

2015 ISB CONVENTION YOUNG BASSISTS' SURVEY

(High School/Age 18 and Under)



Please complete this survey and return with your convention registration to
International Society of Bassists 2015 Convention,
14070 Proton Rd., Suite 100, LB 9, Dallas, TX 75244 USA,
Fax 972/490-4219, info@ISBworldoffice.com

The ISB's Young Bassists Program is a special opportunity to work with some of the world's leading performers and teachers. There will be lectures, masterclasses, and small and large ensembles. New works are written especially for the program. Participants will perform in the Young Bassists Concert, always a highlight of the convention week, on Saturday, June 6th. Young bassists will also have time to attend regular sessions, concerts and recreational activities.

1. Your name _____ How old will you be? _____
2. T-shirt size (adult unisex) Small Medium Large XLarge XXL
3. Will you be accompanied by a parent or guardian? Yes No
Parent/guardian cell phone _____
Parent/guardian email address _____
4. Days I will be attending the convention:
 Tuesday
 Wednesday
 Thursday
 Friday
 Saturday

Please indicate as accurately as possible your level of playing (check one in each category, estimating conservatively.) You will be grouped in classes with bassists of similar skill.

5. Classical experience:
 You're playing concertos, and have fluency over the entire fingerboard.
 You're playing Baroque sonatas, with a basic knowledge of thumb position.
 You're playing to Simandl 6th position, up to the g harmonic.
 Reading beginner.
 I can read treble clef
 Non-reading or younger (age 10 and under) beginner.
6. Jazz and improvisation experience:
 I'm burnin'!
 I'm happenin'!
 It's cool, I'll give it a try.
 I'm nervous! (*Don't be, you'll have fun!*)
7. Can you read treble clef? Yes No
8. Would you prefer to play in a: small classical ensemble or small jazz ensemble, or no preference.
9. Where have you learned to play the bass? (complete all that apply):

- Public school? Name of your school _____
- Private lessons? Name of your teacher _____
- Youth orchestra? Name of the orchestra _____

Our grateful thanks to Colorado State University for hosting the 2015 ISB Convention!

NOTICE: This convention registration is entered into by the attendee in consideration of the use of the facilities of Colorado State University during the 2015 ISB convention. It is understood and agreed that all facilities of Colorado State University will be used by attendees at their sole risk, and that attendees shall hold Colorado State University and the International Society of Bassists harmless for personal injury or property damage resulting from participation in the 2015 ISB convention, either on and off the premises of the University. By registering for this convention, the attendee agrees to abide by the rules of the University and the ISB, and agrees to use of his or her image and audio clips (no complete performances) in the ISB's publication, on its website and in its communications. The University and the ISB reserve the right to eject any disruptive person(s) from the campus and the University and the ISB will not be liable for any refunds or damages that might be sustained through the exercise of this right.