

Audition Notice

The Eastern Connecticut Symphony Orchestra is holding auditions for the following vacancies:

• PRINCIPAL TRUMPET: September 4, 2018

• SECTION VIOLIN [several openings]: September 5, 2018

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Audition location and times:

The audition location is currently TBD but will take place in New London County. Audition times will run from approximately 5:30-9:30 p.m.

Compensation:

We offer 30 base services per season. Section/Asst. Principal pay is \$99.58 per service and Principal pay is \$124.48 per service. The Eastern Connecticut Symphony is a fully professional part time, per service orchestra located in New London, CT {Affiliated with A.F. of M. Local 285-403; required membership for all contracted musicians}

Audition Repertoire List: Audition materials can be found on the next page and on the ECSO website: www.ectsymphony.com/web/home.aspx

Contact information:

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About the ECSO:

Mission Statement

The mission of the Eastern Connecticut Symphony Orchestra (ECSO) is to inspire, educate, and connect our communities through live orchestral music.

Vision Statement

Our Vision is to foster an appreciation of symphonic music and be a leading contributor to the cultural vitality of the region by performing and promoting orchestral and choral concerts of high artistic caliber, to develop young musicians by providing superior orchestral training, and to attract diverse audiences through focused programming and educational programs. We will achieve this vision with effective and professional governance and sound financial stewardship.

At a Glance

Curated by Music Director and Conductor, Toshiyuki Shimada, the ECSO presents six classical concerts annually from October to April, many of which feature guest soloists. The orchestra is made up of 68 contracted musicians from in and around the southeastern Connecticut region. All six subscription concerts are performed at the historic Garde Arts Center on State Street in New London. Free lectures, sponsored by the Friends of the Symphony, precede the classical concerts. ECSO is also contracted for additional concerts, such as performances with the Eastern Connecticut Ballet in presentations of "The Nutcracker", chamber performances at senior and community centers, and cathedral concerts in Norwich, CT. ECSO's educational efforts reach thousands of area schoolchildren through Music in the Schools programs and Young People's Concerts at the Garde Arts Center.

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ECSO Principal Trumpet Audition Repertoire:

Solo Literature:

- Haydn Concerto No. 1 [1st movement] or
- Hummel *Trumpet Concerto in E Major/E-flat* [1st movement]

Orchestral Excerpts:

- Bach *Magnificat* [beginning measure 31, piccolo Trumpet]
- Bartok Concerto for Orchestra [Movement 1: mm. 39-50, 334-396]; [Movement II: mm. 90-146];
 [Movement V: mm. 211-254, 550-572]
- Beethoven Leonore Overture No. 3 [Offstage call one call]
- Berlioz Symphonie Fantastique [Mvt. IV [53] 7 before [54]]
- Brahms Academic Festival Overture [Pickup to 15 after [C] 12 after [D], rotary trumpet-optional]
- Mahler Symphony No. 3 [Mvt. III: posthorn Solo played on Trumpet]
- Mahler Symphony No. 5 [Mvt. I: opening, mm. 211-256, 278-293, Mvt. III: mm. 389-396]
- Mussorgsky Pictures at an Exhibition [Promenade: opening [2]: Samuel Goldenberg and Schmuyle: piccolo Trumpet]
- Ravel Piano Concerto in G [Mvt. 1: [2] [3], [34] End]
- Respighi Pines of Rome [Mvt. 1: opening [8]; Mvt. II: off-stage solo]
- Rimsky-Korsakov Scheherazade [Mvt. III: [G] [H]; Mvt. IV: 1 before [C] [D], [Q], [R], [T] [U]
- Stravinsky Pétrouchka (1947) [Ballerina's Dance: 1 before [134] [139]; Waltz: [149] to [151]
 Pétrouchka Ghost: m. 265 to end, piccolo trumpet]
- Tchaikovsky *Nutcracker Ballet* [Chocolate Spanish Dance]

ECSO Section Violin Audition Material:

- Solo of your choice [One movement only]
- Mozart Symphony No. 39 [1st Movement: Beginning to 3 after C]
- Mendelssohn Scherzo from Midsummer Night's Dream [Beginning to 7 after D]
- Strauss Don Juan [1st page only]
- Brahms Symphony No. 2 [1st Movement: measures 17 31; letter A B and letter E F]

ECSO Section Viola Audition Material:

- Solo of your choice [One movement only]
- Mozart Marriage of Figaro [Beginning until Letter B]
- Berlioz Roman Carnival Overture [2nd measure of rehearsal # 1 through 7 measures after rehearsal # 3]
- Brahms Symphony No. 3 [1st Movement: letter E G; 3 before K {From Arco} To 8 After Letter M]
- Strauss Don Juan [Opening until letter B]