
I. Yiddish Summer Weimar 2023 – Conditions of participation

Dear Participant! Please read this carefully from start to finish. It contains essential information that you need to know.

1. Presenter

Other Music Academy e.V. is the official presenter of Yiddish Summer Weimar. The content and staffing of workshops are subject to change if necessary.

2. Registration / Workshop fee

Online registration is now open. Your registration will be confirmed once the entire workshop fee has been received by Other Music Academy e.V.'s bank account.

Payment options include:

- direct debit payment via SEPA
- credit card
- Giropay
- Paypal

In certain exceptional cases, other payment options may be requested by sending an email to registration@othermusicacademy.eu. The organizer will send you a written confirmation upon receiving your payment. If you are unable to register online, please contact us either by phone: +49 (0) 3643-858310 or email: registration@othermusicacademy.eu.

2.1. Right to cancel this contract

You have the right to cancel this contract within fourteen days without giving any reason. The cancellation period is fourteen days from the day the contract was concluded.

To exercise this right, you must notify us (Other Music Academy e.V.) of your decision to cancel the contract by submitting a clear statement sent by email or by post. In order to cancel the contract, it is sufficient that you send your written notification before the cancellation period has ended.

Consequences of the cancellation

If you cancel this contract, we will reimburse you for all payments we have received from you without delay, no later than fourteen days from the day on which we received the notification of your cancellation. For the reimbursement, we will generally use the same means of payment that you used for the original transaction, unless expressly agreed otherwise with you; in no case will you be charged for this reimbursement. If the workshop has already started during the contract cancellation period and you exercise your right to cancel within that period, we will retain the fees for the workshop days that have already elapsed up to the moment of your revocation.

3. Tuition

3.1. Languages of Instruction

The workshops will be taught primarily in English, German and Yiddish, according to each teacher's preference and ability.

3.2. Daily schedule

Please refer to the specific workshop descriptions for the daily schedule. Concerts, jam sessions and other events that supplement the workshops take place in the evenings. You will get more information about how the workshop is organized in advance. Changes to the daily schedule may occur during the workshop itself.

3.3. Workshop levels

Please read the workshop descriptions carefully before deciding whether to register for an introductory, intermediate or advanced workshop. If you find yourself in a workshop that is too advanced for your actual level, the teachers may recommend an alternative workshop in which you would have a better learning experience, if such an alternative is practical.

3.4. Your children in the workshop

Yiddish Summer Weimar workshops are "serious fun" - meaning that they are relaxed and friendly but they also require serious concentration and focus from the participants. Parents and legal guardians are welcome to bring younger children to the workshops to observe, but they may not create distractions. Otherwise, we will ask the adults to move to another space with the child. Thank you for your understanding!

3.5. Infectious diseases

In summer 2023 there will no longer be legal restrictions in Germany on being in public spaces while ill. But the well-being of everyone in our YSW community remains a high priority for us. We therefore respectfully request that anyone who suspects that they may have a contagious illness use common sense and avoid contact with other participants until they feel well again. Thank you for your understanding!

4. Concerts

YSW 2023 concerts in Weimar will take place at different venues. As a workshop participant, you are entitled to one free ticket for a YSW concert in Weimar. You can pick it up at the Infopoint. Please note that the number of tickets is limited so we advise you to get your ticket as soon as you arrive in Weimar. Please also pay attention to the opening hours of the Infopoint. For all other concerts that take place in Weimar during the time of your workshop you may purchase a **discounted** ticket.

5. Accommodations

Each participant is responsible for their own accommodation and meal expenses. For more information, including a list of hotels, hostels and pensions with whom we partner, see the link "Accommodations".

6. Registration Cancellation

Registrations may be canceled only until **June 19, 2023**. In such cases, Other Music Academy e.V. will refund the fee paid minus 150 €. The remaining sum will be transferred to your account within 4 weeks. Cancellations after June 19, 2023 will not receive a refund.

