

International Scientific and Practical Conference "Music Education in Historical Perspective: Constants and Metamorphoses"

MINISTRY OF CULTURE OF THE REPUBLIC OF BELARUS EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENT "BELARUSIAN STATE ACADEMY OF MUSIC"

INFORMATION LETTER

From **November 24 to 27, 2026**, Belarusian State Academy of Music will host the International Scientific and Practical Conference "Music Education in Historical Perspective: Constants and Metamorphoses".

The conference program will feature sectional sessions, round tables, lectures, presentations of new publications, masterclasses, concerts, and exhibitions.

Conference Topics & Scope:

- **Music education in historical perspective:** origins, stages of development, traditions, national and regional educational systems, concepts, and innovations.
- **Music pedagogy schools:** genesis, key personalities, and experience.
- **Contemporary challenges** in music performance and pedagogy.
- **Modern perspectives** in music-historical and music-theoretical research.
- **Contribution of Belarusian women** to the development of music education (dedicated to the Year of the Belarusian Woman).
- **Outstanding figures** in music pedagogy celebrating anniversaries in 2026.

Participants:

Researchers, professors, and specialists from higher and secondary music education institutions, as well as doctoral and postgraduate students, are invited to participate.

Languages: Russian, Belarusian, English.

Format & Participation:

The conference will be held in a hybrid format. The available options for participation include:

- In-person (on-site)

- Remote / Online (video recording of the presentation with an option for online Q&A, or a poster presentation)

Time Limits / Regulations:

- Plenary presentation: 20 minutes
- Sectional presentation, round table talk, or book presentation: 15 minutes
- Q&A and discussion: 5 minutes

IMPORTANT DATES & DEADLINES:

Date	Event / Deadline
November 9, 2026	Application deadline
November 18, 2026	Deadline for video presentations and poster submission
November 24–27, 2026	Conference dates
January 22, 2027	Deadline for academic article submission (along with all required digital documentation)