

PRIVACY POLICY RING AWARD 25

The protection of participants' personal data is of particular concern to the Organiser. The Organiser shall comply with the applicable legal provisions (in particular the Austrian Data Protection Act, the EU General Data Protection Regulation and the Telecommunications Act) for the protection, lawful handling and confidentiality of personal data, as well as for data security.

You are therefore informed below about the type, scope and purpose of data processing in the context of your participation in the RING AWARD 25 and your associated rights:

Purpose of Data Processing

The personal data provided by participants when registering for the RING AWARD 25 (name, surname, date of birth, citizenship, e-mail address, mobile phone number, gender, image, role in the team, short CV; hereinafter referred to as the **"data provided"**) will be processed by the Organiser and its cooperation partners (Bühnen Graz GmbH, FN 247396v, Opernhaus Graz GmbH, FN 248573z, Schauspielhaus Graz GmbH, FN 248525d, NEXT LIBERTY Jugendtheater GmbH, FN 248519w, University of Music and Performing Arts Graz) exclusively for the purpose of carrying out, processing, preparing and following up the RING AWARD 25 as well as for documentation and marketing purposes.

The Organiser will make image, audio and video recordings of the participants as part of the RING AWARD 25. These recordings are used exclusively with due regard to the personal rights of the participants and are used for internal documentation and marketing purposes. These recordings can also be used for TV broadcasts, streaming, announcing and promoting the RING AWARD and associated events and activities, both in digital media and in print media.

Legal Basis for Data Processing / Declaration Of Consent

The processing of the participants' data provided is based on the following legal bases:

- Consent of the participant(s) to data processing for specific purposes in accordance with Art 6 para 1 point a GDPR;
- for the fulfilment of a contract (participation in the RING AWARD 25) or for the implementation of pre-contractual measures pursuant to Art 6 para 1 point b GDPR;
- to fulfil a legal obligation pursuant to Art 6 para 1 point c GDPR); or
- if there is a legitimate interest in data processing in accordance with Art 6 para 1 point f GDPR.

The processing of the data provided by the participants is necessary for the processing of the RING AWARD 25, in particular for the notification of the winners, and for the fulfilment

of the participation contract. Data processing for marketing purposes serves to create broad public awareness of the participants' artistic work and to finance the competition. In addition, by submitting the following declaration, the participants gave their consent to the processing of the data provided for the following purposes:

Each participant hereby expressly consents to the collection, processing, storage and use of their personal data, namely name, date of birth, citizenship, e-mail address, mobile phone number, gender, image, role in the team, short CV, as well as to the recording, dissemination and publication of image, sound and video recordings with recognisable identification features of the participants for the purpose of the implementation, processing, preparation and follow-up of the RING AWARD 25 as well as for documentation and marketing purposes by the Organiser and its cooperation partners (Bühnen Graz GmbH, FN 247396v, Opernhaus Graz GmbH, FN 248573z, Schauspielhaus Graz GmbH, FN 248525d, NEXT LIBERTY Jugendtheater GmbH, FN 248519w, University of Music and Performing Arts Graz).

Data Transfer

Any forwarding of the data provided to third parties (neither Organiser nor cooperation partner) may take place for the purposes of competition management (forwarding to the jury and management), internal administrative purposes (ticketing, internal control activities) and advertising and marketing purposes (forwarding to partners and sponsors).

In order to carry out certain tasks, the Organiser may use selected service providers who act as processors and may be given access to the data provided to the necessary extent. This applies, for example, to ticket sales, marketing tools, software solutions, IT services, postal dispatch and similar services. All processors commissioned by the organiser process the data provided only on its behalf and on the basis of its instructions for the purposes described above. Furthermore, contractual obligations ensure that the contracted processors comply with the legal provisions on data protection.

Data Storage

The data provided will be stored for a period of time in accordance with the legal provisions. In principle, data will only be stored for as long as is necessary for the aforementioned processing purposes, but in any case for the duration of the RING AWARD 25 and until the conclusion of the associated events.

After the end of the RING AWARD 25, the data of the participants will be processed and stored by the Organiser on the basis of legitimate interests and given consent.

Data that is processed for marketing purposes on the basis of consent of the participants or the legitimate interests of the Organiser will be stored until consent is withdrawn. Unless revoked, the data provided will be processed for marketing purposes for a maximum period of 3 years.

A longer retention period may result from statutory retention obligations (usually 7 years) or for the assertion of legal claims. In this case, the data disclosed will be stored until the final clarification of a specific incident or legal dispute.

Rights of the participants

Right to information: You have the right to information about the personal data processed about you.

Right to rectification: You have the right to have your personal data corrected if it is no longer up to date, incomplete or incorrect.

Right to cancellation: You have the right to have your personal data erased, unless there are legal or legitimate reasons (such as retention obligations under tax law) to retain it.

Right to restriction of data processing: You have the right to request the restriction of the processing of your personal data if one of the conditions listed in Art. 18 GDPR is met.

Right to data portability: You have the right to receive the personal data you have provided in a structured, commonly used and machine-readable format.

Right of objection: If your personal data is processed on the basis of legitimate interest, you have the right to object to this processing at any time on grounds relating to your particular situation. If necessary, compelling reasons of the Organiser worthy of protection may prevail. In addition, you have the right to object to the processing of your data at any time and without giving reasons if the processing is for the purpose of direct marketing.

Right to withdraw consent: You have the right to withdraw your consent to the processing of personal data at any time and without giving reasons with effect for the future if the processing is based on your consent. A cancellation can for example be sent by e-mail to datenschutz@art-event.com.

Contact us: You can reach Theaterservice Graz GmbH using the following contact details:

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In case of any dispute the German language version shall prevail.