European 2017 Semi Finals, Hermitage Theater, Saint Petersburg, Russia, March 2 - 4

AWARDS

GRAND PRIX

Female: Nikita BORIS, USA

Male: Eunsoo LEE, SOUTH KOREA

CLASSICAL COMPETITION MEDAL WINNERS

Senior Division (Ages 18 - 26)

Female

Gold Medal: ShinYoung HAN, South Korea

Silver Medal: **Alice LUNEDEI**, Italy

Silver Medal: Alisa SODALEVA, Russia

Bronze Medal: **Margaux HANNECART**, Belgium Bronze Medal: **Ana Cristina ROCHA**, Panama

Senior Division (Ages 18 - 26)

Male

Gold Medal: **Andrey LAGUNENKO**, Russia Gold Medal: **Justin VALENTINE**, USA

Silver Medal: **Tomohiro TAKENAKA**, Japan

Silver Medal: Yuki YAMADA, Japan

Bronze Medal: Nikolaos GKENTSEF, Russia

Bronze Medal: **Kento IKEDA**, Japan

Junior Division (Ages 15 - 17)

Female

Gold Medal: Mari BELL, Canada

Gold Medal: **Karina DRYGINA**, Russia Silver Medal: **Pauline GIERLING**, Belgium Silver Medal: **Madison HOLDSWORTH**, USA Silver Medal: **Ekaterina YUHINA**, Latvia Bronze Medal: **Maria AVRANTINI**, Greece Bronze Medal: **Bianca STELLA**, Argentina

Junior Division (Ages 15 - 17)

Male

Gold Medal: **ShinJean KIM**, South Korea Silver Medal: **Rasmus AHLGREN**, Finland Bronze Medal: **Marco MARONGIU**, Italy Bronze Medal: **Isaiah MANESS**, USA

Student Division (Ages 13 - 14)

Female

Gold Medal: Seyeon MIN, South Korea

Silver Medal: **Catherine PARKER**, Switzerland Silver Medal: **Polina MAROZOVA**, Russia

Silver Medal: **Anastasia KORABOV-BOTALLA**, Switzerland Bronze Medal: **Diana Alexandra NITU NICULAE**, Romania

Youth Division (Ages 11 - 12)

Female

Gold Medal: **Yeeun LEE**, South Korea Gold Medal: **Seehyun KIM**, South Korea

Gold Medal: Jamie Jaeyoung PAE, South Korea

Silver Medal: **Katya SABUROVA**, USA Silver Medal: **Sungmin KIM**, South Korea Bronze Medal: **Seohyun KIM**, South Korea Bronze Medal: **Elodie LEFEBVRE**, Belgium

CONTEMPORARY COMPETITION MEDAL WINNERS

Senior (Ages 18 and Up)

Female

Gold Medal: Anna GUERRERO, The Philippines

Gold Medal: Evgenia SHTANEVA, Russia

Silver Medal: Alice LUNEDEI, Italy

Bronze Medal: **Alicia MESSINA**, Belgium Bronze Medal: **Ana Cristina ROCHA**, Panama

Senior (Ages 18 and Up)

Male

Gold Medal: **Justin VALENTINE**, USA Silver Medal: **Yuri GUDUSHAURI**, Georgia

Junior (Ages 15 - 17)

Female

Gold Medal: Marija BURCEVA, Latvia

Gold Medal: **Angelina GORGAEVA**, Russia Silver Medal: **Maria AVRANTINI**, Greece

Bronze Medal: Mari BELL, Canada

Bronze Medal: Elena OSAIN, Romania

Junior (Ages 15 - 17)

Male

Gold Medal: Marco MARONGIU, Italy

Student (Ages 13 - 14)

Female

Gold Medal: **Polina MOROZOVA**, Russia Silver Medal: **Amalia MARKAKI**, Greece

Silver Medal: Diana Alexandra NITU NICULAE, Romania

Youth (Ages 11 - 12)

Female

Gold Medal: **Sadie WEINTRAUB**, USA Silver Medal: **Elodie LEFEBVRE**, Belgium Bronze Medal: **Katya SABUROVA**, USA

CHOREOGRAPHY COMPETITION MEDAL WINNERS

Best Choreography Konstantin KEYKHEL

SPECIAL PRIZES:

Encouragement Award: Sadie WEINTRAUB, USA Elena COLLIN, Belgium Julian WATSON, USA

VKDCNY Summer Intensive, July 2017, New York City, USA Tuition waived
Bianca STELLA, Argentina

VKDCNY Summer Intensive, August 2017, Sotogrande, Spain Tuition waived

Marco MARONGIU, Italy Nikolaos GKENTSEF, Russia

Scholarships to Accademia Internazionale Coreutica, Florence, Italy: Summer Program 2017:
Anastasia KORABOV-BOTALLA, Switzerland, one week tuition waived Catherine PARKER, Switzerland, two weeks tuition waived Nikita BORIS, USA, one month tuition waived Justin VALENTINE, USA, one month tuition waived

Scholarships to Brussels International Ballet School, Brussels, Belgium Summer Program 2017:

Rasmus AHLGREN, Finland, All inclusive scholarship: classes, food and boarding Polina MOROZOVA, Russia, Full classes fee Marco MARONGIU, Italy, Half Classes fee Catherine PARKER, Switzerland, Half classes fee Madison HOLDSWORTH, USA, Half classes fee,

Invitation to participate in Young Stars Ballet Competition, Sibiu, Romania (Date to be announced)
Entry fee waived:
Marco MARONGIU, Italy

VKIBC participants joining Vaganova School, Saint Petersburg, Russia Pauline GIERLING, Belgium Karina DRYGINA, Russia