

2024 Asian Elite Dance Competition – Indonesia Regional Division

Rules and Regulations

- Date : February 3 - 4, 2024
- Venue : Teater Kecil Taman Ismail Mazurki, Jakarta, Indonesia
- Application Period : November 13 – December 17, 2023
- Registration Link :
- Soloist : <http://bit.ly/aedcsoloist>
- Ensemble/Pas de Deux/Duo Trio : <https://bit.ly/aedcensemble>



Competition Introduction:

Asian Elite Dance Competition

Asian Elite Dance Competition, established in 2012, aims to promote the international vision of ballet arts education and the nurturing of young talents. AEDC aspires to build an artistic exchange platform for all the next generation artists from all over the world. Moreover, the competition is also dedicated to providing scholarship and interview opportunities from world renowned professional schools and companies, in order to broaden the students' international horizon and deepen their understanding and exploration.

2023-2024 Asian Elite Dance Competition

After the different regional competitions during 2022-2023, the Annual Season Final Competition was completed with tremendous success in Yangzhou in July 2023. Many Mainland China and overseas Ballet authorities have been invited to be AEDC Final's honorable adjudicators.

AEDC Final also presents scholarships from world-renowned ballet schools and companies, such as American Ballet Theatre Studio Company, Elmhurst Ballet School in Association with Birmingham Royal Ballet Summer School, Queensland National Ballet School Summer Intensive, Seoul Universal Ballet Company Summer Intensive, USA Florida Next Generation Ballet Summer Intensive, Indonesia Marlupi Dance Academy Short-term Intensive, Singapore Yan Ballet Academy Short-term Intensive and so on.

AEDC, entering its 10th anniversary, has been enforcing its initial endeavor to invite international renowned adjudicators and academies to judge, strengthen the bonding among ballet contestants, professional schools and companies, provide valuable opportunities for potential contestants to study abroad and practice in companies, and most important of all, to provide an exchange platform for contestants to learn and realize their learning on stage. Now, we gladly announce the first regional competition of the new competition year 2023-2024 in Hong Kong.

How to get into AEDC Annual Final (Green Card) :

- Contestant who has joined any of the AEDC regional competitions during the year and has been awarded Top 6, or outstanding ensemble groups, will receive Green Card Invitation letter from the judge panels. Green card holder does not need to compete in the Semi-Final and can directly enter the Final around of the Annual Final competition.
- Green card holder can participate in the master class with other non-green card holder. They can also choose whether to join the Semi-Final or not. (But the semi-final performance will not be judged and marked.)
- If a contestant has joined two or more regional competitions during the competition year, and has competed in two different age groups due to the increasing age, they can only choose to use one green card for the Annual Final. And the other green card will be disqualified. If contestants want to compete in two different age groups in Annual Final, they have to compete in Semi-Final for the qualification to enter Final.
- Any contestants competing in age group above their actual age, will not be awarded Green Card.
- All green card holders (soloists or ensemble groups) have been awarded the EAnnual Final Competition Scholarship” by the AEDC organizing committee. They only need to pay 50% of the competition application fee.

COMPETITION ITEMS :

- 1. Classical Ballet**
- 2. Contemporary**
- 3. Ensemble**

CLASSICAL BALLET – SOLO (Children Group or Above)

DIVISION	CHILDREN	PRE COMPETITIVE	JUNIOR Professional Junior	SENIOR Professional Senior	OPEN
Round	FINAL	SEMI FINAL & FINAL	SEMI FINAL & FINAL	SEMI FINAL & FINAL	SEMI FINAL & FINAL
Variation	One variation only	One or two different variations in semi final & final round	One or two different variations in semi final & final round	One or two different variations in semi final & final round	One or two different variations in semi final & final round
Masterclass	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES
Shoes	SOFT SHOES ONLY	Not recommended to perform in pointe shoes (not obligatory)	May choose to perform either ballet soft shoes or pointe shoes	may choose to perform either ballet soft shoes or pointe shoes	may choose to perform either ballet soft shoes or pointe shoes
Minutes of Variation	should not exceed 2.5 minutes	should not exceed 2.5 minutes	should not exceed 3 minutes	should not exceed 3 minutes	should not exceed 3 minutes

- If any participant refuses to comply with the rules, marks may be subject to deduction
- All contestants must first enter their own age group before they can choose to advance to the higher group. Contestants who enter two groups cannot perform the same variation. Using soft shoes and pointe shoes to dance the same piece is also **NOT** acceptable.
- If any participant refuses to comply with the rules, it is subject to deduction of marks. Overtime of competition piece is considered as violation of rules, will lead to deduction of marks. (Exceeding 15 seconds will deduct 1 mark and exceeding 30 seconds will deduct 5 marks.)
- Within the same competition year, contestants who are awarded Top 6 cannot join another regional competition with the same variation.

Age Range and Category of Classical Ballet SOLO

CATEGORY	CODE	AGE	AGE RANGE
Children	CHD	6 – 8	As 1 January 2024
Pre Competitive A	PCA	9 – 10	
Pre Competitive B	PCB	11 – 12	
Junior A	JRA	13 – 14	
Junior B	JRB	15 – 16	
Senior	SR	17 – 19	
Open	OPN	20 & up	

CONTEMPORARY – SOLO

- Contestants cannot duplicate entries in the same group, and cannot apply for group exceeding their actual age.
- Each variation should not exceed 3 minutes. If any participant refuses to comply with the rules, it is subject to deduction of marks. Overtime of competition piece is considered as violation of rules, will lead to deduction of marks. (Exceeding 15 seconds will deduct 1 mark and exceeding 30 seconds will deduct 5 marks.)
- Contemporary group includes contemporary, modern dance and modern ballet etc.
- The organizing committee does not accept any competition piece which may lead to copyright dispute. Contestants should double check if the dance piece is eligible for competition. If there is any copyright disputes arising, the committee will disqualify the contestants without any refund.

