



Principal Bass

Audition Information

Screening Recording Deadline: Monday, December 18th, 2023

Live Audition Invitation: Tuesday, January 23rd, 2024

Live Audition Date: Saturday, February 17th, 2024

To apply for this position, please prepare an audio (.mp3 or .wav) recording in one continuous take of the screening round repertoire in the order listed below and e-mail it to the Wisconsin Chamber Orchestra at auditions@wcoconcerts.org.

NOTE: The recording should be uploaded as an anonymous single-take audio file and should not be edited other than to remove extended pauses at the beginning or end of the recording. It is in your best interest to make the recording in a suitably quiet acoustical environment. It is to your advantage to have this recording be an accurate representation of your playing abilities. We strongly recommend having an associate listen to your completed audition on a device other than that which your audition was recorded all of the way through prior to submission.

The subject of the email should be titled 'Section Bass Screening'. Live audition invitations will be sent on Tuesday, January 23rd, 2024

All candidates will remain anonymous through the screening round process.

Screening Round Repertoire

ORCHESTRAL SOLOS:

STRAVINSKY*

Pulcinella Suite

VII. Vivo – figure 85 to 6 measures after 93 without repeat

ORCHESTRAL EXCERPTS:

BACH

Violin Concerto in E major, BWV 1042

Adagio – ms. 1–15

BEETHOVEN

Symphony No. 5

3rd Mvt. – ms. 52–100

BRAHMS

Symphony No. 2

4th Mvt. – 8 measures before letter L to letter M

MOZART

Symphony No. 40

1st Mvt. – ms. 114–138