

Announcing the Jan Wallander Prize 2024

Since 2010, Jan Wallander Prize is handed out. The prize, which is awarded annually, is instituted through a collaboration between Handelsbanken and the Royal College of Music in Stockholm.

Now it is time to apply for the price 2024!

The call is for you that the autumn term of 2023 is a registered student at one of Sweden's music colleges, with double bass as the main instrument and specialization in jazz.

The price means that for a longer period of time, however, for a maximum of eight years, you can dispose of a double bass manufactured in England 1830.

Read more about the instrument here: https://www.jwpriset.se/jan-wallander-priset/handelsbanken-classic-instruments#kontrabas-fran-ca-1830/

The prize will be awarded at a ceremony at the Royal College of Music in Stockholm on Thursday, March 21, 2024.

The following is to be enclosed with all applications:

- a birth certificate or equivalent (personbevis)
- a letter/certificate confirming that the applicant is a student as specified above
- a letter of recommendation from the applicant's current main instrument tutor
- a film (audio and video) in which the applicant plays a solo piece and a piece in an ensemble, which provides a test of both solo and accompanying playing as well as improvisation skills The combined playing time should not exceed 20 minutes. The film should be sent digitally by for example Sprend or WeTransfer, www.sprend.com.

Applications for the Jan Wallander Prize 2024 must be submitted by Sunday January 7th 2024, at the latest. To be valid, the application must be complete when submitted. Send the application by e-mail to ansokan@jwpriset.se.

The jury consists of Nina de Heney (Switzerland/Sweden), Georg Riedel (Sweden) and Professor Staffan Scheja (Royal College of Music in Stockholm).

If you have any questions, please contact: Per Sjöberg, 0705-380366, per.sjoberg@kmh.se.

We look forward to your application! Best regards

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