

Dear Luciano Armand Copok,

Congratulations! We are delighted to inform you that you are awarded **Third Place with Special Honours and Distinction Plus** at the Rocky Mountain Voice Competition, Intermediate, 15 - 16 years old, for Francesco Durante, Danza, Danza.

Here are the comments from our judges:

Thank you for sharing your performance of Danza Danza. Your memory feels secure, which allows you to stay present in the music, and you produce a well-resonated sound that carries clearly. Your body and hands movement is purposeful and supports the story of the piece, helping the audience follow your musical intentions. Overall, this is good work and a strong foundation to build on. For your next steps, consider expanding the expressiveness using facial expressions as well. In Italian style especially, the character and emotion often need to be shown more boldly—almost slightly “larger than life”—so the text and dramatic situation read immediately. You can also experiment with a slightly faster tempo to keep the feeling of continuous motion; at the current pace, the overall form and phrasing can feel a bit held back rather than moving forward naturally. Finally, aim for more clarity and emphasis in the language. Focus on pronunciation, especially the consonants, so that the words stay crisp and the meaning lands with impact. If you combine your already strong sound and storytelling with crisp diction, a facial expression, and a touch more forward momentum, the performance will feel even more vivid and stylistically convincing. Keep up the good work!

Please find your Certificate on the website. If you indicated that you have a teacher and/or an accompanist, their Certificates are also on the website. For your convenience all certificates are in PDF for printing and JPG for posting on social media. Please download the certificates within next two months.

We are thrilled to inform you that you are invited to perform at the Winners' Recital and the Award Ceremony that will be held at St. Andrew's Church at 73 Simcoe St., Toronto, Canada, on July 11th, 2026 (Saturday).

We will send more details regarding the registration, the exact dates, and the venue later. Please, always check your spam/junk email folder to do not miss any important information.

Please register for the recital at the following link by February 5th, 2026:

<https://www.pulsar-music.com/recitals>

Payments after the deadline will not be accepted due to the high volume of participants. Please note that the recital registration fees are not refundable and can not be substituted.

Please find your performance information below:

1. Francesco Durante, Danza, Danza (1 min 38 sec) will be listed in the recital program as your performance repertoire. If you need to change your piece please contact us at info@pulsar-music.com no later than one month prior the event date. The repertoire change is available for an extra fee and the duration of the new piece must be no longer than the original piece duration.
2. If you need an official invitation letter from the Competition to apply for the visa, you may provide this letter.
3. The competition does not provide a piano accompanist. If you bring your own accompanist, please, send us the name of your accompanist, so we can add him/her to our backstage security list. If you need a local piano accompanist, please let us know. However, it will be your responsibility to contact the accompanist and make all the arrangements. If your accompanist doesn't show up for the performance, you will not be allowed onto the stage.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Toronto! In addition, Pulsar Music is happy to invite all Winners' Recital and Award Ceremony participants, their teachers, and family members to join us at other social events after the recital date, such as a trip to Niagara Falls and the Toronto Aquarium.

Sincerely,

Dr. Ekaterina Paniukova, CEO of Pulsar Music

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