

RICCARDO MUTI ITALIAN OPERA ACADEMY 2020

“CAVALLERIA RUSTICANA”

by Pietro Mascagni

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

1) MUSICAL PROGRAMME AND COURSE TEACHER

The Riccardo Muti Italian Opera Academy 2020 will focus on the opera “Cavalleria rusticana” by Pietro Mascagni. Maestro Riccardo Muti will conduct the *Orchestra Giovanile Luigi Cherubini* during each stage of the preparation process.

The final performance will be “Cavalleria rusticana” in concert-form.

2) EDUCATIONAL CLASSES

It is possible to participate in one of the following educational classes:

- Active conductor
- Active répétiteur

3) DURATION AND LOCATION OF THE COURSE

The course will take place at Teatro Alighieri in Ravenna (Italy), from July 18th to 31st 2020 and will end with a concert conducted by the selected students of the Academy and presented by Maestro Muti, on July, 31st.

(Riccardo Muti will conduct “Cavalleria rusticana” at Teatro Alighieri on July 29th, 2020).

- Course participation of the selected students: from from July 18th to 31st 2020, Teatro Alighieri in Ravenna.

4) REQUIREMENTS FROM APPLICANTS

- Age between 18 and 35 years (by January 31st, 2020).
- Diploma released by a State Conservatory of Music or Istituto Musicale Pareggiato, or equivalent certification for titles not obtained in Italy, in the subject for which you apply:
 - diploma in conducting for “conductor”
 - piano diploma for “répétiteur”

The piano diploma will be considered as preferential for conductors, too (please, point out in the mail if in possession).

5) APPLICATION FORM

The application form must be filled in using the attached form and sent via e-mail by **Friday 31st, January 2020** to the following address:

applications@riccardomutioperacademy.com

for the attention of Gloria Martelli - Executive assistant.

Applications sent after that day will not be considered.



The application must contain:

- Filled-in application form
- Artistic CV
- Copy of a regular ID (passport for non-EU citizens)
- **.mp4 file** of candidate's performance: it's possible to send one video (minimum 15 min. duration) or more than one video (minimum 15 min. total duration). The file needs to be .mp4; please send it via *wetransfer.com* or upload it to a file-sharing site (for example dropbox/googledrive and send us the link to download it).
N.B: link to video-sharing website (for example youtube/vimeo) such as any other format different from the one required, won't be taken into consideration.

In particular:

- for "répétiteur": a selection chosen by the candidate from the piano repertoire; the demonstration to be able to play while following with the voice the vocal part(s) of at least an aria, a duett, a concertato from the opera "Cavalleria rusticana".

The **subject** of the e-mail must contain the terms "**Academy Call 2020**" and the category which the person is applying for.

The application implies the candidate's full awareness and unconditioned acceptance of what expressed in this notification.

Any clarification and/or information can be requested to the following e-mail address:

info@riccardomutioperacademy.com.

6) SELECTION AND EXAMS

A jury appointed by M° Riccardo Muti will evaluate all eligible applications received by the deadline. Those chosen for the final audition, directed by Riccardo Muti, will be contacted by email by May 15, 2020 and must be at Teatro Alighieri in Ravenna (Italy) on July 16th and 17th, 2020 (the schedule for the exam will be communicated fifteen days before).

The exam will focus on "Cavalleria rusticana".

The names of the selected students will be communicated at the end of the exams.

For the selected students the participation is free.

At the end of the Riccardo Muti Italian Opera Academy active students will receive a *Certificate of Participation* signed by Riccardo Muti.

Any travel, as well as boarding and lodging costs, will be entirely at each participant's own expense.

7) INFORMATION ON THE TREATMENT OF PERSONAL DATA

In accordance with art. 13 of Regulation (EU) 679/2016, the treatment of Personal Data (name, surname, email address and any further Personal Data indicated in the message) by you spontaneously provided filling out this form will respect the principles of fairness, legality and transparency and protection of your privacy and your rights.

The data controller is RM Music Srl.

