UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY BAND

ANNOUNCES A PREMIER BAND OPENING FOR:

TRUMPET – Jazz Solo/Commercial

PRE-SCREENING REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE:

1) Résumé

2) Audio recordings consisting of:
   - "Autumn Leaves" (Med-Fast swing – head and 2 solo choruses)
   - "Body and Soul" (Ballad tempo – head and 1 solo chorus)
   - "Confirmation" (Be Bop – head and 2 solo choruses)
   - "Wave" (Latin – head and 1 chorus)
   - Classical selection of candidate's choice
   - Clifford Brown solo on All The Things You Are (see attached)

All résumés and pre-screening materials must be received by March 17th, 2020

LIVE Audition Date:
April 28th, 2020, Peterson Air Force Base, Colorado Springs, CO

Each candidate will be notified of prescreen results by March 24th, 2020. Live audition is by invitation only.

E-mail MP3 Files (encoded at 320kbps), References and Résumé, both via Dropbox to:
usafabandauditions@gmail.com

Promotion to the Rank of Technical Sergeant (E6)
Starting Salary: $57,320 - $59,120 Annually
Permanent Duty Assignment
Full Medical and Dental Benefits
30 Days Paid Vacation Per Year
College Loan Repayment up to $10,000
Post 9/11 GI Bill for College up to $80,000

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visit our website at www.usafacademyband.af.mil for further information.
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January 9th, 2020

The U.S. Air Force Academy Band
520 Otis Street
Peterson AFB CO 80914-1620

Dear Candidate,

Thank you for inquiring about auditioning for a jazz trumpet position with the United States Air Force Academy Band. This musical audition will be conducted in two parts: (a) a prescreening by e-mailing Dropbox links to MP3 files (encoded at 320kbps for best quality) and a one page résumé and (b) a live audition for those selected from the initial screening. Details concerning both prescreen submission and the live auditions are attached. Please review these requirements carefully to determine if you are prepared to take the audition at this time. The following information outlines the requirements and important dates.

March 17th, 2020	Deadline for receipt of all musical prescreening materials and résumé.
March 24th, 2020	Each candidate will be notified whether or not he/she is invited to participate in the live auditions.
April 28th, 2020	Live audition at Peterson Air Force Base, Colorado Springs, CO.

In addition to passing the musical audition, you must also meet other criteria in order to become a member of an Air Force. Before applying, carefully determine if you feel you meet the following Air Force eligibility requirements.

Age:	You must be able to enlist in the Air Force between the ages of 17–39.
Weight:	Individuals must meet weight requirements in order to enlist in the Air Force. Please see the attached table. If you foresee having a problem in this area, I can recommend various solutions.
Medical:	Individuals must be qualified for worldwide duty. Chronic medical problems, congenital defects etc., may be disqualifying factors.
Financial:	A severe financial problem could be a disqualifying factor.
Criminal:	A criminal record could be a disqualifying factor.
Citizenship:	You must be a natural born citizen, naturalized, or able to complete the naturalization process within four years.

*****Prior Service and Active Duty members - please contact the USAFA Band Auditions team for additional information prior to submitting materials.*****

If you have any questions that pertain to the aforementioned eligibility requirements, please do not hesitate to contact us. In order to attend the live audition, you must meet with the United States Air Force recruiter in your area to be pre-qualified to attend basic training. Our office will initiate this visit after we find you musically qualified. You must return a memorandum from your recruiter visit to our offices in order to attend the audition.

Thank you so much for contacting the United States Air Force Academy Band regarding our upcoming audition. We hope you have a great experience during this process and wish you the best of luck. Please let me know if I can help you with anything. Do not hesitate to contact me directly at (719) 556-9961 or email usafabandauditions@gmail.com if you have additional questions.