Age Range and Category of CONTEMPORARY SOLO

CATEGORY	CODE	AGE	AGE RANGE
Pre Competitive	CO.PC	7 – 10	As 1 January 2024
Junior	CO.JR	11 – 15	
Senior	CO.SR	16 & up	

ENSEMBLE – DUO TRIO + ENSEMBLE

- Duo / Trio : 2 to 3 people - Each Group Dance should not exceed 4 minutes.
- Ensemble : 4 -20 people - Each Group Dance should not exceed 5 minutes.

(Overtime of competition piece is considered as violation of rules, will lead to deduction of marks. Exceeding 15 seconds will deduct 1 mark and exceeding 30 seconds will deduct 5 marks.)

- Group Dance category is determined by the age of the eldest contestant in the dance piece.

Reminders

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Age Range of BALLET Ensemble Competition		
CATEGORY	AGE	AGE RANGE
Duo / Trio		
Pre Competitive	6 – 10	As 1 January 2024
Junior	11 – 15	
Senior	Over 16	
Large Ensemble (4 – 20 Person)		
Pre Competitive	6 – 10	As 1 January 2024
Junior	11 – 15	
Senior	Over 16	

Age Range of CONTEMPORARY Ensemble Competition		
CATEGORY	AGE	AGE RANGE
Duo / Trio		
Pre Competitive	7 – 10	As 1 January 2024
Junior	11 – 15	
Senior	Over 16	
Large Ensemble (4 – 20 Person)		
Pre Competitive	7 – 10	As 1 January 2024
Junior	11 – 15	
Senior	Over 16	

OPEN

This category is open to ALL ages; 20 and above. Any participants with any background is allowed to join.

REGISTRATION FEE :

Classical Ballet Solo

Category	Code	Semi Final	Final
Children	CHD	-	IDR 1.500.000
Pre Competitive A	PCA	IDR 2.000.000	IDR 575.000
Pre Competitive B	PCB	IDR 2.000.000	IDR 575.000
Junior A	JRA	IDR 2.000.000	IDR 575.000
Junior B	JRB	IDR 2.000.000	IDR 575.000
Senior	SR	IDR 2.000.000	IDR 575.000
Open	OPN	IDR 2.000.000	IDR 575.000

OTHER DANCE CATEGORY

Duo Trio	IDR 1.200.000 / Entry
Large Ensemble	IDR 500.000 / Person // Ex : 4 dancers x 500.000 = IDR 2.000.000
Contemporary Solo	IDR 1.250.000 / Entry

Scoring System

- 1) For Children Group, their awards are allocated according to their scores. If the contestant scores 90 or above, he/she will be awarded Gold Medal. If the score is 85 or above, he/she will be awarded Silver Medal. If the score is 80 or above, he/she will be awarded Bronze Medal.
- 2) For Pre-competitive Groups, if the number of contestants in each category is more than 30, we will subdivide the category according to the contestants' age in ranking their positions. (i.e. Pre-competitive A Group 1—Age 9, Pre-competitive A Group 2- Age 10)
- 3) For Junior and Senior Groups, we will have Junior A/ Professional Junior A, Junior B/ Professional Junior B and Senior Group/ Professional Senior Group. Contestants attending full time vocational dancing schools or receive equivalent amount of training hours should apply the professional groups. Professional Groups stand a higher chance of receiving overseas scholarship from international institutions.

General Information :

Dresscode for masterclass :

Female Contestants : MUST wear any kind of sleeveless Black leotard with pink tights

Male Contestants : MUST wear white leotard and black tights

Copyrights :

Once enrolled in the competition, the contestants agree that the organizing committee owns the copyright for all the photos and videos taken during the competition. Committee can use the photos and videos for promotion purposes, the contestants have no objection to that.

Decision :

Asian Elite Dance Competition has the right to all final decisions of the rules and regulations, and the results of competition. Decision of Jury on distribution of any award, medal, scholarship and prize is final and irrevocable. AEDC Jury reserves the right not to offer any published award, medal, scholarship or prize if no suitable candidate is identified.

Others :

Expenses to attend the competition (e.g. Visa application fee, hotel and meals etc) and insurance against accidents, injury, illness and theft, are at participants' own cost and responsibility.

Once enrolled in the competition, all contestants agree that the organizing committee will not be liable for any injury and accident before and during the competition, including sickness which cause the contestant's withdrawal from the competition. The organizing committee is not responsible for that. The contestants should be held accountable for their own health condition and agree to take the responsibility of the competition risks, and cannot request for refund.

REGISTRATION PERIOD

November 10 - December 17, 2023

HOW TO REGISTER:

1. Choose your category and use the respective e-form link:
Solo: bit.ly/aedcsoloist
Ensemble: bit.ly/aedcensemble
2. Complete the e-form after clicking the selected link and carefully follow the provided instructions.
3. Make the payment before submitting the e-form. Ensure you attach the correct payment proof. If you encounter an error message after submission, don't worry; you can try on another device.
4. Follow the instructions on the form accurately.
5. A confirmation email, confirming your payment and detailing your chosen variation, will be sent one month before the competition.
6. Two weeks before the competition day, a welcome package will be sent via email.

Payment Information :

Bank Name : Bank Central Asia

Account Name : Jeffrey Sutjiadi

Account Number : 0050369170

Swift Code : CENAIJJA

Please include your **FULL name** and **category** in your payment proof .

Please order the Bank to put **FULL AMOUNT** for the payment.