# **ORCHESTRA** WELLINGTON

# **AUDITIONS 2018**

# Eligibility

Orchestra Wellington auditions are open to applicants who have the legal right to work in New Zealand. If you are not currently a citizen or a resident of either New Zealand or Australia, it is advised that you check New Zealand immigration law before completing your application. (www.immigration.govt.nz)

Please note: Orchestra Wellington is not able to provide sponsorship for overseas applicants.

#### **Important Dates**

Entries close **5pm, Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2018** Auditions will take place on **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2018**. Recordings must arrive by **5pm, Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2018** (Please note: NZ time is GMT + 12.)

#### **Application Procedure**

Complete an application form (<u>https://www.orchestrawellington.co.nz/about/vacancies/orchestral/</u>)
Email your CV to <u>auditions@orchestrawellington.co.nz</u>
Please note: we reserve the right to pre-select candidates based on the applications received.

#### Audition requirements

Selection of orchestral excerpts and pieces (see documents on Orchestra Wellington website)

#### Auditions in person

Confirmation of auditions and further instructions will be sent to candidates via email immediately following the closing date.

# **Recorded Auditions**

DVD recordings should be couriered/sent to: Operations Manager, Orchestra Wellington Level 5 NEC House, 40 Taranaki Street PO Box 11-977 Wellington 6142 Electronic files are also accepted via Dropbox or Wetransfer but NOT via email – please contact auditions@orchestrawellington.co.nz to request instructions.

# **Requirements for recordings:**

- Content must be exactly as per requirements and set list of orchestral excerpts.
- It must be a studio-quality recording.
- Recording engineer must confirm in writing that the recording is unedited
- Referee must confirm that the recording is a true and honest representation of the candidate's audition.
- The audition should be recorded as no more than two continuous takes, being one take for the concerto material and one take for the excerpts.
- Each item on the DVD should be formatted post-recording as a separate track for easy access.
- A track list should be included.
- DVDs must be in a standard PAL format.