

Department of Music Annual Concerto Audition Application - Fall 2026

Audition date: **6 pm, Sunday, October 18, 2026** in Hertz Hall.

Application DEADLINE: **4 pm, Wednesday, October 7, 2026** (*Please return this form to the Music Department office, 104 Morrison Hall*) The audition schedule will be posted in the Music Department by Wednesday, October 14, 2026.

Audition Rules: Open to current members of the UC Berkeley Symphony Orchestra and to Music majors performing on non-orchestral instruments (i.e. piano, voice, instruments from other cultures). Applicants must currently be studying privately with department faculty.

- Concerti for soloists, multiple soloists, arias, concert songs, and song cycles are all welcome.
- Each audition performance will be 10-12 minutes in length at the jury panel's discretion.
- Applicants are required to arrange for their own piano accompanist to play the orchestral reduction at the audition (*and must list their accompanist's name below*). If you are having trouble finding or cannot afford your own accompanist, the music department will provide one. *This service includes ONE rehearsal the week of the audition (and possible additional warm-up time on the day of the audition.)*
- Applicants may present excerpts of their choice (which should be representative of the whole work), but must be prepared to play any part of the entire work if asked to do so by the panel.
- Memorization is preferred but not mandatory.
- Lengthy extended orchestral tuttis should be omitted during the audition.
- The jury panel reserves the right to choose several winners or none.
- Winner(s) must be prepared to attend all rehearsals and concerts as arranged with the conductor.
- **REMEMBER: Return this form to the Music Department office, 104 Morrison Hall, by the deadline above.**

Name:

E-mail Address:

Local Address:

Telephone:

Music Major Instrument:

Year in school:

UC Berkeley Symphony Orchestra member? YES NO

Concerto (complete title, incl. movements):

Composer:

Length (please include each movement if applicable):

Accompanist's name:

Email/Phone

Teacher:

Email/Phone

For further information, contact the Assistant Concert Manager, Hertz Hall: lpm78523@berkeley.edu