

SPECIFICATIONS

Call for entries - Photographers for the Various Voices 2026 festival

1. Festival presentation

The European LGBTQI+ choir festival **Various Voices** will be held in Brussels from **June 24 to 28, 2026**. 120 choirs and 4000 singers will take part. This international event celebrates diversity and inclusion through choral singing. It will bring together thousands of choir members and spectators in several emblematic venues in the Belgian capital, with indoor concerts, open-air shows and performances in public spaces.

Further information: www.various-voices.be

2. Mission objective

We are looking for several **professional photographers** capable of :

- Cover the festival's indoor and outdoor concerts and events.
- Capture the festival's festive and inclusive atmosphere.
- Ensure effective visual communication on social networks by delivering a daily selection of **high-quality photos** to the festival's communications team.

Photos will be supplied without logo and will be free of rights. Each photographer will be credited when the photos are published.

3. Mission location and times

The festival takes place at several locations in Brussels:

- **Concert halls :**
 - **Bozar**
 - **Cirque Royal**
 - **La Madeleine**
 - **Auditorium 490 of the Royal Museums of Fine Arts**
- **Open-air stage:** Mont des Arts
- **Street concerts:** Various venues in downtown Brussels
- **Festival village:** Place du Musée

The performance schedules are as follows:

- **Afternoon (1pm - 7pm):** Each choir performs a **30-minute** concert in one of the festival halls.
- **Evening (7pm - 11pm):** Major shows and concerts in major venues.
- **Daytime:** Entertainment and open-air concerts in the Festival Village and other venues around Brussels.

Other events have yet to be confirmed and will be added to the program.

4. Expected services

Given the size of the festival, the work will be divided between different photographers. Photographers must :

- Be on hand to photograph **concerts, backstage and the general atmosphere of the festival.**
- **Daily** delivery of a selection of high-resolution photos for rapid distribution on social networks and the festival website.
- To provide, at the end of the mission, a **complete report** covering the highlights of the festival.
- Highlight the diversity of the participants and respect the image of the choristers and the audience in the shots and selection of photos.

5. Profile required

We are looking for photographers with :

- Proven experience in **event, live performance and/or festival photography.**
- Excellent ability to capture **the emotion and energy** of performances.
- **Reactivity** and ability to deliver images on **a daily basis.**
- A sensitivity to the values of inclusion and diversity.
- Their own professional photographic equipment.

6. Application and remuneration procedures

Interested candidates must send a file including :

- **A portfolio** (examples of photos of shows, concerts, festivals).
- **A brief presentation of** their background and experience.
- **A financial proposal** detailing the desired remuneration based on [this Excel template to be downloaded](#). Please specify any time constraints or specific requests in terms of working conditions.

Payment for services will be based on invoices.

Catering is provided by the festival during performances.

The festival will provide you with a workspace and an Internet connection.

7. Deadline and contact

Applications must be sent before **30/08/2025** to the following address:info@various-voices.be . If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to discovering your talents and working together to make **Various Voices Brussels 2026** shine through your images!