



WICHITA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA INFORMATION 2020-2021 Season

POSITIONS AVAILABLE:

The Wichita Symphony Orchestra is a per service orchestra.

Permanent and One Year

Section Violin

Salary \$4,500 – \$7,000

Taking an audition with the Wichita Symphony means you have reviewed the rehearsal and concert schedule outline below and can commit to performing for at least 80% of the season unless unforeseen circumstances arise.

AUDITIONS:

Auditions will be held in Wichita, Kansas at Wichita State University on Friday, August 28, 2020. Due to COVID-19, the exact location will be determined closer to the audition date. Audition requirements, materials, and excerpts can be downloaded at <https://wichitasymphony.org/about/auditions-careers>. For further questions, please contact Matt Blauer, Orchestra Personnel Manager, at orchpersonnel@wso.org.

AUDITION APPLICATION: All applications must be filled out online following the link [here](#) or below. A \$50 deposit is required on or before the application deadline, and can be paid either by credit card (submitted with application) or by check. Checks must be received (not postmarked) by Wednesday, August 19, 2020.

<https://www.cognitoforms.com/WichitaSymphony1/Rescheduled20202021WichitaSymphonyOrchestraAuditionsSectionViolinMultiplePositions>

The application deadline is Wednesday, August 19, 2020.

Those invited to audition will be notified no later than Friday, August 21, 2020. The audition deposit will be returned to those who audition and/or cancel before the deadline (August 19, 2020). Those who pay by check will receive their check back at the audition. Those who pay by credit card will have their credit card charge refunded on the next business day following the auditions. Those who do not cancel before the application deadline or do not take the audition will forfeit their deposit.

ABOUT THE ORCHESTRA: The Wichita Symphony Orchestra is led by Music Director and Conductor Daniel Hege, and is a fully professional, part-time orchestra. Rehearsal and concert schedules are planned to allow for outside full-time employment. The 2020-2021 Season begins September 25, 2020 and ends June 4, 2021. Rehearsals and concerts are held in Wichita's Century II Performing Arts Center. Winning candidates must be eligible to work in the United States or be able, at the candidate's expense, to meet all eligibility requirements no later than the date upon which services would commence. The Wichita Symphony is a union organization that works in agreement with the guidelines given in our Collective Bargaining Agreement.

The Wichita Symphony is an equal opportunity employer.

**2020-2021 Season Schedule
Wichita Symphony Orchestra
Century II Performing Arts and Convention Center – Concert Hall**

***All Rehearsals are from 7:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted
Saturday Concerts are at 7:30 p.m.
Sunday Concerts are at 3:00 p.m.***

Pops 1

Rehearsals: September 25, 2020
September 26, 2020
Time TBD (midmorning to midafternoon)
Performance: September 26, 2020

Masterworks 1

Rehearsals: October 20 – 23, 2020
Performances: October 24 & 25, 2020

Masterworks 2

Rehearsals: November 10 – 13, 2020
Performances: November 14 & 15, 2020

YPC 1

Rehearsal: November 16, 2020
Performances: November 17 – 19, 2020
9:45 a.m. & 10:50 a.m. (Two performances each day)

Masterworks 3

Rehearsals: December 1 – 4, 2020
Performances: December 5 & 6, 2020

Family Holiday Concert

Convention Hall

Rehearsal: December 7, 2020
Performance: December 8, 2020
7:30 p.m.

Masterworks 4

Rehearsals: January 19 – 22, 2021
Performances: January 23 & 24, 2021

YPC 2

Rehearsal: January 25, 2021
Performances: January 26 – 28, 2021
9:45 a.m. & 10:50 a.m. (Two performances each day)

Masterworks 5/Pops 2

Rehearsal: February 9 – 12, 2021
Performances: February 13 & 14, 2021

Masterworks 6

Rehearsals: February 16 – 19, 2020
Performances: February 20 & 21, 2021

Masterworks 7

Rehearsals: March 9 – 12, 2021
Performances: March 13 & 14, 2021

Masterworks 8

Rehearsals: April 13 – 16, 2021
Performances: April 17 & 18, 2021

Pops 3

Rehearsal: April 24, 2021
TBD (mid-afternoon)
Performance: April 24, 2021

Twilight Pops

Rehearsal: June 3, 2021 (Exhibition Hall)
Performance: June 4, 2021 – *Kennedy Center Plaza*
8:00 p.m.

****All dates and times are subject to change****

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