

Annex II - General Rules

Review of Applications and Rectification Procedure

Application materials will not be returned.

The review of applications for admission to the Competition shall be entrusted to a Procedure Officer, identified as the General Secretary of the Premio Paganini or another official appointed by the Municipality of Genoa.

The rectification procedure may be activated at the sole discretion of the Procedure Officer. Any missing or incomplete documentation required for regularisation shall be submitted by email to competition@premiopaganini.it within a period not exceeding five calendar days from receipt of the request. Failure to comply with this deadline shall result in the candidate's exclusion from the Competition.

Pursuant to Article 6, paragraph 5, of Presidential Decree No. 487/1994, the rectification procedure may not be used to remedy substantive deficiencies or to modify an application after its submission, but only to regularise formal, documentary, or declaratory elements that do not affect the equal treatment of candidates.

Candidates' Regulations

Applicants who, after registering, no longer intend to participate in the Competition must notify the Competition Secretariat in writing at competition@premiopaganini.it.

Candidates may not undertake professional commitments during the Competition in Genoa, from 11 to 24 October 2027.

Any individual who, after the conclusion of the Competition, falsely claims results that do not correspond to the official ranking will be excluded from subsequent editions, and their name will be reported to the World Federation of International Music Competitions in Geneva.

Registration fee

The payment must be made:

- **for residents in Italy**, via Pago PA at the link

<https://www.comune.genova.it/servizi/amministrazione/generazione-avvisi-di-pagamento-iuv>

- **for residents abroad**, via bank transfer

bank account no.: 000100880807 at Banca UNICREDIT S.p.A.

payable to: MUNICIPALITY OF GENOA (VAT Number and Tax Code: 00856930102)

IBAN: IT 08 T 02008 01459000100880807

ABI: 02008 CAB: 01459 CIN: T BIC: UNCRITMM

The payment reference must include: ""SURNAME and FIRST NAME of the candidate - Premio Paganini".

The registration fee is non-refundable, even in the event of exclusion, withdrawal from the Competition, or incorrect payment; in the case of an underpayment, it will be necessary to pay the difference up to the total amount of €150.00. The bank transfer amount must be net of any charges from both the sending and receiving banks.

The payment reference must strictly include the following wording: "SURNAME and FIRST NAME of the candidate – Premio Paganini".

Insurance coverage

Candidates are entitled to insurance coverage under the Municipality of Genova's public liability policy (RCT), Special Conditions, Article 1, letter I: Events. In particular, the coverage applies to any type of event organized by the Municipality and/or its Municipalities, also in collaboration with public or private bodies and associations, held within municipal premises or third-party venues, or outdoors, for causes related to such events. The coverage is also provided for civil liability incurred by the Municipality in its capacity as grantor of municipal spaces and/or facilities for events organized by third parties. The coverage includes damage to: artists and/or performers; musical instruments and equipment.

Disputes – Competent Court

In the event of complaints or disputes, the Italian version of this Competition Notice shall prevail. For any dispute arising in relation to the interpretation of these rules or their enforcement, the Court of Genoa shall have exclusive jurisdiction.