Sincerely,

COLIN R. TRUSEDELL, TSgt, USAF
The USAF Academy Band
NCOIC, Auditions

Attachments:
1. Audition Requirements (pre-screen)
2. USAFA Band FAQ Sheet

CLIFFORD BROWN

Improvised solo on *All The Things You Are*

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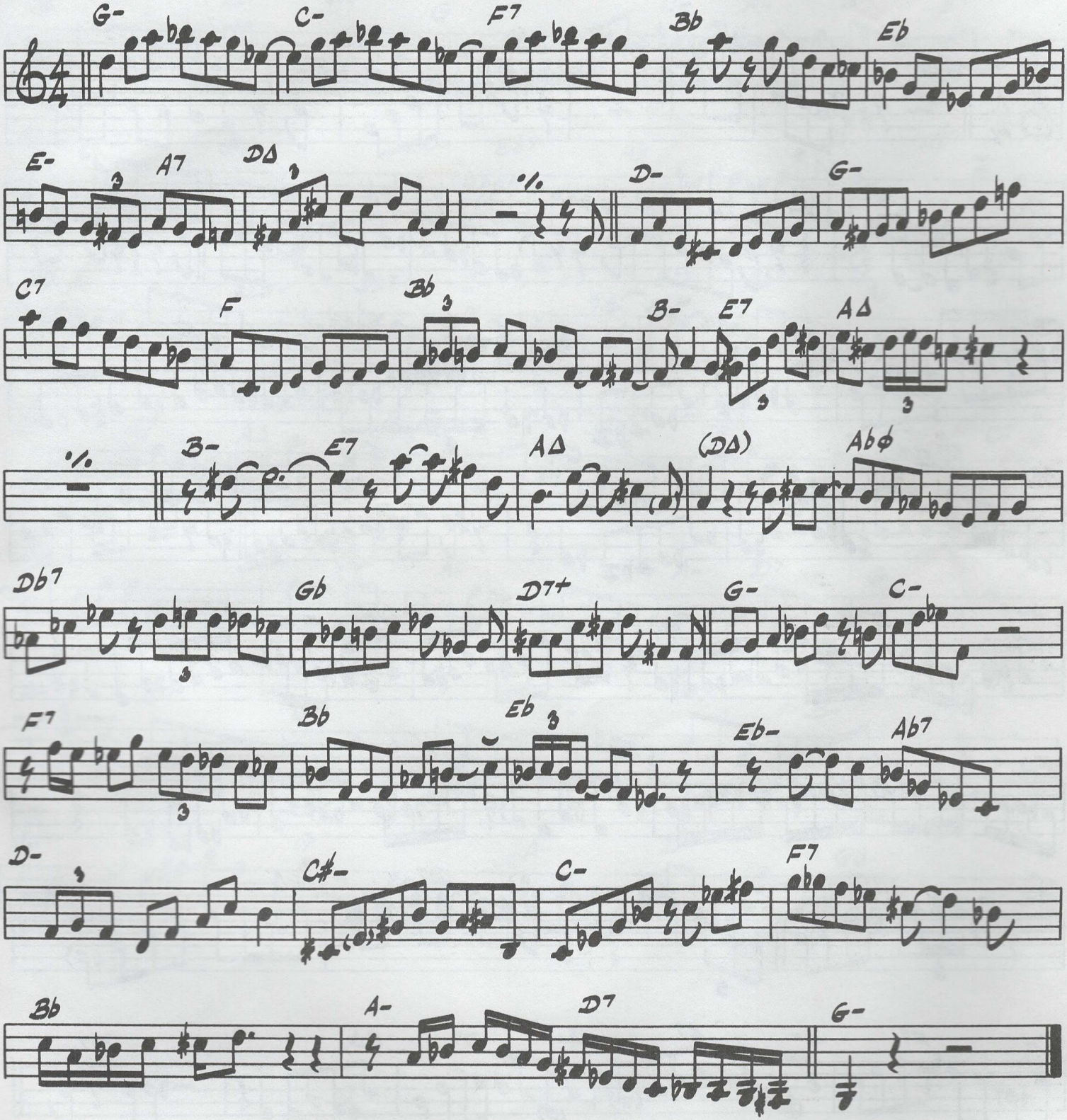
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