



Harpists of all nationalities, who will not be more than 36 years of age by **13 August 2024**, are welcome to apply to participate in the 22nd International Harp Contest in Israel.

The Music Committee of the International Harp Contest in Israel will scan and select participants based on the information submitted in the applications.

How to apply:

Applicants are requested to complete the Official Application Form:
<https://www.harpcontest-israel.org.il/22nd-contest-application/>

Please upload the following materials:

1. A photocopy of your valid passport or a certified copy of your birth certificate as proof of age.
2. Three letters of recommendation from prominent musical figures who are familiar with your talent and level of performance. One of these letters must be from your most recent harp teacher, specifically recommending you as a contestant in the 22nd International Harp Contest in Israel.
3. A personal biography outlining your general and musical education.
4. A list of your musical achievements, including academic degrees, prizes, honors, and important performances. Please include copies of diplomas, awards, and concert programs.
5. A YouTube link featuring one piece from Stage I or II of the Required Repertoire for the 22nd International Harp Contest in Israel.
6. Two recent color photographs suitable for publication. These must be high-quality images in JPG format, submitted electronically.

7. A detailed list of your complete chosen repertoire for all stages of the contest, for review by the Music Committee.
8. A non-refundable registration fee of \$300 USD. The fee will only be refunded to applicants who are not accepted as contestants in the 22nd Contest. Please upload proof of the bank transfer.

Please Note:

- Incomplete or late applications will not be accepted.
- Contestants will be accommodated by the Contest in a hotel or guest house. a single room on a bed & breakfast basis — for the duration of their active participation plus one additional day.
- English is the official language of the Contest. All application materials must be submitted in English or accompanied by an English translation.
- The Rules and Regulations for the 22nd International Harp Contest in Israel will be posted on the website shortly.
- Applicants are required to review these Rules and Regulations prior to signing the Application Form.
- By signing the Application Form, each applicant agrees to comply with all Contest rules and to accept, without appeal, all decisions of the International Jury.

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Details for a bank transfer:

THE ARTHUR RUBINSTEIN INTERNATIONAL MUSIC SOCIETY
16 Hanaziv Street, Tel Aviv, Israel

IBAN: **IL72-0125-3200-0000-0599-667**

SWIFT: **POALILIT**

Bank Hapoalim, 3 Daniel Frisch, Tel Aviv, Israel

Branch name: **Shaul Hamelech**

Branch No.: **532**