

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE JOINT BASE ANACOSTIA-BOLLING & 11TH WING (AFDW) WASHINGTON DC

15 March 2023

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

Ceremonial Brass: Tuba Audition

Preliminary Requirements:

Preliminary audition materials are due no later than May 22nd, 2023. Please submit your professional resume and 4 recordings as follows:

Excerpts

Holst First Suite in Eb Intro, 8th bar after B to the downbeat of C

Vaughn Williams Toccata Marziale tempo 88, beginning to one measure after circle 3, pickup to circle 14 to 5 measures after circle 15

Grainger Lincolnshire Posy tempo 62-74, pickup to 51 to 85

Sousa The Stars and Stripes Forever tempo 120, intro to 20 with repeat, pickup to the "dogfight" section 71-94

Apply Here: https://forms.gle/AynhxL9fKzEykntr8

Submission formatting:

- Recordings must be received as an MP3, WAV, M4A, or a compatible Apple/Android audio file type
 - o No cloud storage/file sharing links such as Google Docs, Google Drive, or Dropbox
- Resumes must be received as a PDF or Microsoft Word DOC
- Resume file names should be labeled last name, first name (example: Doe, Jane)
- Resume must include name, street address, phone number, and email address

Audition Process:

Resumes and digital audio recordings must be received no later than May 22nd, 2023. Applicants who are considered qualified for the live audition will be contacted by The USAF Band auditions team, followed 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 email. All invited candidates must be prepared to meet Air Force maximum allowable weight standards.

Live auditions will be held on **June 27th**, **2023** at Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling, Washington, DC. Candidates will be notified of their invitation status one month prior.

For more information e-mail: <u>usafband.auditions@gmail.com</u>

Musical questions: ceremonialtuba@gmail.com

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

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Live Audition Repertoire:

Solo

Prepare a solo or advanced etude of your choice demonstrating lyrical and technical ability. BBb or CC tuba preferred.

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tempo 88, beginning to one measure after circle 3, pickup to circle 14 to 5 measures after circle 15

-Grainger Lincolnshire Posy tempo 62-74, pickup to 51 to 85

-Sousa The Stars and Stripes Forever

tempo 120, intro to 20 with repeat, pickup to the "dogfight" section 71-94

-King Barnum and Baileys Favorites

tempo in one no slower than 78, measure 25 to downbeat of 43 with repeat, measure 63 to 71 (note: the Ab in measure 68 must begin down the octave along with the remaining ascending line that follows)

-Ives Variations on America

tempo 132 at square L, **tempo 96** from square Q to square R, **tempo 108** from square R to the fourth measure of square S, **tempo 84-96** fifth measure of square S to six measure from the end

-Heed In Storm and Sunshine

tempo 120, beginning to 9, 33 to 42, pickup to 64-80

-Bernstein West Side Story tempo 62-78, 654 to 668

Quintet (BBb or CC tuba preferred)

-Holst Second Suite in F

Anonymous Die Bankelsangerlieder

Memorized Marching (BBb Sousaphone)

-Boorn Queen City

tempo 120, intro, first and second strain (no repeat

FIRST SUITE IN Eb

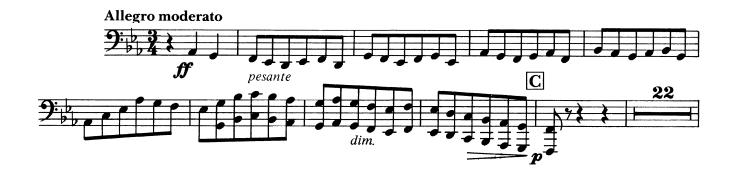
for Military Band

Basses

1. CHACONNE

GUSTAV HOLST Op.28, No.1 revised and edited by COLIN MATTHEWS





TOCCATA MARZIALE

Basses





"LINCOLNSHIRE POSY"

Based on English Folksongs gathered in Lincolnshire, England by Lucy E. Broadwood and Percy Aldridge Grainger and set for Wind Band (Military Band)

TUBA

PERCY ALDRIDGE GRAINGER

3. "RUFFORD PARK POACHERS" (Poaching Song)

Full Score Edition Assembled by Frederick Fennell



March

THE STARS and STRIPES FOREVER





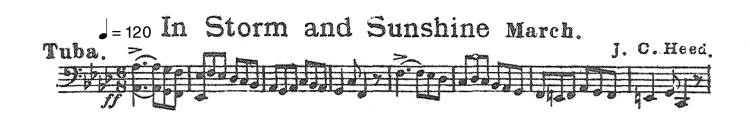


VARIATIONS ON 'AMERICA'

Basses

CHARLES IVES
Transcribed for Band by William E. Rhoads
Based on the Orchestra Version by William Schuman









Symphonic Dance Music from West Side Story

Tuba

4. Fugue

Leonard Bernstein Transcribed by Ian Polster











SECOND SUITE IN F





SONATA

from

Die Bänkelsängerlieder



W. H. BOORN

