Double Bass Audition Packet



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS 11TH WING (AFDW) JOINT BASE ANDREWS, MARYLAND 20762

August 23, 2017

The United States Air Force Band – Washington, D.C.

Double Bass/Electric Bass with the Concert Band

Audition Process

Resumes and CD or MP3/recordings must be received by **November**, **1 2017**. Applicants who are considered qualified for the live audition will be contacted by The USAF Band auditions team and then by an Air Force recruiter to assess each applicant's eligibility to enlist in the Air Force. Once approved by the recruiter, applicants will receive an audition invitation letter. All invited candidates must be prepared to meet Air Force maximum allowable weight standards.

Preliminary Requirements:

Preliminary Audition CDs/MP3s and resumes are due **November**, **1 2017**. Please send a one page resume and preliminary recording with the following requirements:

DOUBLE BASS

BACH – Cello Suite – 1 Mvt of choice

BEETHOVEN – Symphony No. 5, Mvt III, Trio beginning to 23 bars after B (2nd ending only)

MOZART - Symphony No. 35, Mvt IV, 10 after D to 1 before E

STRAUSS – Ein Heldenleben, No. 9 to 6 after No. 12

BASS GUITAR

KAPER/WASHINGTON – Green Dolphin Street, play bass line 1 chorus – form: A Latin/B Swing/A Latin/C Swing

Live Audition Requirements:

The live audition will be held on December 13, 2017 at Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling, Washington, D.C.

DOUBLE BASS

BACH – Cello Suite – 1 Mvt of choice

BEETHOVEN – Symphony No. 5, Mvt III, Scherzo beginning to 5 bars after A; Trio beginning to 23 bars after B (2nd ending only)

MOZART – Symphony No. 35, Mvt IV, 10 after D to 1 before E

MOZART – Symphony No. 39, Myt I, m. 26 to 2 after C

BRAHMS - Symphony No. 2, Mvt IV, beginning to 15 after A

STRAUSS - Ein Heldenleben, No. 9 to 6 after No. 12; No. 77 to 78

GRAINGER – Molly on the Shore, pick up to m.19-26

RHYTHM SECTION – WITH DRUMS AND PIANO

DOUBLE BASS or BASS GUITAR

KAPER/WASHINGTON – Green Dolphin Street, improvise bass line 1 chorus – form: A Latin/B Swing/A Latin/C Swing

HAMMERSTEIN/KERN - All the Things You Are, improvise bass line 1 chorus

12 BAR BLUES of choice, improvise bass line 1 chorus

BASS GUITAR

METHENEY – Gathering Sky, pickup to letter B to letter C; m. 48 to letter I arr. RUSSO – Journeys through Oz, R to downbeat of S RICHARDS – Dance of the Southern Lights, 25 to 1 before B59 (no repeat, take 2nd ending)

Email MP3s and resume to:

usafbandbassaudition@gmail.com

Or Mail CD and resume to:

The USAF Band ATTN: Auditions – Double Bass/Electric Bass Audition 201 McChord St Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling, DC 20032-0202

• Mail delivery JBAB can be delayed. We encourage you to email the preliminary requirements to the above address. If you do mail materials please send a follow-up email letting us know the date that you mailed materials and when they are scheduled to be delivered.

Electronic resumes must be received as a pdf or word doc (no cloud storage/file sharing links such as Google Docs or Dropbox).

Resume file names should be labeled *last name*, *first name* and resume content must include name, street address, phone number, and email address.

For more information call 1-800-283-8995 or e-mail: usaf.jbanafw.afdw-staff.mbx.usaf-band-audition@mail.mil

