

AUDITION FOR THE HUNGARIAN NATIONAL BALLET

The Hungarian National Ballet, the 141-year-old official ballet company of the Hungarian State Opera, announces an audition upon invitation to be held

FROM 10 A.M. ON 1 FEBRUARY 2026
AT THE OPERA HOUSE

FOR IMMEDIATE OPENINGS
AND CONTRACTS STARTING 15 JULY 2026
(depending on the applicants' work visa requirements)

We offer:

- season contracts until 14 July 2027 or 2028 depending on the starting date (with a maximum 3-month probation; yearly prolongation possibility; Hungarian immigration regulations apply)
- monthly salary in accordance with the achieved qualification level within the existing system
- a wide, world class, continuously growing repertoire

Requirements:

- applications by classically trained professional male and female ballet dancers
- outstanding technique and qualities are a must

How to apply:

- **please send your application material as described below to audition@opera.hu**
- application deadline: **18 January 2026 (Sunday)**
- following evaluation, those invited will be notified via email

Application material:

- **detailed professional CV (with portrait, in English, in doc(x) or pdf format)** including date of birth, citizenship(s), e-mail address, mobile phone number, height in cm, weight in kg, education, competitions, awards, main roles, work experience etc.
- **colour headshot** in a separate attachment for identification purposes
- **2-3 dance photos in classical poses** attached as separate files
- **link of 1 recent video recording of classwork (no older than 6 months; ladies in pointe shoes, please)** uploaded to the internet without password protection
- **link of 1 recent video recording of a classical variation (no older than 6 months; ladies in pointe shoes, please)** enabling the full evaluation of your classical technique and artistic level, uploaded to the internet without password protection

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MAGYAR NEMZETI BALETT

As the number of participants finalises, all auditionees will be notified about the audition's exact schedule approximately two weeks in advance.

PLEASE NOTE

- no application fees apply
- incomplete applications will not be processed
- the photo and the video material should be a current representation within 6 months' time.
- the applicant must be easily identifiable in the videos
- please avoid sending downloadable video files or zip files, we accept video links only
- by submitting your application you acknowledge that you have read and agree to the Hungarian State Opera's [data handling policy](#)

Please be reminded that it is not the content alone but also the form that will make a first impression about you. Precision is requested and highly appreciated, both on and off the stage.

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