

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE JOINT BASE ANACOSTIA-BOLLING & 1 1TH WING (AFDW) WASHINGTON DC

1 February 2023

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

Violin audition for the Air Force Strings

Preliminary Requirements:

Preliminary audition materials are due no later than **24 April 2023**. Please submit your professional resume and a recording of the following excerpts:

Solo: Exposition of any standard violin concerto Mozart: Symphony No. 35: II. mm. 1-16, 21-35 Schumann: Symphony No. 2: II. mm. 1-54 beat 2 R. Strauss: Don Juan: First Page Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5: IV. mm. 504-546 Beethoven: Symphony No. 3: III. mm. 1-166

Live Audition Requirements:

Solo: exposition of any standard violin concerto
Mozart: Symphony No. 39: II. mm. 1-27 and mm. 96-126
Beethoven: Symphony No. 9: III. mm. 99-114
Smetana: The Bartered Bride Overture (Violin 2) mm. 1-52 beat 1
Brahms: Symphony No. 4: IV. mm. 33 -78 beat 1
Debussy: Prelude to the Afternoon of a Faun: start five mm. after Reh 7 to five mm. before Reh 8
Mendelssohn: A Midsummer Night's Dream: Scherzo: mm. 1 to seven mm. after D
Tchaikovsky: Serenade for Strings: I. Reh D – G and IV. begin eighteen mm. after B to one mm before E
Mozart: Quartet in C, K. 465: I. mm. 1-106 and IV. mm. 1-135
Ravel: Quartet: beginning to Reh E
Sight reading may be requested at the discretion of the audition committee

Apply Here: https://forms.gle/vy8HLSF3TJbnzuBbA

Submission formatting:

- Recordings must be received as an MP3, WAV, M4A, or a compatible Apple/Android audio file type
 - 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 **24 April 2023**. Live auditions will be held on **31 May 2022** at Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling, Washington, DC. Candidates will be notified of their invitation status one month prior. In addition to the musical audition, applicants must meet all Air Force age, weight, medical, financial, legal, and citizenship requirements. Many of your initial questions concerning the USAF enlisted military experience can be answered at: <u>https://www.airforce.com/</u>. If you are invited to the live audition, you will be required to meet with an official Air Force recruiter to be pre-qualified for basic military training. The audition coordinator can assist with this process and provide further instructions.

For more information e-mail: <u>usafband.auditions@gmail.com</u> Musical questions: <u>usafbandviolinaudition2023@gmail.com</u>

