeting with a speech therapist and specialist examination of the vocal apparatus

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Candidates are eligible to participate if:

- They are at least 18 years of age and under 34.

Auditions will be held in Vicenza on Wednesday, **April 29th** at the Odeo of the Teatro Olimpico, organised in partnership with the City of Vicenza, starting at 10:00 a.m. The audition time will be communicated to candidates via email after their registration has been confirmed.

Candidates must perform, from memory, two arias from Mozart's trilogy, including the recitative.

REGISTRATION

Applications must be received by **April 22, 2026,** using the form available for download from the website and send to formazione@sabbionetaoperafestival.it .. Required Documents:

- Curriculum Vitae
- ID
- Receipt of payment of the registration fee

REGISTRATION FEE

To attend the audition, a payment of €40.00 is required, to be paid by bank transfer to the following account:

> **Concetto Armonico APS** – Associazione Culturale
> BVR Banca del Veneto Centrale
> IBAN: IT60O0859011800000081026140
> BIC/SWIFT: CCRTIT2TBC
> Reason for Payment: "**Sabbioneta chamber Opera Festival – Residencies Audition**"

In the event of a candidate's failure to attend the auditions, the fee will not be refunded.

ATTENDANCE

The list of candidates admitted to the training program will be published on the "Sabbioneta chamber Opera Festival – Residenze" website at the end of the Committee's work and within one week of the audition.

Participation in the courses is free, provided that attendance is mandatory in all three study sessions.

Any absences for serious and documented health reasons will be evaluated by the Artistic Director. Failure to attend any of the three advanced training sessions will result in disqualification.

ACCOMMODATION

Artists will be accommodated in Sabbioneta at the Palazzo Forti municipal guesthouse. Accommodations include double and triple rooms (shared with other candidates). Cost: €25.00 per day, payable to the Municipality of Sabbioneta. Each room has a private bathroom. Those who prefer accommodations other than those offered by the Festival must arrange their own accommodations at their own expense. The guesthouse has a shared space with a microwave and refrigerator. Agreements with local restaurants and bars will also be made.

COURSE LOCATION AND CONCERTS

Activities will take place in Sabbioneta at:

- Palazzo Forti
- Oratorio of San Rocco
- Palazzo del Cavallegero
- Teatro all'Antica.

Concerts with orchestras are scheduled in Sabbioneta and Vicenza. "Aperitif Concerts" will also be scheduled during the training program.

COLLABORATION AGREEMENT

For the third rehearsal session (5 days) and the two concerts (Sabbioneta and Vicenza), an artistic collaboration agreement will be stipulated for a total of €420.00 (four hundred and twenty/00) gross.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE

Upon completion of the training program, "Concetto Armonico Aps" will also issue a certificate of attendance to the artists.

FILMING OF IMAGES, AUDIO, AND VIDEO

By registering, the participant consents to radio and television recordings and broadcasts, as well as to the recording of images and audio and video tapes made during the lessons, rehearsals, and the concert, conducted by the organizer or by designated persons or institutions. Specifically, the participant assigns to the organizer all rights to the image, audio, and video recordings for any use in connection with the event. The organization reserves the right to use images, audio, and video recordings for promotional purposes related to this or future events, or to publish audio and video recordings for demonstration and promotional purposes.

SIGNATURE OF ACCEPTANCE OF THESE REGULATIONS

Date ..... Signature .....

ENROLLMENT FORM

RESIDENZE 2026

Name …… Surname ……

Born in …… State (……) Date ……

Resident in ……

City …… Provincia ……

Email *(PLEASE BLOCK LETTERS)* ……

Codice fiscale (tax reference number) ……

Mobile *(PLEASE BLOCK LETTERS)* …… Vocality ……

I wish to register for the **Sabbioneta chamber Opera Festival - Residencies** and for the vocal program dedicated to **Mozart and the Da Ponte Trilogy**.

Arias I intend to perform at the auditions on April 29, 2026, in Vicenza (title, work, composer):

1 ……

2 ……

I wish to reserve accomodation at Palazzo Forti's Foresteria: accommodation by gender in double and triple rooms with private bathrooms (shared with other candidates)

YES ◊ - NO ◊

The cost is €25.00 per day, payable to the Municipality of Sabbioneta

I confirm that I have read and accept the terms and conditions of the regulations of **Sabbioneta chamber Opera Festival – Residencies**, organised by *Concetto Armonico APS Cultural Association*.

Date _____ Signature _____

Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council

Personal information furnished us through this form will be processed for activity of this site and for the competition, according to the current italian and EU directives Privacy policy. [Regolation UE 2016/679 (GDPR) and D. Lgs. n. 196/2003 as expected by D. Lgs. n.101/2018].

I agree that personal information and data made known by me when placing my enrrollment form at the *Sabbioneta chamber Opera Festival - Residenze*, stored and used by *Concetto Armonico APS* for activities related to the project.

More informations on website https://concettoarmonico.it - https://concettoarmonico.it/contatti/trattamento-dei-dati-richiedenti/.

Date _____ Signature _____