

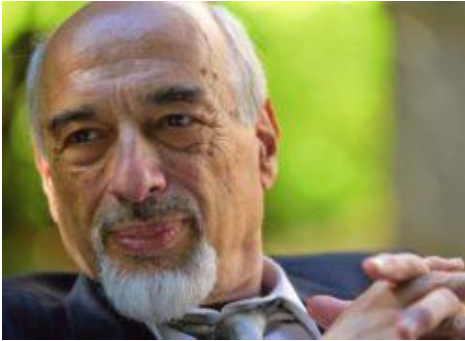
## PIANO

**November, 4 to 9, 2017**

Novosibirsk is due to welcome the famous pianist and teacher, **Dmitry Bashkirov**. Maestro Bashkirov is one of the brightest stars among the Russian pianists of the later half of the XX century and one of the best Mozart interpreters, he is the co-founder of Escuela superior de musica Reina Sofia in Madrid and an Honorary Professor of the International Piano Academy at Lake Como, Italy.

*The distinguished pianist, Maestro Bashkirov, will hold master classes in the Mail Hall of Energia Concert Hall 5-11 November 2017 as part of the educational project of the Trans-Siberian Art Festival.*

**Dmitry Bashkirov** is known as a pianist of rare talent. He has played at premier, world-class concert halls and been critically acclaimed by the most captive audiences. Mr Bashkirov's expressive and passionate performances are impossible to forget and the press is forever raving with enthusiastic reviews after his recitals. But this gifted musician has also got another string to his professional bow – he has found himself as a great teacher, much respected and loved by his faithful students.



He has been launching new generations of his students into the world of art and tutoring the most talented musicians for more than half a century.

The “Bashkirov’s school” has been a well-known phenomenon on the European music scene for a good while now. His graduates include Dmitry Alexeev, Boris Blokh, Nikolay Demidenko, and Dang Thai Son.

Dmitry Bashkirov has been giving master classes at the Conservatoire de Paris, the Mozarteum Summer Academy in Salzburg, the Sibelius Academy in Helsinki and at the International Piano Academy at Lake Como, Italy. He is also a regular juror at various international music competitions. In 2007 he was the jury member of the XIII International Tchaikovsky Competition.

Dmitry Bashkirov's Piano Master Class applications deadline is 30 September, 2017. Suitable for an audience aged 12+.

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### **Masterclass Regulations**

Five to six students at **professional music institutions** will be enrolled for the masterclasses. The participants will be selected by the respective professor on the basis of the application submitted

to “The Masters School” Registration team, the deadline is 30 September 2017. Application forms are to be sent to the following email address: [energy.masterclass@transsiberianfestival.com](mailto:energy.masterclass@transsiberianfestival.com)

Please find the Application form in **Appendix 1**.

The Application must include the following items:

- Copy of a passport/ID document
- Participant’s artistic CV with a recent photo
- Letters of recommendation from professors at music institutions
- An active link to a video recording of a performance by the Participant (duration: 15 min)

The masterclass participant’s fees are **30 000 roubles**. Applicants may apply for scholarship funding (the Scholarship Application form is in **Appx 2**).

Accommodation information for participants travelling from other cities will be provided once the selection process is complete.

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Application deadline is September, 30, 2017

Masterclasses venue: The Enegria Concert Hall

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