

DC Blues Society Entry Form for 2023 Battle of the Bands & Solo/Duo Competition

This form should be completed and submitted via email to battle@dcblues.org

Entry deadline: September 9, 2023

DCBS Battle of the Bands and Solo/Duo Competition – Sunday, October 15, 2023

International Blues Challenge, Memphis, TN – January 16-20, 2024

NOTE: DCBS is also accepting entries for the Youth Category and Best Self-Produced CD Category (also due September 9, 2023). Contact battle@dcblues.org for info on how to apply for those categories.

DATE SUBMITTED: _____

BAND/SOLO-DUO NAME: _____

NAME(S) OF MEMBER/ARTIST WHO IS A DCBS MEMBER* _____

CONTACT NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

Band/Solo-Duo Promotional Information:

WEBSITE ADDRESS: _____

SOCIAL MEDIA (Facebook etc.) ADDRESS: _____

PHOTO/VIDEO PRESS KIT LINK (optional): _____

BAND/SOLO-DUO TAGLINE (Brief (1-LINE) promotional statement about the band):

BAND/SOLO-DUO BIO (100 words or less, provide below or as an attachment. Also include the band members and their instruments (e.g., name-instrument)):

On behalf of the above named band/artists and in consideration for representing DCBS at the 2024 IBC, I, _____, agree: (check all)

I am submitting a complete application, including:

digital copy or link to 3 sample tunes of my band/solo-duo act,

digital copy of a high quality color (preferred) or B & W photo with at least 300 dpi resolution and the photo credit cited, if available.

I have read the eligibility criteria, scoring criteria, and penalty information for the IBC.

If my band/solo-duo act should win the DCBS competition, we will be available to perform at the 2024 IBC in Memphis, TN; and the 2024 Annual DC Blues Festival, which typically occurs in October (subject to change)

My band/solo-duo act will promote our participation in all DCBS events, including the Battle/Solo-Duo Competition, and will acknowledge the DC Blues Society as our IBC Blues Foundation Affiliate Sponsor during events and in online and print promotions.**

Signature

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Questions? Send email to battle@dcblues.org.

* At least one band/solo-duo member must be a current DCBS member. If no one is a DCBS member, please visit www.dcblues.org to join.

**The DC Blues Society is a Blues Foundation affiliate. The International Blues Challenge (IBC) is restricted to acts sponsored by a Blues Foundation affiliate.