** Prior Service and Active Duty members—please contact the USAF Band Auditions team prior to submitting materials.

Double Bass

Symphony No. 5 in C Minor, Op. 67

Violoncello e Basso

Ludwig van Beethoven



Beethoven — Symphony No. 5

Violoncello e Basso



Violoncello und Kontrabaß



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Symphony No. 39

VIOLONCELLO e BASSO

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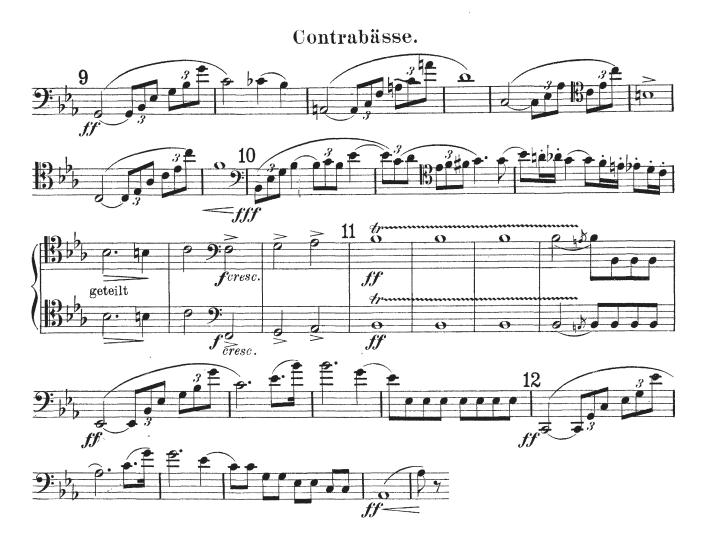
W. A. Mozart, K. 543.

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Brahms — Symphony No. 2 in D Major Kontrabaß





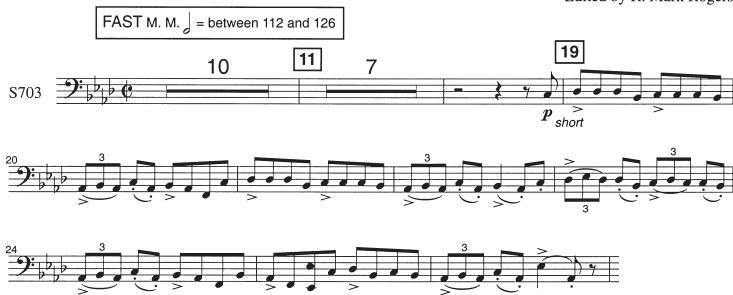


MOLLY ON THE SHORE

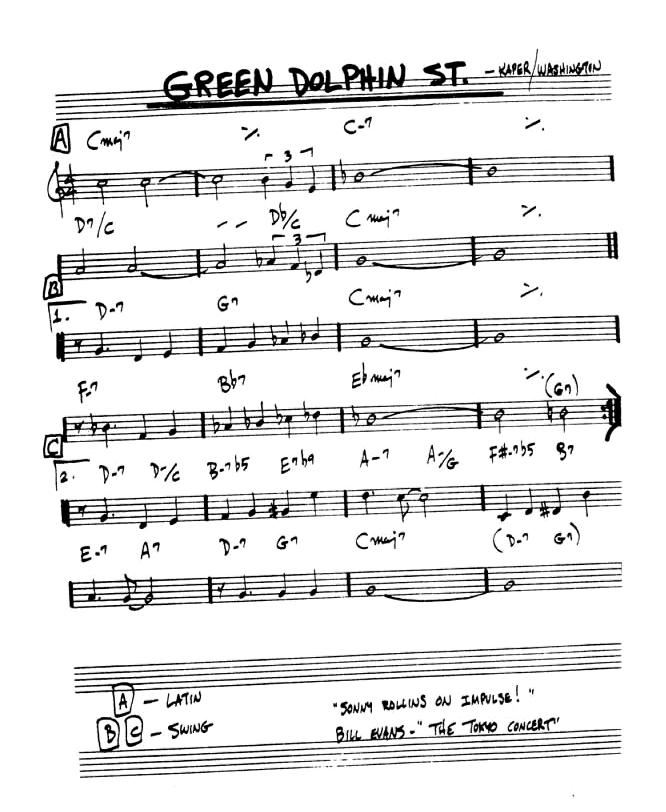
Double Bass

Irish Reel set for Military Band

Percy Aldridge Grainger Edited by R. Mark Rogers



Double Bass or Electric Bass





12 Bar Blues Improvise Bass Line 1 Chorus

Electric Bass

THE GATHERING SKY

ACOUSTIC BASS

FOR CONCERT BAND FEATURING DRUMS AND GUITAR

RECORDED BY THE PAT METHENY GROUP ON "SPEAKING OF NOW"

COMPOSED BY PAT METHENY AND LYLE MAYS
ARARANGED BY TSGT JOHN DAWSON



THE GATHERING SKY ACOUSTIC BASS PG.2



Bass Electric

Journeys Through Oz Three Stories from the Emerald City

Arlen/Smalls/Vandross/Schwartz **Arr: TSgt Tadd Russo** (2008)

