

**VI<sup>th</sup> International Piano Competition Johann Baptist Cramer**  
**04. – 05. November 2011**  
**78112 St. Georgen / Germany**  
**Piano solo / Piano for 6 hands and 8 hands**

**1. Time schedule:**

- 03.11.2011 Arrival of the participants and rehearsals in the Kammermusiksaal of the Jugendmusikschule, Bahnhofstraße 27, 78112 St. Georgen
- 04.11.2011 Recitals in the Kammermusiksaal (same address)
- 05.11.2011 4 pm: Presentation of awards and gala concert by all participants in the city hall of St. Georgen/Im Hochwald 8. Evening dress.  
After this we meet at the Chinese Restaurant/ Bahnhofstraße 70 for an informal get-together.

**2. Conditions of participation - Piano solo and ensembles**

Pianists of all nationalities are qualified to enter the competition in the following age-groups (The age on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the competition is relevant):

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| I   | ELEMENTARY   | born: 2003 – 2002 – 2001 - 2000 / playing-time: 6 – 12 minutes |
| II  | INTERMEDIATE | born: 1999 – 1998 – 1997 / playing-time: 12 – 15 minutes       |
| III | ADVANCED     | born: 1996 – 1995 – 1994 / playing-time: 15 - 20 minutes       |
| IV  | AMATEUR      | born: 1993 – no age-limit / playing-time: 10 - 20 minutes      |

Mixed ensembles consisting of 1 adult + children or teenage players also belong to this category.

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| V | SUPERIOR Solo      | born: 1993 – 1981 / playing-time: 20 to 25 minutes         |
|   | SUPERIOR Ensembles | born: 1993 – no age-limit / playing-time: 20 to 25 minutes |

This category consists of college/university students or piano teachers.

**3. Competition programme / Piano solo**

Two etudes by Johann Baptist Cramer and further etudes or virtuoso works by other composers.

Compulsory within one playing time:

One etude - left hand technique

One etude - same technique for both hands

One slow etude – Cantilena

The pieces must be played by heart (except for Amateur).

**Competition programme / Piano ensembles for 6 and 8 hands**

Free choice of programme

8-hand-ensembles are allowed to recite a piece for 6 hands.

**4. Application fee – Piano solo**

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| I.   | ELEMENTARY   | 35 € |
| II.  | INTERMEDIATE | 40 € |
| III. | ADVANCED     | 45 € |
| IV   | AMATEUR      | 50 € |
| V.   | SUPERIOR     | 50 € |

**Application fee – Piano for 6 and 8 hands (per person)**

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|------|--------------|------|
| I.   | ELEMENTARY   | 20 € |
| II.  | INTERMEDIATE | 20 € |
| III. | ADVANCED     | 25 € |
| IV   | AMATEUR      | 35 € |

With regard to mixed ensembles children and teenage pianists pay a fee which corresponds with their age-group (s. Conditions of participation).

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40 €

5. **General regulations for all participants**

Please fill in your application form legibly.

Each member of an ensemble must fill in his/her own form.

The application forms should be sent to the following address:

**Gabriele König**  
**VI. International Piano Competition**  
**Johann Baptist Cramer**  
**Johann-Sebastian-Bach-Straße 22a**  
**78112 St. Georgen im Schwarzwald**

Final date of application is the 15th October 2011 ( Date of postmark).

Please enclose with the registration form:

- a. a copy of the birth certificate or identity card;
- b. a passport photo 35mm x 45 mm;
- c. Proof of payment of participation fee
- d. Curriculum vitae with account of musical education/training

The application fee should be paid onto the following account:

**Jugendmusikschule St. Georgen**  
**Account number: 150 931 329**  
**Bank code: 694 500 65**  
**Sparkasse Schwarzwald-Baar**

Please give the name of the candidate and the reference "J. B. Cramer Competition" on the payment of the participation fee.

The participation fee can under no circumstances be refunded. Candidates from eastern European countries may pay the participation fee in cash on arrival.

With registration, each participant accepts the conditions of the competition .

The participation of all participants will be confirmed in my website "www.koenig-klavier.info".

6. **Valuation**

The recitals will be judged according to a system of points.

The jury's decision is final and incontestable.

A judicial process is not permitted.

7. **Prizes and awards**

Each participant will receive a certificate. In addition there will be honours and commendations.

The participant with the highest score will be awarded the title "LAUREATE 2011".

8. **Accommodation**

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**9. Liability**

The competition organization accepts no liability for damage or injury to property or persons incurred in connection with the competition.

**10. Previous Laureates**

2001 Ekvilija Slivinskaite / Lithuania  
2003 Johannes Wittmann / Germany  
2005 Mariana Kryzhanivska / Ukraine  
2007 Yuan Tian / China  
2009 Eunju Song / South Korea

**11. Further information**

[www.koenig-klavier.info](http://www.koenig-klavier.info)



