

GENERAL COMPETITION RULES FOR LADIES AND GENTS CATEGORIES

No competitor age indication - all ages accepted.

COMPETITORS REGISTRATION FILES:

The registration files must include the names, personal and salon addresses and emails of all competitors registered.

At registration on site, passports or legal ID proof of all competitors must be brought and will be checked.

TIME-SCHEDULE:

All participants will receive a time-schedule. They must be present one hour before the competition starts. Competitors who start their competition work too late are given no extra time.

CANCELING OR RESCHEDULING OF COMPETITIONS:

The Main Organizer of this Competition reserves the right to cancel or reschedule any competition deemed necessary in its sole and exclusive discretion.

CANCELTION FEE POLICY:

Registration fees will not be reimbursed to competitors who cancel their participation.

Registration is open to the individual competitors on first come first served basis.

COMPETITION CATEGORIES: Ladies hairstyles Gents hairstyles

(LM = live model, MH = mannequin head)

There are no combination tests in this competition. All tests are individual tests.

LADIES HAIRSTYLES:

- Test 1/. Salon Cut - MH or LM
- Test 2/. Bridal Hairstyle - LM

GENTS HAIRSTYLES:

- Test 1/. Salon Cut - MH or LM
- Test 2/. Barber's Battle - LM

MANNEQUIN HEAD PRESENTATION:

During justification, the mannequin heads can be placed on their supports fixed on the dressing tables or can be left on the tripods (at the competitor's choice). It is not allowed to leave tools or other objects on the dressing tables.

LIVE MODELS PRESENTATION:

During justification, models can be placed next to the mirrors. It is not allowed to leave tools or other objects on the working tables.

PENALTY POINTS – LADIES, GENTS:

Make-up: Any inappropriate make-up in the Gents Section may be interpreted as a recognition sign to jurors and will be penalized.

Clothing: Models' / mannequin heads' clothing must be neutral and show no signs of any kind (logos, designer names, etc).

During the competition it is not allowed for the models to help the competitors!

The minimum base is 3 penalty points per infraction, 3 penalty points for not observing the stop instruction! - Every time the Wise Men notice an infraction, subject or not to penalization, they must inform the General Commissioner, who will take a photo of the infraction, which may serve as a proof later on that the penalization was justified

GENTS

1. Test

Salon Cut (commercial)

Live model or mannequin head

The competitors proceed to the assigned working stations with their mannequin heads/ model's hair wet. The use of products before the haircut are forbidden. The competitors will be asked to move away from their mannequin heads/models and wait on the side of the competition floor. The Wise Men will check if the mannequin heads are wet. Mannequin heads that are not wet will be wet by the Wise Men. The General Commissioner will call the competitors back to their mirrors and start the competition.

The styling portion must be done only by hand, no other tools are allowed in that period. The finished style must be masculine and commercial. Hair colors must be harmoniously integrated.

- 1. Length:** The hair length from the occipital area the must be 4 cm or longer. The top must be a minimum of 6 cm. The hair length from the perimeter sides and back below the occipital area down to the nape must be a minimum of 4 cm, except the side-burns (before the competition starts).
- 2. Cutting tools:** All cutting tools are allowed within the 13 minutes.
- 3. Styling:** The styling portion must be done only by hand within the 7 minutes. Blow-dryers, brushes, combs and all other tools are forbidden in that period.
- 4. Extensions:** Hair extensions are forbidden.
- 5. Products:** Fixing products can be used only at the finish of the style (wax, gel, sprays). Use before the start of the test is forbidden.
- 6. Color:** A maximum of 3 harmonious transition of color shades can be used. Allowed colors: white, black, brown, red, blond and silver. All other colors are forbidden.
- 7. Make-up:** Any make-up that is not considered normal by the Wise Men will be penalized.
- 8. Clothes:** Off subject clothes will be penalized.

9. **Jury:** The Jury will judge the general impression of the cut, style and color. When judging, the judges must be able to see the complete hairstyle, including the top. If this is not the case, the stewards will put the mannequin holders lower.
10. **Time:** Total 20 minutes = 13 minutes for the cut, (stop) continue with additional 7 minutes for styling by hand. All tools are forbidden. (3 additional minutes will be granted for dressing the mannequin head after the announcement by the General Commissioner. No additional time will be given. Competitors who do not respect this rule will be penalized by 5 points).
11. **Scores:** Maximum: 30 points
Minimum: 25 points

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2. Test

Barber's battle

Live model

Expectation in this category: the competitor has to perform a really manfully designed barber commercial style in which he/she will show his/her perfect professional barber skills and knowledges. The competitor must also present a good knowledge of using the barber tools and perform the transition between shapes and forms.

Design and styling of the beard is compulsory!

The models proceed to the competition floor with their hair **wet or dry**.

Style preparation in advance is FORBIDDEN!

1. Length: 5 cm on top,

The hair length from the perimeter sides and to the back down area must be 1 cm. The execution of point zero is obligatory around the scruff and ears (except for the ringlet), which has to be prepared with transition.

Performing point zero with razor obligatory.

Outlying the contour line only one arch/line (e.g. parting) can be prepared on the hairstyle.

2. Hair tattoo: Forbidden!

3. Beard: Can be pre-done and colored.

4. Color: Only one base color is allowed, in addition a different color can be used but in maximum 10% of the head. Spray colors are forbidden!

5. Tools: All tools are allowed.

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6. Products: All products – finish products – are allowed.

7. Make-up: only masculine, business looking make-up, no motifs on the face!

8. Judging criteria:

- precise execution of the transitions,
- manful, masculine total look,
- a shape that suits the model's face,
- proof of professional skills.

Competitors who do not respect the above rules will be penalized.

9. Time: 40 minutes

10. Scores: Maximum: 30 points
Minimum: 25 points