



8th Damanhour International Folk Festival
1st April to 7th April 2020 in Damanhour
Egypt

Ministry of Culture
 Foreign Cultural Relations
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Application

Please read the Application form carefully before completing the form and send this form by E-mail: festivaldamnhour1@gmail.com

IMPORTANT APPLICATION FORM MUST BE SENT BEFORE
1 March, 2020

1. CONTACT DETAILS

Country:

Name of Troupe/Artist:

Artistic Director:

Contact Address:

Street:

City:

Country:

Post / zip code:

Business phone:

Mobile phone:

Email:

Website Address:

Face book Account:

<p>Number of Performers (dancers – musicians): Female (.....) / Male (.....)</p> <p>Accompanying Persons: Female (.....) / Male (.....)</p>

2. PERFORMANCE DESCRIPTION

Please describe your performance and write a brief biography about the troupe in 60 - 80 words. If your application is successful, it will be included as your artist profile in the festival program (may be edited)

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3. PERFORMANCE SUGGESTIONS

We are very supportive for new ideas or unique ways of presenting your work at the Festival. Do you have any suggestions or can you offer us something different?

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4. SUPPORTING MATERIAL

Please supply the following supporting material

1. Troupe performance video tape or CD/DVD - 1 pce;
2. Troupe introduction (history, international performance, awards or others you want to be mentioned);
3. General repertoire;
4. Troupe photos 5 - 6 pcs;
5. Sample of music performance of Troupe (or CD with folklore music of the area or the country if possible) CDs will not be returned.
6. All performance material should be sent before the festival.

5- Preference will be given to applications that supply up-to-date support materials
Artists **MUST** provide CD/DVD recording and recent photos with application
6. Specify any necessary technical requirements (Technical Rider including: Number of microphones, lights on stage, etc.)
But we do not provide musical instruments

Conditions

- Damanhour International Folk Festival is an annual cultural event, which is held in Damanhur , the capital of Al Buhayrah
- The festival is organized by Foreign cultural Relation and Cairo Opera House (Damanhur Opera House) the Ministry of Culture
- All participating groups must attend to Cairo International Airport or Alexandria Borg El Arab Airport and they will be transferred from the airport to Damanhur and back again
- All participating groups must arrive one day at least before the rehearsal on 31 March and will leave the next day to the end of the festival. According to airline bookings.
- The maximum age of the participants dancers on stage is 35 years
- There is no maximum age for musicians and groups directors
- Performances are held in the Damanhur Opera House and elsewhere around
- All participants must prepare a program of 4 minutes to 15 minutes, for display at the opening day
- The festival is responsible for food, local transport to rehearsals and performances and accommodation for the participants in the festival in hotels.
- Each group should not exceed about 12 members of the group
- You should send all information about the group, such as images, videos and biography etc.

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Thank you for your interest and application. For any further information, please feel free to contact us on

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