

Orchestra Ensemble Kanazawa AUDITION

■ Position

Bassoon (Contrabassoon) one position

■ Eligibility

OEK is an equal opportunity employer

■ The application deadline

The application must arrive by e-mail by September 25, 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.

November 4, 2019 at Ishikawa Ongakudo Hogaku Hall (Kanazawa, Japan)

[Second Round]

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

November 5, 2019 at Ishikawa Ongakudo Concert Hall (Kanazawa, Japan)

The Orchestra can arrange an accompanist, with a rehearsal on November 3.



■ Repertoire Lists

[Preliminary]

Please make a video recording of the following excerpts. The recording should be continuous, without edits. Please play the 1st Bassoon part for ② to ⑤.

- *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.
- ① Mozart: Bassoon Concerto in B-flat major, K. 191 1st mov. From Bar 35 to Bar 71, 1st Beat, without piano accompaniment
- ② Mozart: Le Nozze di Figaro, Overture From Bar 139 to Bar 171
- 3 Beethoven: Symphony No. 4 2nd mov. From Bar 59 to Bar 61 4th mov. From Bar 184 to Bar 188
- (4) Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 4 2nd mov. From Bar 274 to Bar 290 2nd mov. From Bar 300 to the End
- (5) Smetana: The Bartered Bride, Overture From the Beginning to Bar 7 From Bar 300 to Bar 175

[First Round]

Please play the following:

- ① Mozart: Bassoon Concerto in B-flat major, K. 191, 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 Saint-saëns: Sonata in G major, Op. 168, 1st and 2nd movement *With piano accompaniment
- (2) Orchestral excerpts (These will be sent to those who pass the preliminary round)
 *Include playing Contrabassoon. The Orchestra can provide an instrument and time to
 practice on it before the Second Round.



■ 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 October 1, 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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