



2023 – 2024 WICHITA SYMPHONY AUDITIONS AND SEASON INFORMATION

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SECTION CELLO

SECTION BASS

Multiple Positions Available

- Rehearsal Rate (2.5 hours) Hourly Wage: \$115.28
- Concert Rate (2.5 hours max): \$149.35
- Travel Assistance Stipend: \$75 per day if over one hundred miles (100) from Century II Performing Arts and Convention Center – Concert Hall: Address (225 W Douglas, Wichita, KS 67202)

*The Wichita Symphony is a per service orchestra that does not guarantee any amount of services.

AUDITIONS:

Auditions will be held at Wichita State University – Duerksen Fine Arts Center in Wichita, KS on June 2 and 3, 2023. Cello and Bass Auditions will take place on Friday, June 2. Violin and Viola Auditions will take place on Saturday, June 3. 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 by Thursday, May 25.

https://www.cognitoforms.com/WichitaSymphony1/_20232024WichitaSymphonyOrchestraAuditionsStrings

The application deadline is Thursday, May 25.

Those invited to audition will be notified no later than Friday, May 26. The audition deposit will be returned to those who audition and/or cancel before the deadline (May 25). 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.

The Wichita Symphony is an equal opportunity employer.

ABOUT THE ORCHESTRA: The Wichita Symphony 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. 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.

2023 – 2024 Wichita Symphony Season Schedule

Century II Performing Arts and Convention Center – *Concert Hall*

225 W Douglas Ave

Wichita, KS 67202

Symphony on the Grand Lawn (*At Botanica*)

Friday, September 29, 2023 at 7:30 PM

Rehearsals: September 27 – 28

Masterworks 1

Sunday, October 29, 2023 at 3:00 PM

Rehearsals: October 25 – 28

YPC 1

Tuesday – Thursday, November 7-9, 2023 at 9:45 AM

Rehearsal: November 6

Masterworks 2

Sunday, November 19, 2023 at 3:00 PM

Rehearsals: November 15 – 18

Masterworks 3

Saturday, December 9, 2023 at 7:30 PM

Rehearsals: December 6 – 8

Family Holiday Concert (*In Convention Hall*)

Tuesday, December 12, 2023 at 7:30 PM

Rehearsal: December 11

Masterworks 4

Sunday, January 21, 2024 at 3:00 PM

Rehearsals: January 17 – 20

YPC 2

Tuesday – Thursday, January 23-25, 2024 at 9:45 AM

Rehearsal: January 22

Pops

Saturday, February 10, 2024 at 7:30 PM
Rehearsals: February 8 – 9

Masterworks 5

Sunday, February 18, 2024 at 3:00 PM
Rehearsals: February 14 – 17

Masterworks 6

Saturday, March 9, 2024 at 7:30 PM
Rehearsals: March 5 – 8

Masterworks 7

Saturday, April 13, 2024 at 7:30 PM
Rehearsals: April 9 – 12

Symphony in the Gardens *(At Botanica)*

Friday, May 17, 2024 at 9:00 PM
Rehearsals: May 15 – 16

*Evening Rehearsals are from 7:00 – 9:30 PM
Afternoon Rehearsals are from 1:30 – 4:00 PM*