

Springfield Symphony Orchestra

Peter Stafford Wilson, Music Director and Conductor



SPRINGFIELD SYMPHONY
ORCHESTRA

Auditions for Principal Horn

(Note: we are not holding substitute auditions for 2017-18 but will do so for the 2018-19 season.)

All applicants should prepare the excerpts listed below, and bring their own materials to the audition.

The repertoire for the horn audition is as follows:

Mozart	Concerto No. 4, k. 495 – exposition of 1st mvt.
Strauss	Till Eulenspiegel – Opening call & rehearsal number 29 through two measures after rehearsal number 33
Shostakovitch	Symphony No. 5 – rehearsal number 17 through one measure after rehearsal number 20
Beethoven	Symphony No. 3 – scherzo and trio
Mendelssohn	A Midsummer Night's Dream (Nocturne) – solo
Tchaikovsky	Symphony No. 5 – 2nd mvt. opening solo
Wagner	Siegfried (Rhine Journey) – short call

Finals – Additional Ensemble Playing Excerpts:

Mozart	Symphony No. 40 in g – Minuet/Trio
Bach	Brandenburg Concerto No. 1 – complete work
Beethoven	Symphony No. 3 – scherzo and trio

Audition Dates

All auditions will be held on September 30, 2017 at the Turner Studio Theater, Clark State Performing Arts Center. Specific audition times will be assigned. You will be notified of your audition time no later than September 25, 2017.

Applicants must be eligible to work in the United States at the time of the audition.

Directions to Turner Studio Theater, Clark State Performing Arts Center

- Come to Springfield on I-70 and exit at Rt. 72 (Limestone St., exit 54).
- Go north on Limestone St. approximately 1.6 miles, and you will come to Selma Road.
- Turn left, then immediately veer toward the right, and you will again be on Limestone Street. Although the Performing Arts Center (PAC) address is 300 S. Fountain Avenue, you will actually need to come to the Turner Studio Theater entrance of the building, which is on South Limestone Street.
- The PAC will be on your left, with a parking lot across the street.
- The Turner entrance is right across the street from the YMCA. You will enter the Turner Studio Theater Lobby. There will be signage to direct you to the proper places.
- If you are coming from points north or northwest and do not want to take I-70, enter 300 S. Limestone Street as your destination in the mapping program of your choice.
- Contact the SSO Office at 937-325-8100 if you need further assistance.

Springfield Symphony Orchestra Principal Horn Audition Application Return by Thursday, September 23, 2017

Please download and fill out this application form, save the document to your computer and email it with your resume to Dave Zeng at dave2zeng@gmail.com with the subject line SSO Principal Horn Audition..

Name of Applicant

Email Address

Street Address

City, State, Zip

Daytime Phone

Evening Phone

Solo piece to be performed (please include name of work and composer)