

American Council for Polish Culture



ACPC Marcella Kochańska Sembrich Vocal Competition 2025 Information

First Place Winner:	\$3,500
Second Place Winner:	\$1,000
Third Place Winner:	\$ 500

Application deadline: May 15, 2025

Application fee: None

Eligibility:

1. Participant must be of Polish descent, a United States citizen or a permanent resident.
2. The competition is open to singers up to the age of 35 who are not under professional management.

Requirements:

1. Each participant must submit the following:
 - A completed application form with required enclosures.
 - A web link to a VIDEO recording of a performance approximately 15-20 minutes long, consisting of arias and art songs, including selections in English and other languages, with at least two selections in Polish, one of which has to be *Kolysanka gniadego konia* by Karol Szymanowski <https://polishcultureacpc.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/Kolysanka-gniadego-konia-by-Karol-Szymanowski.pdf>.
 - Sketch of family tree demonstrating Polish heritage.

2. The winner must be available to perform a recital at the ACPC Convention in Buffalo, New York on August 2, 2025.
3. Applications with enclosures must be received by May 15, 2025.

Application Form:

Send application and enclosures to: acpcsembrich@gmail.com

Questions can be sent to the above email address.