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1.) impuls . **Academy 2021**

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impuls academy | festival

February 17th – 28th, 2021 | Graz, Austria

... amongst others with Klangforum Wien | Trio Accanto | Quatuor Diotima | Black Page Orchestra
 Ensemble Schallfeld | Peter Ablinger | Mark Andre | Franck Bedrossian | Pierluigi Billone
 Gerhard Eckel | Beat Furrer | Clara Iannotta | Ernst Kovacic | Giorgio Netti
 Alberto Posadas | Stefan Prins | Peter Rundel | François Sarhan | Marco Stroppa
 Bas Wiegiers ... & many more young ensembles and composers

coaching | lectures | workshops | special programs | discussions ...
 ... daily concerts | world premieres ...

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Registration for the 12th international impuls Academy (coming along with the 7th impuls Festival) has **started** and invites **composers, young ensembles** and **chamber music formations** as well as – only for some specific special programs – **sound and multimedia artists, performers, individual musicians, actors, dancers, instrument designers** to join **impuls 2021 in Graz, Austria** (17.2. day of arrival – 1.3. day of departure). Please note, that, unlike former editions, the Academy 2021 does not offer any instrumental classes for individual musicians.

An international team of **renowned tutors** will coach participants from all over the world, and offer various **Special Programs** beyond individual training. Daily **group lectures, discussions, talks** and other forms of **discourse programs** as well as daily **Festival concerts** and **presentations** (partly also of Academy participants) enrich the Academy offers.

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2.) impuls . **Composition Competition**

impuls competition

impuls promotes and supports young composers not only within its Academy, but also through the impuls Composition Competition.

impuls commissions new works for ensemble every second year from **young composers selected by a jury**. Subsequently these composers are **invited** to take part in the **impuls**

Composition Workshop in Vienna and Graz – where their new works are collectively rehearsed and discussed extensively with musicians of world-class ensembles such as [Klangforum Wien](#) –, as well as to the **premieres** of their new pieces within the impuls Academy and Festival in Graz. The call for **this year's competition** runs from **May 15th to October 15th, 2020** and will lead to commissions to be premiered in 2023.

[>>> Further info](#)

3.) TIPP . Chamber Music Competition



It is time again: The registration for the **11th International Competition "Franz Schubert and Modern Music"** (FS&MM) has started. The competition will take place **February 6-15, 2021** in the categories Duo for Voice and Piano (Lied) as well as Trio for Piano, Violin and Violoncello in Graz, Austria.

The competition is seeking for creative and curious musical personalities, full of fantasy, who make music at the highest level and reach, touch and delight their audiences with their performances of chamber music.

The most characteristic element of this international competition is the link it creates between well-known repertoire and contemporary music. Contemporary music is not seen as garnish, but as a challenge that demands serious work and reflection. In both categories, the expansion of chamber music repertoire is actively pursued through composition competitions. In addition to the self-chosen repertoire, participants will add compulsory pieces to their program.

Registration will be possible **until October 21, 2020**.

For more information, please visit <https://schubert.kug.ac.at/en/> or contact the office via email: competitions@kug.ac.at.

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