For a workshop to take place, a minimum number of registrations must be received by July 1, 2023. If this number is not reached, Other Music Academy e.V. reserves the right to cancel the workshop. In such a case, the entire registration fee will be refunded.

We recommend that you purchase travel and seminar cancellation insurance to avoid incurring unnecessary costs in the event that your workshop gets canceled.

7. Scholarships for course fee

Other Music Academy e.V. strives to award one or two scholarships for each workshop. These intend to make it possible for people to participate who would otherwise be unable to do so for financial reasons. Scholarships cover parts of the cost of the workshop tuition. Scholarships are given exclusively for the time period of the workshop in which the recipient is registered. Receiving a scholarship for one workshop does not entitle that participant to scholarships for any additional workshops. Anyone is eligible to apply for a scholarship. Since the scholarship is intended for participants with financial need, *Other Music Academy e.V.* requires documentary evidence of the financial situation of the applicant. In addition, please attach a short description of why you wish to attend Yiddish Summer and how a scholarship will help you. A short explanation of why you want a scholarship is also required. Scholarships are awarded according to the budget of *Other Music Academy e.V.*, the financial situation of the applicant, and the order the application is received. The application must be received in the *Other Music Academy e.V.* office no later than **May 31st, 2023**. A submitted scholarship application entails no legal claim to a scholarship award. The board of Other Music Academy e.V. makes all decisions concerning scholarships. Applicants will be notified by **June 8th, 2023**. All questions concerning scholarship awards can be sent to registration@othermusicacademy.eu.

8. Documentation

Multimedia documentation is made of all workshops. With your registration, you grant permission to Other Music Academy e.V. to use such documentation for archival and promotional purposes.

9. Accessibility

Many of our workshops and events take place in buildings that are unfortunately not yet fully accessible for people with special needs. We are working hard to remedy this situation in the future. In the meantime, if accessibility is a concern for you, please call + 49 (0) 3643 85 83 10 or send an email to registration@othermusicacademy.eu so that we can discuss your individual needs and how we may be able to meet them.

10. Privacy statement

Data security is a high priority for us. For This reason, we strictly adhere to the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), which came into force in May 2018. Below, you will find information regarding the type of data you will be asked to provide and the reasons why that data is collected during your participation in Yiddish Summer Weimar and on our websites www.othermusicacademy.eu and www.yiddishsummer.eu

10.1. Registration for Yiddish Summer Weimar

The personal data you provide when registering for Yiddish Summer Weimar 2023 (name, address, email) will be used by Other Music Academy e.V. exclusively for internal purposes, to process your registration and for internal statistical evaluation. The data is collected and processed automatically on Excel spreadsheets and databases on our PCs at the Other Music Academy e.V. office in Weimar. The processing takes place on a local server as well as in a cloud database. You may revoke your authorization to process personal data at any time and with immediate effect provided your data is not necessary to process a transaction linked to your registration by sending an email to management@othermusicacademy.eu. Your data will not be disclosed to third parties unless required by law or necessary to process a transaction linked to your registration. We employ other companies and individuals, explicitly in the domain of contact information processing for our newsletter, data analysis for advertising and marketing purposes, and the processing of payments (donations, membership fees and workshop registration fees) via credit card, direct debit, Paypal, Paydirekt and purchase on account. We will share your personal data with your workshop instructor(s) only with your consent, and only if this information is relevant to the planning and implementation of the workshop(s). While all the above-mentioned service providers, employees and credit institutions have access to necessary personal data, they may not share or use this information for any other purpose and are contractually bound to handle it in accordance with this privacy statement and the GDPR.

10.2. Links to other websites

We cannot guarantee the accuracy and completeness of information found on the websites of third parties we provide links to on our website, nor can we assume liability for the data security of these websites. As we have no influence on third parties' compliance with data protection regulations. We recommend that you check the respective privacy statements of each website separately.

