

Sapporo Symphony Orchestra Application form

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Sapporo Symphony Orchestra Founded 1961

Matthias Bamert, Chief Conductor
Tadaaki Otaka, Honorary Conductor
Junichi Hirokami, Friendship Conductor
Kentaro Kawase, Resident Conductor
Tatsuya Shimono, Principal Guest Conductor
(inaugurate in April 2024)

Official Website https://www.sso.or.jp

Flute (Principal)

<Pre>Preliminary Round> Primary Live Audition: Tuesday, May 28 and Wednesday, May 29, 2024

Secondary Live Audition: Monday, November 25, 2024

<Final Round > Live audition: Tuesday, November 26, 2024

1. Vacancy

1 Flutist (Principal)

2. Preliminary Round

[Preliminary Audition]

Date and Time: Tuesday, May 28 and Wednesday, May 29, 2024 from 10am (scheduled)

Venue: Sapporo Art Park Art Hall Arena (2-chome, Geijutsu-no-mori, Minami-ku, Sapporo)

Repertoire: (1) Mozart / Flute Concerto No. 1 in G major, 1st movement and 2nd movement (without cadenza)

(2) Orchestra Study

<Pre>recautions for preliminary audition>

- **Repertoire (1) must be performed with a piano accompaniment. Pianist will be arranged by the orchestra. Applicant can also attend the audition with his/her accompanist. Any expense incurred in this case must be burnt by the applicant.
- **Preliminary audition must be performed without prior rehearsal with a pianist. The accompanist will be using a score by Bärenreiter but the soloist can perform any other version.
- **Scores for the orchestra study will be sent to you by post after the application is closed. Which to perform will be announced at the site.

How to apply

Download the application form from Sapporo Symphony Orchestra official website. Write in any requested items with the ID photo pasted, and sent it to the address noted in 6 below. The application form is not returnable.

•Deadline of the application

Must arrive by Monday, April 22, 2024

• Result announcement

The result will be notified to the applicant by Friday, June 7, 2024.

(The result may notified to successful applicants by phone.)

[Secondary Audition]

Date and Time: Monday, November 25, 2024 afternoon

Venue: Sapporo Concert Hall Kitara Large Rehearsal Room (1-15 Nakajima-koen, Chuo-ku Sapporo)

Repertoire: (1) Mozart / Flute Concerto No. 1 in G major, All movements with cadenza

(2) Orchestra Study

3. Final Round (Audition by all the orchestra members)

Date and Time: Tuesday, November 26, 2024 afternoon

Venue: Sapporo Concert Hall Kitara Large Rehearsal Room (1-15 Nakajima-koen, Chuo-ku Sapporo)

Repertoire: same as the secondary audition

<Precaution for the secondary audition and final round>

*Repertoire (1) must be performed with a piano accompaniment. Pianist will be arranged by the orchestra. Applicant can also attend the audition with his/her accompanist. Any expense incurred in this case must be burnt by the applicant. Rehearsal with the pianist is planned to take place in the morning of the audition date. Details will be informed on a later date.

**Scores for the orchestra study will be sent to you by post after the application is closed. Which to perform will be announced at the site.

*There will be an interview for those who attend the final round.

•Result announcement

The result will be notified to the applicant by Monday, December 2, 2024 by post.

4. Salary and Benefits (Basic salary based on the salary chart calculated upon salary based on the age and experience.)

Salary 193,400 yen (age 22) ~ plus Principal allowance

Additional Bonus twice a year

Housing, family, cold-area allowance, communicating and instrument allowances. Social welfare, employment insurance and retirement allowance are also available.

5. Employment starting date

As soon as possible but negotiable

There will be 6-month probation before official employment.

6. Inquiry and Address

Addressed to: AUDITION, Sapporo Symphony Orchestra

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