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

Mozart: Symphony No. 35: II. mm. 1-16, 21-35











R. Strauss: Don Juan: First Page

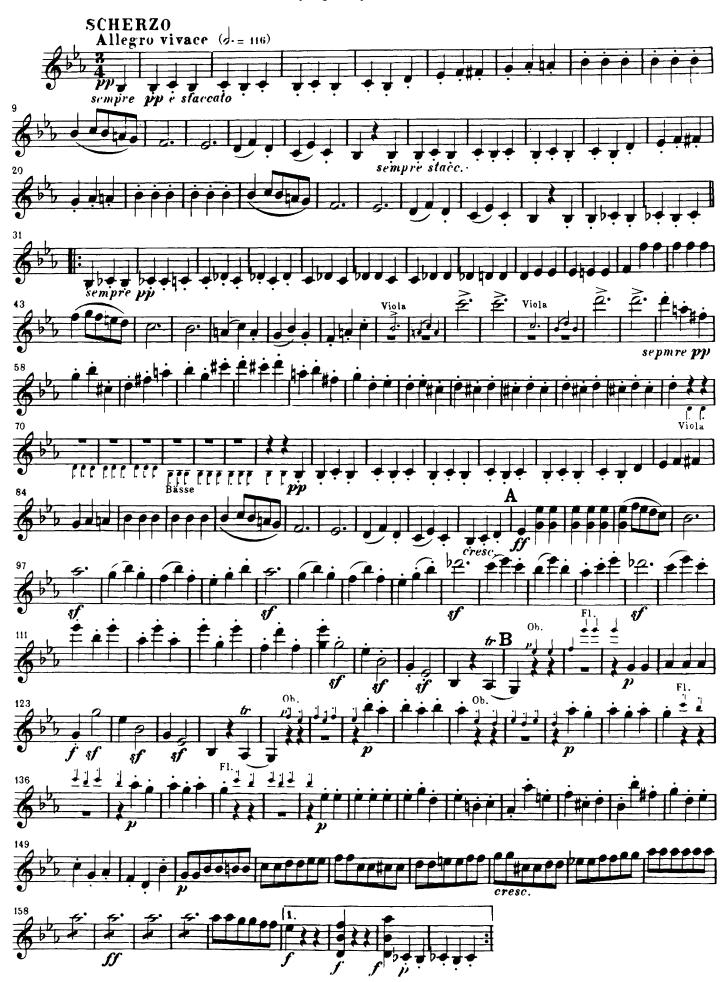




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Beethoven: Symphony No. 3: III. mm. 1-166





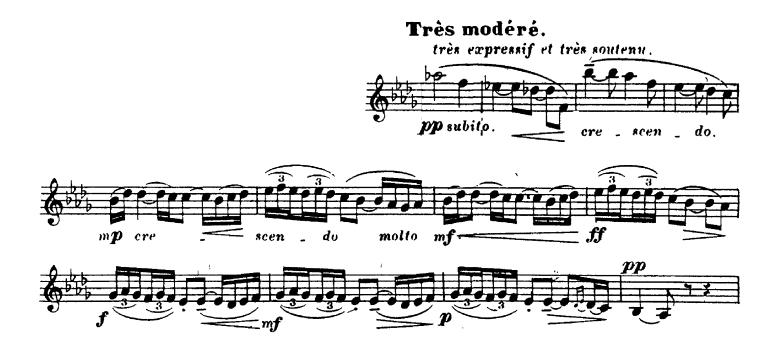
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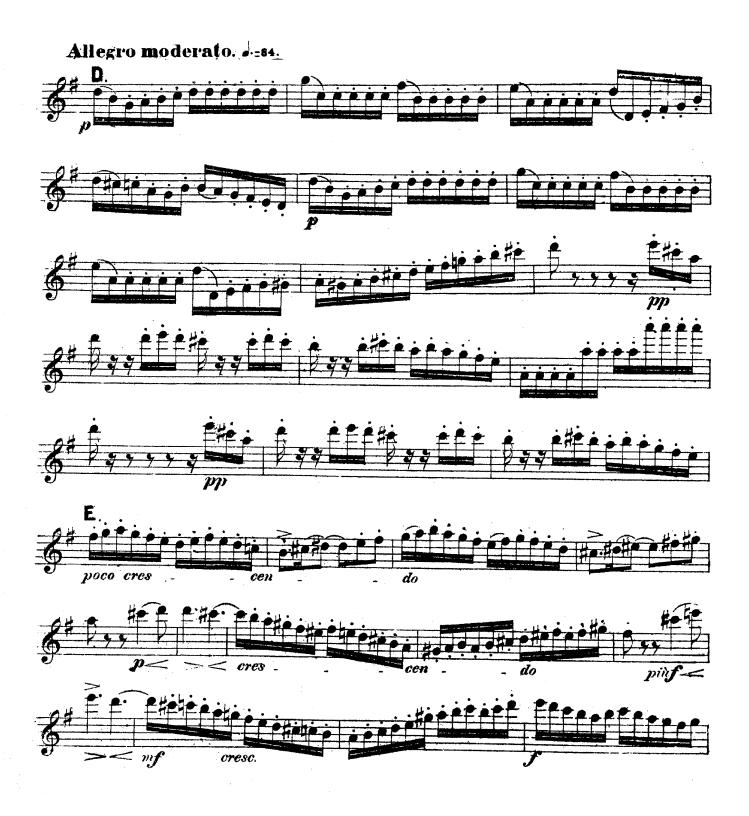








Tchaikovsky: Serenade for Strings: I. D to G



Violino I.





Tchaikovsky: Serenade for Strings: IV. B+18 to E-1

Mozart: String Quartet in C, K. 465: I. mm. 1-106





Mozart: String Quartet in C, K. 465: IV. mm. 1-135



Ravel: String Quartet: beginning to Reh 5

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