10.3. Newsletter

Should you choose to subscribe to the Other Music Academy e.V. newsletter when registering, we will save and process your name and email address, both on our PCs at the Other Music Academy e.V. office in Weimar and in a cloud database. The newsletter, which we send out intermittently, contains information about the activity of Other Music Academy e.V. and its partner associations. Should you choose to discontinue your subscription by clicking on 'unsubscribe' your personal data will be deleted immediately.

10.4. Storage duration

We will store your personal information until the purpose for which you entrusted it to us is reached and not any longer. In cases in which a retention period is required by commercial and tax law, certain data may be stored for a maximum of 10 years.

10.5. Your rights

Should you choose to revoke your consent to the storage of personal data, or should your data become inaccurate, we will delete, correct or block your data in accordance with the statutory provisions. We will be happy to answer any questions you may have regarding the collection, processing or use of your personal data, as well as its correction, blocking or deletion. Please contact us at: Other Music Academy e.V., Ernst-Kohl-Str. 23, 99423 Weimar; Tel.: +49 (0)3643-858310, Email: management@othermusicacademy.eu

11. Liability

Other Music Academy e.V. assumes no liability for damage to property or personal injury.

11.1. Workshop participation by under-18s

For participants under the age of 18, the guidelines concerning workshop level (please see 3.3 above) apply in the same way as for all other participants. Furthermore, they can participate if they are able to work independently in the workshop and their parents or legal guardians provide a written release from liability.

12. Place of jurisdiction

The place of jurisdiction is Weimar.

13. Severability clause

Should one or more regulations in the conditions of participation become ineffective, all other regulations remain unaffected.

II. Yiddish Summer Weimar 2023 Anti-Discrimination Policy

Welcome to Yiddish Summer Weimar 2023!

Thank you for joining us this year! We are an international and intercultural learning community that welcomes and respects the differences among its participants: diversity is our strength! Learning means trying new things and taking new risks, and that depends on feeling safe. In all of our workshops and structured activities, we strive for a safe and respectful environment for learning.

In addition, some of the most important experiences that people have during YSW are social encounters. Because of our diversity, we can't assume that all of us share the same understanding of social encounters, especially when it comes to respecting personal boundaries. For that reason, we ask you to read and commit to some basic principles:

The most fundamental principle is consent. Each of us has the right to consent to a social encounter, or to refuse consent. This includes informal music jamming, sharing meals, dancing, physical intimacy and every other social activity. We commit to respecting each other's decision without challenge. Because of our diversity, we have to be clear when we refuse consent. We also have to learn to listen well, to recognize and respect the many different ways that people give and refuse consent. Finally, however it is expressed: no means no.

Acts of discrimination, harassment or violence against participants, artists or staff on the basis of real or perceived ethnic background, gender, sexual identity or orientation, religion or world view, disabilities, age or status have no place in YSW. In particular, sexual discrimination, harassment or violence will not be tolerated.

If you have experienced such an incident during YSW, please bring it to the attention of one of these four people on the YSW team: Katrin Füllsack, Jordan White, Anna Grochocka, Antonia Ramljak or Andreas Schmitges. Or if you prefer, you can speak with any other member of the YSW team. An Other Music Academy e.V. committee will then look into the incident, which may include speaking with all relevant persons involved, and react as quickly as possible.

Depending on its severity, consequences for persons who commit such acts may include:

- a written warning
- prohibition of contact with the person who has been harmed or with others
- exclusion from specific workshops, events or physical spaces in YSW
- exclusion from all YSW workshops, events and physical spaces
- the option to report the case to the police, if the act appears to have violated German Law

PLEASE NOTE:

If an incident has been reported to the police, the case is subject to local jurisdiction, over which YSW has no influence.

The abuse of legal or illegal substances including alcohol and drugs is not permitted. YSW does not tolerate behavior influenced by alcohol or drugs that result in harm to the consumer or to others.

The German legal code applies to legal uses of alcohol, drugs and other controlled substances.

Thank you very much for helping us make YSW a safe and trustworthy community for people from all backgrounds to expand the horizons of their knowledge and life experiences!