

V Concurso Internacional BNDES de Piano

Homenagem a Lucia Branco e Camargo Guarnieri

De 1 a 10 de dezembro de 2016

The final round of the  $5^{TH}$  BNDES International Piano Competition took place on Saturday, December  $10^{TH}$  at municipal Theatre of Rio de Janeiro.

1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Daniel Ciobanu (Romania) 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize and Audience Award: Joo Hyeon Park (South Korea) 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: Andreas Ioannides (UK)

> BRAZILIAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA CONDUCTOR: ROBERTO TIBIRIÇÁ

The Best performer of Brazilian Music Award was granted to Lucas Thomazinho (Brazil) and the Ginastera Award to Liza Kliuchereva (Russia)

The final round of the 5th BNDES International Piano Competition took place on Saturday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2016 in tribute to the Brazilian musicians Lucia Branco (pianist) and Camargo Guarnieri (composer). In a crowded Municipal Theatre of Rio de Janeiro (over 2000 seats), three young pianists showed the talent that made them finalists. They performed with Brazilian Symphony Orchestra under the baton of Roberto Tibiriçá. The jury awarded First Prize to 24 years old Romanian Daniel Ciobanu; Second Prize (and also the Audience Award) was South Korean Joo Hyeon Park (27) and Third Prize was 29 years old Andreas Ioannides from the United Kingdom.



Daniel Ciobanu (24, Romania) performed PROKOFIEV Concerto no.3 Joo Hyeon Park (27, South Korea) performed TCHAIKOVSKY Concerto no.1 Andreas Ioannides (29, UK) performed BEETHOVEN Concerto no. 5

The Brazilian pianist Lucas Thomazinho (21) received the Best Performer of Brazilian Music Award and the Russian pianist Liza Kliuchereva (17) won the Ginastera Award offered to the best interpreter of a piece by the Argentinian composer.

## PRIZES

The total sum of the prize money is BRL 280,000.00 (two hundred and eighty thousand reais).

1<sup>st</sup> prize: BRL 120,000.00 (one hundred and twenty thousand reais) plus concerts in Brazil, Europe and the USA in the 2017-18 season

2<sup>nd</sup> prize: BRL 75,000.00 (seventy-five thousand reais)

3<sup>rd</sup> prize: BRL 60,000.00 (sixty thousand reais)

Best Performer of Brazilian Music Award: BRL 17,000.00 (seventeen thousand reais)

Ginastera Award: BRL 10,000.00 offered by Georgina Ginastera, chairwoman of the Ginastera Foundation

Audience Award: BRL 8,000.00 (eight thousand reais)



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