

YGP
International Semi-Final Guide Tour
Kiev, Ukraine - March 26-28, 2022

Dear Friends,

We are thrilled to welcome you to the Youth America Grand Prix 2022 competition season! Below, you will find a preliminary timeline to help you plan your schedule, and venue information, in order to help you choose the right Semi-Final location for you.

TIMELINE

Please note that the posted timeline is NOT FINAL, and is only meant to give you an idea of how each particular semi-final will be structured. For example, the Semi-Final usually begins with the pre-competitive group performances, followed by junior groups, senior groups and ensembles. Workshops usually take place differently in each venue, depending on the size of the group and the location. Depending on additional availability of studio and theater space, we may accommodate additional participants from the waiting list, by making adjustments to the timeline and adding an additional day to the competition. In this case, the timeline will state that additional dates are "pending". If you do not see this, it means the venue has no more available time, and will only accommodate a set number of participants.

The breakdown will be made clear in the final timeline and detailed schedule. The first draft of the updated timeline with a detailed schedule will be posted after the registration cut-off date, about five-to-six weeks prior to each semi-final. The final timeline will be posted 7 - 10 days before the event.

We strongly suggest that you only finalize travel arrangements after the first draft of the updated schedule has been posted, five to six weeks before the event.

YAGP's mission is to give talented students an opportunity to receive grants and scholarships with the most prestigious ballet schools and companies around the world. There is a chance to receive grants and scholarships on the spot as the semi-final competition and master classes are seen by the directors of numerous ballet schools and companies.

VENUE

Here you will find details about all Semi-Final event facilities, including theaters and studios. The number of seats in the theater can be used as a good indicator of the size of the event -- the smaller the size of the auditorium, the more limited the capacity of the event, and vice versa.

Best of luck this season, and please do not hesitate to send all your additional questions to pasdetroisgo@gmail.com .

All the best,
The YAGP Team

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Important information.

Venue: the competition will take place at the Kiev National Music Academy of Ukraine (Conservatory), a building with a century-old history, located in the very center of the capital at the 1-3/11 Gorodetsky St. near the metro station "Maidan Nezalezhnosti". Within walking distance from the Conservatory there are such cultural attractions as St. Sophia Cathedral, Mariinsky Palace, Mikhailovsky Cathedral, Landscape Alley, Andreevsky Descent, as well as a variety of restaurants and cafes.

The Conservatory comfortably accommodates more than 700 people and has amazing acoustics, convenient layout and excellent audibility. Professional stage coverage will help our participants in their great performances. Each spectator will get a convenient place in the stalls, in the benoir, amphitheater, mezzanine or on the balcony.

We are proud to announce that the third day of the competition and the Award Ceremony / Gala Concert will take place at the main theater of Ukraine - the National Opera Theatre located at 50 Vladimirska St..

Master classes will take place in comfortable ballet halls. More detailed information will be available by the end of December, 2021.

The YGP semifinals in Kyiv follow a program similar to this year's finals in Tampa, Florida, with a final round and scholarship classes. As a result, in the semifinals in Kyiv, gifted children receive numerous scholarships from the world's leading ballet schools..

Theatre: Ukrainian National Opera & Ballet Theatre.

Address: Kiev, 50 Volodymirska St.

Stage size: 20 * 27 meters, with slope.

Hall size: 1650 spectators.

Parking: street parking available, 35 hryvnas per hour.

A number of restaurants and cafes are available within the walking distance.

“Zoloti Vorota” metro station is located within a 5 minutes walking distance



Theatre: Kiev Conservatory

Address: 1-3/11 Gorodetsky St., Kiev, Ukraine

Stage size: 15 x 12 meters, no slope.

Hall size: 700 seats

Restaurants nearby: plenty of options within walking distance

Parking: street parking available, 35 hryvnas per hour.

Distance to the metro station "Maidan Nezalezhnosti": 1 minute



To accommodate participants, we recommend:

Hotel: "Ukraine" *

Address: 4 Institutskaya St., Kiev, Ukraine

<https://ukraine-hotel.kiev.ua/>

* Discount for participants is under discussion.