

List of winners of El Primer Palau

2023

El Primer Palau Award, Catalunya Música Prize: Claudia Aliaj, clarinet

Joint second prize: Jakob Peäske, bassoon

Joint second prize: Pablo Alcántara Martínez, flute

Catalan Young Musical Talent Award and Critics' Choice Award: Mercè Bruguera, mezzo

Spanish Young Musical Talent Award: Luis González Garrido, saxophone

2022

El Primer Palau Award, Catalunya Música Prize, Critics' Choice Award, Spanish Young Musical Talent Award and the Audience Choice Award: Atenea Quartet (Gil Sisquella and Jaume Angelés, violinists; Bernat Santacana, viola, and Iago Domínguez, cello)

Joint second prize: Ariadna Chmelik, cello

Joint second prize and Catalan Young Musical Talent Award: Aida Gimeno, soprano

2021

El Primer Palau Award: Eudald Buch, piano

Joint second prize, Catalunya Música Prize and Critics' Choice Award: Miguel Bonal, viola da gamba

Joint second prize: Sergio Pires, clarinet

Spanish Young Musical Talent Award: Anton & Maite (piano duo: Anton Dolgov and Maite León)

Catalan Young Musical Talent Award: Laure Cholé, piano

2020

El Primer Palau Award and the Spanish Young Musical Talent Award: Cristina Cordero, viola

Second prize: Miquel Muñiz, violin

Critics' Choice Award: Mariona Camats, cello

Catalunya Música Prize: Mireia Tarragó, soprano

Catalan Young Musical Talent Award: Gala Kossakowski, flute

2019

El Primer Palau Award and the Catalunya Música Prize: Alejandro García Pérez, guitar

Joint second prize and Spanish Young Musical Talent Award: Irene Mas, soprano

Joint second prize: Víctor Braojos, piano

Catalan Young Musical Talent Award: Duo Piccotti-Puig (Federico Piccotti, violin, and Marta Puig, piano)

Critics' Choice Award: Itxaso Sainz de la Maza, piano

2018

El Primer Palau Award and the Catalunya Música Prize: Joan Seguí, organ
Joint second prize and Critics' Choice Award: Trio Ramales (Pablo Díaz, violin;
Gonçalo Lelis, cello, and Andrés Navarro, piano)
Joint second prize: Bernat Prat, violin
Catalan Young Musical Talent Award: Duo Vallés Vera (Miguel Vallés, alto
saxophone, and Elisabeth Vera, piano)

2017

El Primer Palau Award and the Catalunya Música Prize: Mercedes Gancedo,
soprano
Joint second prize and Catalan Young Musical Talent Award: Nikola
Tanaskovic, accordion
Joint second prize and Critics' Choice Award: IndiVIdUAL (piano duo: Pierre
Delignies and Alice Burla)

2016

El Primer Palau Award, the Catalunya Música Prize and the Catalan Young
Musical Talent Award: Kebyart Ensemble (saxophone quartet: Pere Méndez,
Víctor Serra, Robert Seara and Daniel Miguel)
Joint second prize: Joaquín Arrabal, double bass
Joint second prize: Daahoud Salim, piano
Critics' Choice Award: Esther Piñol, harp

2015

El Primer Palau Award and the Critics' Choice Award: Trio Vasnier (Pedro
López, flute; Carmen Alcántara, harp; Samuel Espinosa, viola)
Joint second prize: Marion Platero, cello
Joint second prize: Agnès Mauri, viola
Catalunya Música Prize: Mabel Millán, guitar
Catalan Young Musical Talent Award: Ander Tellería, accordion

2014

El Primer Palau Award, Critics' Choice Award and the Catalunya Música Prize:
Aëris Trio (Juan Carlos Rivas Perretta, oboe; Yolanda Fernández Anguita,
clarinet, and Carlos Tarancón Mateo, bassoon)
Joint second prize: Xabier de Felipe, violin
Joint second prize: José María Villegas, piano

2013

El Primer Palau Award and the Catalunya Música Prize: Sara Cubarsi, violin
Second prize: Oscar Alabau, cello

Joint second prize: Roberto Maqueda, percussion
Joint second prize: Quintet DaCap (Alejandro Ortuño, Pau Roca, Carlos Gay, Anna Ferriol and Daniel Ortuño)
Critics' Choice Award: Samuel Diz, guitar

