



COMPETITION RULES 2020

ARTICLE 1 – PRESENTATION OF THE COMPETITION

The World Dance Contest is a competition that is organized to gather the dancers and give the opportunity for dancers of the world to perform and stage. The competition is organized by "DaiChi Danses du Monde". It is an event which gathers urban dances, Bollywood dance, fusion dance, tribal dance, Tahitian, African dance, and Oriental dance. It will take place on the **28th of March 2020 from 14h00 to 20h, at CCVA, 234 Cours Emile Zole, 69100 Villeurbanne.**

Stage dimensions : 100 m²

ARTICLE 2 – CATEGORIES

All **GROUPS (3 à 25 dancers), SOLOISTS, DUOS** are classified according to the categories below

SOLO

> **MINIMAL**

Candidate being less than 12 years old the day of the contest.

> **INTERMEDIATE**

Candidate being between 12 and 18 years old the day of the contest.

> **SUPERIOR**

Candidate being more than 18 years old the day of the contest.

> **PROFESSIONAL**

There is no age limit.

DUOS / GROUPS

> **MINIMAL**

The duo's average age should be less than 12 years old the day of the contest.

> **INTERMEDIATE**

The duo's average age should be between 12 and 18 years old the day of the contest.

> **SUPERIOR**

The duo's average age should be above 18 years old the day of the contest.

> **PROFESSIONAL**

There is no age limit

ARTICLE 3 – EXPECTATIONS OF THE CONTEST

The choice of ballet theme is a free will. You can present a ballet in different styles below :

- > **URBAINE**
- > **BOLLYWOOD**
- > **FUSION**
- > **TRIBALE**
- > **ORIENTALE**
- > **AFRICAINNE**
- > **TAHIENNE**

Depending on your category, you must respect the following timings :

For all categories : 3 min with a tolerance of +/- 10 sec.

The music used has to respect the rule timing of the competition.

ARTICLE 4 – MUSIC

You must send your soundtrack for each performance. Soundtracks should be sent exclusively by mail to the following address : **contact@concoursworlddance.com**

Each soundtrack should be named as follows:

"Running order Category Style Last name First name"

WARNING ! CDs will not be accepted. The soundtrack should only be ready for Play Mode.

ARTICLE 5 – RATING

For all categories, grades are awarded on the basis **of technical aspect, gestures and costumes.**

ARTICLE 6 – JURY

The jury is composed of dance professionals, dancers and leading figures. The jury **is free to make its own appreciations** and **its decisions are final and without appeal.** The jury will be composed of 3 judges. Each judge will evaluate every aspect of the choreography. Only "special awards" can be awarded by the jury after deliberation.

ARTICLE 7 – AWARDS

The rewards depend on the ranking of the participants within the category.

SOLOISTES AND DUOS - For all categories :

1st Place : Gold Medal

2nd Place : Silver Medal

3rd Place : Bronze Medal

Special Awards : Special Award: A "Special" price can be addressed by the jury. This award recognizes the originality and specificity of the performed choreography. The candidate may receive an entry in a **dance workshop in France or abroad, a trophy, dance equipment or a proposal to participate in a show.**

GROUPE - For all categories :

1st Place : Gold Medal + Trophy

2nd Place : Silver Medal + Trophy

3rdme Place : Bronze Medal + Trophy

Special Award: A "Special" price can be addressed by the jury. This award recognizes the originality and specificity of the performed choreography. The candidate may receive an entry in a **dance workshop in France or abroad, a trophy, or a proposal to participate in a show.**

ARTICLE 8 – REGISTRATION

The competition is open **to groups, duos and soloists of all nationalities.** To register, you must download the registration form related to your profile on the website www.concoursworlddance.com. Once the file is downloaded, please send it back to us to the following address:

ASSOCIATION DAICHI – 120 rue Anatole France - BP 75015 – 69602 Villeurbanne Cedex - France

If your file is **incomplete**, it is put on **a waiting list until it is validated**. Should the contest be fully booked before the closing date, the waiting list files can not be accepted.

You must contact the administrators if you do not receive any email **within 15 days after sending the application form.**

ARTICLE 9 – PICS OF THE CONTEST 2020

Pictures taken by the Contest official photographers will be on sale directly at the contest photo booth as well as on their website. The latter will be mentioned at the competition.

ARTICLE 10 – REGISTRATION FEES

You will find below the registration fee for the contest. The registration fee is valid for each candidate per application.

Registration payment can only be made by cheque to the order of Association DaiChi or by transfer :

Bank details,

IBAN : FR76 1780 6007 9862 2432 3625 322

BIC : AGRIFRPP878

CATEGORY	REGISTRATION FEES
SOLO (per candidate)	36 €
DUO (per candidate)	31 €
GROUPS (per candidate)	28 €

WARNING! Registration fees are not refundable for any reason whatsoever.

ARTICLE 11 – ENTRY FEES

Entrance tickets will be sold on site and Online.

The price for a day is 10 €

Neither candidates nor the teachers have to pay an entrance fee.

Dance teachers registering candidates must provide official documentation. **This certificate is to be sent by post no later than February 28th, 2020.** No documentation will be accepted on **site.**

ARTICLE 12 - RESPONSABILITES

The Contest organizers will not be liable for any bodily injury or damage caused to any person or undergone by it, including candidates and teachers, both during the performance and the displacements made due to the competition.

ARTICLE 13 – RUNNING OF THE CONTEST

Candidates must arrive at the time indicated on the notice. Cloak rooms and a warm-up area will be available to candidates. No rehearsal on stage will be permitted on the day of the contest.

After being announced by the anchors, candidates should stand on stage and wait for the music to start.

ARTICLE 14 – INFORMATION

All information related to the contest can be found on the website: www.concoursdedanse.eu as well as on the facebook profile: **@worlddancecontest** and **instagram profile: worlddancecontest**.



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