

# **New York Piano Festival 2015**

## **Application Form**

Application deadline: **May 31, 2015**

### **Student**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Male    ☐ Female    Date of Birth   MM /DD /YY   \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Current School \_\_\_\_\_

Current teacher's name \_\_\_\_\_

### **Check one of the boxes for each date**

I would like to participate in the final concert on June 20th at  
DiMenna Center for Classical Music.            ☐ Yes            ☐ No

Please provide number of desired lessons and instructor's name.

<b>Preferred Teacher</b>	<b>Number of Lessons</b>
Alexander Beridze (NY & NJ)	_____
Mai Kagaya (NY)	_____
Matei Varga (NY)	_____
Magdalena Baczewska (NY)	_____

**Parent/ Guardian (if under 18)**

I hereby permit my child to participate in New York Piano Festival 2015 and agree to all rules and conditions.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

List repertoire you would like to work on

Composer's Name and Full Title of the piece  
(Please, provide Key and Opus number).

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

## Preferred time for lessons

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
9am-12pm							
12pm-4pm							
4pm-8pm							

## APPLICATION CHECKLIST

1. Completed application form.
2. 100-word biography.
3. Digital photography (emailed to [nypf@newyorkpianofestival.com](mailto:nypf@newyorkpianofestival.com))
4. \$150 application fee, payable to  
New York Music Foundation, Inc.  
(Includes 2 tickets to all our concerts and refreshments).
5. Total amount for desired number of lessons  
(the lesson fee is \$80 per hour).

The registration and lesson fees must accompany the application; these are non-refundable and cannot be transferred.

☐ I will mail check.

☐ I prefer to pay online with credit card.

New York Piano Festival will be held from June 7th to June 20th in New York City. Performances will take place at DiMenna Center for Classical Music, 450 West 37th Street. Our faculty members will perform concerts on June 7th and June 13th. Besides our faculty concerts, the New York Piano Festival offers piano lessons for students of all levels and ages. Selected applicants will participate in our students' concerts on June 20th.

Our applicants will have opportunity to perform on a very special instrument – a Steinway & Sons Model D concert piano. Our concerts will be recorded on HD DVD.

New York Piano Festival is a great learning experience in a positive and friendly environment. Its goal is to bring together musicians of all ages to share the joy of music to motivate and develop their technical and artistic skills. Students will have the opportunity to meet great performers and talk with them, to ask for professional advice. Students will be able to learn not only from highly qualified teachers and performers, but also from one another.

## **Eligibility**

\* NYPF will be accepting applications from **May 1st to May 31st**. The application fee of \$150 is non-refundable and includes two tickets to all our concerts including receptions.

\* There is no age or level limit, beginner, advanced or professional levels are welcome.

\* Participants will have the opportunity to perform in our student concerts on June 20th. Participants may perform in master class with same or different repertoire. In order to participate in our final concerts, each applicant will be required to take at least three lessons with New York Piano Festival's faculty members.

\* Our lessons will focus on basic approaches of technique and interpretive issues. Our goal is to supply and enhance the basic tools for piano performance, bringing the student's talent, personality, and prior training to a harmonious blend of artistry. Lessons take place either at the teacher's studio or the student's home. The lesson fee is \$80 per hour. There are no additional tuitions or fees for the New York Piano Festival.

Submit materials to:  
**New York Piano Festival**  
**247 Wadsworth Ave, 4D New York, NY 10033**  
[www.newyorkpianofestival.com](http://www.newyorkpianofestival.com)  
For more information, please e-mail  
[nypf@newyorkpianofestival.com](mailto:nypf@newyorkpianofestival.com)  
Or call **917-454-8271**(English, Russian)  
**917-454-8245** (English, Japanese)