

UTP-HUAZONG National Music Art Championship 2017

International Musical Instruments Solo Competition (Chinese Traditional/Western Classical) Rules and Regulations

1) Competition Details

1.1 Western Classical Instruments

- Title: Western Classical Instruments (piano, violin, Western brass instruments)
- Date: 7th July 2017 (Friday)
- Venue: Universiti Teknologi PETRONAS (Block B)
- Time: 1:30pm-5:30pm

1.2 Chinese Traditional Instruments

- Title: Chinese Traditional Instruments (strings, plucked, wind, percussion)
- Date: 8th July 2017 (Saturday)
- Venue: Universiti Teknologi PETRONAS (Block B)
- Time: 2:00pm-5:30pm

(Check-in must be done 60 minutes-15 minutes before the competition, late comers will not be entertained)

2) Competition Categories

Category	Age Restrictions
Primary	7 – 12 Years Old
Secondary	13 – 19 Years Old
Open	No Restrictions

3) General Information

3.1. Qualified Categories: Primary / Secondary / Open

3.2. Competition Rules :

3.2.1. Preliminary round and Final round will be installed.

3.2.2. Participants can choose any song.

3.2.3. The same song must be presented in both Preliminary round and Final round.

3.2.4. Participants must memorize the score.

3.2.5. Western Classical Instruments group:

- No accompaniment is allowed for Preliminary round. Piano accompaniment is allowed for Final round. (Except piano group);

3.2.6. Chinese Traditional Instruments group:

- No accompaniment is allowed for Preliminary round. Accompaniment is allowed for Final round.
- All instruments (except piano) need to be prepared by the participants;

3.2.7. Only **ONE** accompanist is allowed.

3.2.8. Once the application form has been submitted, the selected song cannot be changed.

4) Time Restrictions

4.1. Musical Selection :

- Preliminary Round: Participants may choose any part of the song to perform, the total performance should not be more than 2 minutes.
- Final Round: Participants are required to perform full length of the song, the total performance should not be more than 12 minutes.

4.2. Mark Deduction :

Deduction of 5% from the overall score is applied if the performance time exceeds the time limit by 15 seconds.

5) Judging Criteria

- Artistry and Musicality (Presentation, Expression and Style, Interpretation)
- Technique (Pitch, Tone Quality and Rhythm)
- Overall performance
- The judges' decisions are final and no correspondence will be entertained.

6) Prize Structure / Standard of Performance

Each participating team will receive a participation certificate. Prize stated below is based on judges' final evaluation:

6.1. Primary Category

85 and above	: Gold Honour	(Cash Prize RM200 + Winner Cert.)
75% – 84 %	: Gold	(Winner Certificate)
65% – 74 %	: Silver	(Winner Certificate)
51% – 64 %	: Bronze	(Winner Certificate)
50% and below	: Participation Certificate	

6.2. Secondary Category

85 and above	: Gold Honour	(Cash Prize RM300 + Winner Cert.)
75% – 84 %	: Gold	(Winner Certificate)
65% – 74 %	: Silver	(Winner Certificate)
51% – 64 %	: Bronze	(Winner Certificate)
50% and below	: Participation Certificate	

6.3. Open Category

85 and above	: Gold Honour	(Cash Prize RM500 + Winner Cert.)
75% – 84 %	: Gold	(Winner Certificate)
65% – 74 %	: Silver	(Winner Certificate)
51% – 64 %	: Bronze	(Winner Certificate)
50% and below	: Participation Certificate	

7) Registration Procedures

- 7.1. The organizer will ONLY accept completely filled form, attached along with the participant list and the basic details. Each form is limited to ONE ensemble.
- 7.2. Registration fee: RM50 per person for Malaysian citizens / USD50 for Non-Malaysian. If the participant is absent or pulls out, the registration fee paid will not be refunded.
- 7.3. Payment method:
 - 7.3.1 Cheque Deposit: Please state : “Dewan Perhimpunan Cina Kedah”.
 - 7.3.2 Cash Deposit or Transaction:

Bank Account	: Alliance Bank Malaysia Berhad
Account Number	: 52020 001 001 4555
Account Name	: Dewan Perhimpunan Cina Kedah
Bank Account Code	: MFBBMYKL
- *Please save a copy of proof of payment (Receipt/Bank Slip).
- 7.4. Upon submission of registration forms and deposit, any changes/replacement in the participant list is not allowed.
- 7.5. Registration process: Form submission via online (email) or mail (manual). Please attach the registration form along with proof of payment and 4 sets of performance full scores and send it to :-

Kedah Chinese Assembly Hall
No 8 , Jalan Tanjung Bendahara,
05300Alor Setar,
Kedah Darul Aman,Malaysia
- 7.6. Registration deadline: 6th June 2017. Submission after deadline is not accepted.
- 7.7. Successful application will be announced in 18th June 2017 via official website. A list of confirmed participating ensembles and performance schedule will be posted as well.
- 7.8. Before drawing lots session on deciding performance schedule is conducted, the organizer reserves the right to process any late submission. Respective team is required to pay double of the registration fee.
- 7.9. If any information provided by the participants is found to be false, the organizer reserves the right to dismiss the ensemble.
- 7.10. The organizer is not responsible for any unforeseen circumstances, lost or damaged items.
- 7.11. Check-in matter: The ensemble will automatically lose all rights and privileges of participation in this competition if the ensemble fails to complete check-in procedures within the fixed time frame.
- 7.12. All information regarding this competition including rules and regulations, competition schedule and results can be found in official website.
- 7.13. The organizer reserves the right to make adjustment on rules and regulations stated, no appeal or objection is allowed. All decisions will be final.

8) Contact Person

Enquiries regarding **COMPETITION**, please refer to Kedah Chinese Assembly Hall

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