



ANNOUNCES A PREMIER BAND OPENING FOR:

## Saxophone (2 positions: one tenor, one baritone\*)

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### PRE-SCREENING REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE:

- Resume
- Professional reference letter of recommendation (no more than three)
- Audio Recordings:
  - Classical solo of candidate's choice (tenor or bari) showcasing lyrical and technical playing (opt. 1 or 2 tracks)
  - Jazz selections (tenor or bari): four tracks with either live rhythm section or background track. For each, play the melody and at least 2 choruses of improvisation.
    - Medium swing
    - Up-tempo (at least mm=240)
    - Ballad (melody/ornaments + one chorus of solo)
    - Funk
  - An additional selection of candidate's choice (any size saxophone)
  - Flute and clarinet: submit 1 excerpt or etude on each instrument, about 1 min. each.

*All résumés and pre-screening materials must be received by January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022*

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### LIVE Audition Date:

**February 21-25, 2022, Peterson Space Force Base, Colorado Springs, CO**

*Each candidate will be notified of prescreen results by January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Live audition is by invitation only.*

**E-mail MP3 Files (encoded at 320kbps), Résumé and References, both via Dropbox to:**  
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\* Upon joining the USAF Academy band, job requirements may occasionally necessitate playing different sizes of saxophone in different ensembles.