2012

El Primer Palau Prize and 25 Years of Catalunya Música Prize: Quartet Gerhard
Second prize: Azahar Ensemble
Joint second prize: Neus Estarellas, piano
Joint second prize: Josep-Ramon Olivé, baritone
Critics' Choice Award: Felix Ardanaz, piano

2011

El Primer Palau Award: Guillermo Sanchís, oboe
Second prize: Duo Jeux d'Anches (Marco Sevarlic and Nicola Kerkez, accordions)
Joint second prize: Velasco Sánchez, piano
Joint second prize: Luis Esnaola, violin
Critics' Choice Award: Ricard Rovirosa, piano

2010

El Primer Palau Award: Beatriz Blanco, cello
Second prize: Roberto González-Monjas, violin
Second prize and Critics' Choice Award: Xavier Larsson, saxophone

2009

El Primer Palau Award: Alí Jorge Arango, guitar
Second prize: Arantxa Aguirre and Anna Garcia León (accordion and clarinet duo)
Joint third prize and Critics' Choice Award: Teresa Valente, cello
Joint third prize: Laia Bobi, flute

2008

El Primer Palau Award: Dario Mariño, clarinet
Second prize: Anna Maria Valderrama, violin
Joint third prize: Cheng-I Chen Liu, clave
Joint third prize: Guillermo Pastrana, violin
Critics' Choice Award: Gustavo Villegas, flute

2007

El Primer Palau Award: Fernando Arias, cello
Second prize: Antonio Ortiz, piano
Joint third prize: Carlota Amargós, violin
Joint third prize and Critics' Choice Award: Carme Garrigó, percussion

2006

El Primer Palau Award: Francesco Tristano Schlimé, piano

Joint second prize: David Kadouch, piano

Joint second prize: José Manuel Álvarez Losada, violin

Joint second prize: Eun-Sun Hong, cello

Joint second prize and Critics' Choice Award: Ona Cardona, clarinet

2005

El Primer Palau Award: Quiroga Quartet

Joint second prize: Víctor del Valle and Luis del Valle (piano duo)

Joint second prize and Critics' Choice Award: Pau Codina Cello

Joint second prize: Marta Infante, mezzo-soprano

2004

El Primer Palau Award: Juan de la Rubia, organ

Joint second prize: Arcus Quartet

Joint second prize: Horacio Lavandera, piano

Joint second prize: Gerardo Ubaghs, violin

2003

El Primer Palau Award: Laura Ruiz, clarinet

Joint second prize: Jordan Weaver, violin

Joint second prize: María Jesús Ávila, harp

Joint second prize: Laia Puig, violin

2002

El Primer Palau Award: Elena Mikhailova, violin

Joint second prize: Javier Arocena, accordion

Joint second prize: Joan Marc Pino, percussion

Joint second prize: Juan Carlos Rodríguez, piano

Honourable mention: Àlex Vicens, tenor

Honourable mention: Pavel Gomziakov and Plamera Mangova (cello and piano duo)

2001

El Primer Palau Award: Cristo Barrios, clarinet

Joint second prize: Karina Azizova, piano

Joint second prize: Roberto Casado, flute

Joint second prize: Moisès Fernández Via, piano

Joint second prize: Marc Oliu, violin

2000

El Primer Palau Award, joint first prize: Lluís Rodríguez Salvà, piano

El Primer Palau Award, joint first prize: Felipe Rodríguez, violin
Joint second prize: Svetlana Tovstukha, cello
Honourable mention: Emilio González Sanz, piano
Honourable mention: Enric Martínez-Castignani, baritone

1999

El Primer Palau Award: Benjamin Scherer, violin
Joint second prize: Antoni Adsuara, clarinet
Joint second prize: Daniel Blanch, piano
Honourable mention: Katia Michel, piano

1998

El Primer Palau Award, joint first prize: José Enrique Bagaría, piano
El Primer Palau Award, joint first prize: José María Fernández, violin
Honourable mention: Isaac Rodríguez and Mireia Fornells (clarinet and piano duo)
Honourable mention: Javier Perianes, piano
Honourable mention: Manuel Porta, violin

1997

El Primer Palau Award, joint first prize: Josep Sancho, clarinet
El Primer Palau Award, joint first prize: Mariona Vicens, piano
Honourable mention: Anna Colàs, cello
Honourable mention: Trio Kronos (Carles Pertegaz, José Mor and Jordi Torrent)

1996

El Primer Palau Award, joint first prize: Daniel Ligorio, piano
El Primer Palau Award, joint first prize: José Menor, piano
Joint second prize: Arnau Tomàs, cello