Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa

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Position

Horn (Mainly 2nd) one position

Eligibility

OEK is an equal opportunity employer

The application deadline

The application must arrive by e-mail by August 31, 2019

Auditions

Auditions will be held in three rounds.

[Preliminary]

Video Recording Audition

Applicants should send a detailed resume and upload a video recording of the required repertoire to YouTube as a private video.

[First Round]

Live Audition with piano accompaniment for those who pass the preliminary round.

October 7, 2019, at Ishikawa Ongakudo Concert Hall (Kanazawa, Japan)

[Second Round]

Live Audition with piano accompaniment for those who pass the first round.

October 8, 2019 at Ishikawa Ongakudo Concert Hall (Kanazawa, Japan)

The Orchestra can arrange an accompanist, with a rehearsal on October 6.

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Repertoire Lists

[Preliminary]

Please make a video recording of the following excerpts. The recording should be continuous, without edits. Please play the 2nd Horn part for (2) to (6).

*The applicant's face, hands and instrument must all be clearly visible.

*Please record the video with a single stationary camera.

*Video recording in bad image quality may be disqualified.

- Neuling: Bagatelle From the Beginning to Bar 32 (Tempo I), without piano accompaniment
- Schubert: Symphony No. 9 "The Great"
 4th mov. From Bar 1049 (8 Bars before Letter N) to Bar 1105, 1st beat
- (3) J. Haydn: Symphony No. 92 4th mov. Bar 17 to Bar 30
- (4) Mahler: Symphony No. 1
 3rd mov. From 4 Bars after Rehearsal No. 13 to 2 Bars after Rehearsal No. 14
- (5) Brahms: Tragic Overture / Tragische Ouvertüre From Bar 320 to Bar 344, 1st Beat
- (6) R. Strauss : A Hero's Life / Ein Heldenleben
 From 4 Bars after Rehearsal No. 3 to 2 Bars after Rehearsal No. 5

[First Round]

Please play the following:

 Mozart : Horn concerto No. 3 in E-flat major, K. 447, 1st movement *With piano accompaniment *Without Cadenza

(2) Orchestral excerpts (These will be sent to those who pass the preliminary round)

[Second Round]

Please play the following:

(1) Beethoven : Horn Sonata in F major, Op. 17, 1st movement *No repeat [G. Henle Verlag edition] *With piano accompaniment

(2) Orchestral excerpts (These will be sent to those who pass the preliminary round)

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How to apply

You must submit the following materials by e-mail.

(1) Application form for OEK audition with your ID photo

*You can download the application form from OEK's Web site. http://www.oek.jp/en/audition/

(2) The URL of your Preliminary Round video recording on YouTube

*The video recording must be uploaded as a private video to YouTube, and the URL sent along with your application.

Please refer to the YouTube Help for how to upload https://support.google.com/youtube/answer/57407

All applicants will receive notification of the Preliminary result by e-mail. If you don't receive notification by September 11, please contact OEK (details below).

 The candidate is responsible for all travel and accommodation expenses for the live rounds. The winning candidate will be interviewed for approval by Ishikawa Music Foundation.

Employment Conditions

Yearly salary

This contract is renewed annually. 6,500,000 JPY (a year, including TAX) Social insurance and national health insurance included.

Trial Period

Trial period is 6 months. Final decision will be made by the Music Director and orchestra members.

Contact / Apply for

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