Dear Madam, dear Sir,

Pörtschach, situated on a lovely lake in the Austrian province of Carinthia, is the seat of the Johannes Brahms Society. It is here that Johannes Brahms – inspired by “the garden of paradise”, as he called it – composed some of his finest music: the 2nd Symphony (“The Pörtschacher”), the Violin Concerto, chamber music, etc.

We have been organizing the

INTERNATIONAL JOHANNES BRAHMS COMPETITION

in the categories piano, violin, viola, cello and chamber music with piano for 22 years now and would be grateful if you could make this known to your students and other professors in your institution as well. You might like to display the included poster advertising our competition.

This year’s competition will take place from September 5 until September 13, 2015. More information about the competition is available online at

http://www.brahmscompetition.org/

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us via email or telephone.

We would like to point out that we do not have a voice competition in 2015. Voice will be back in 2016 with a new programme.

Thanking you in advance for your kind help, we remain,

yours faithfully

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