

CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY
ALL UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRA

Symphony Audition Requirements
Spring 2024

Oboe

Deadline: Friday, January 5, 2024 – 11:59 p.m.

Step 1: Title of Video in Subject Heading should include: *Name_Instrument*

- Example: John Smith_Oboe

Step 2: Video Logistics

- 2 Scales ascending & descending (2 octave minimum)
 - Chromatic Scale
 - 1 minor of your choice
- Audition Excerpts in Order (skip measures of rests)
- Video Forms
 - YouTube, Vimeo
 - Make sure links are unlisted or public

Step 3: Email Link (make sure it is either unlisted or public)

- Subject Heading: *Name_Instrument*
- Send to: cmuauo@gmail.com

We encourage you to simply try your best, there is no need for perfection.

#1 Brahms – Symphony Nr. 2 – Movement II: mm. 19 to 26

Musical score for Brahms' Symphony No. 2, Movement II, measures 19 to 26. The score is in D major and 3/4 time. It features two staves: the upper staff is for Flute I (Fl. I) and the lower staff is for Horn I (Hr. I). The music begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The upper staff contains a melodic line with a first ending bracket labeled 'A' and a second ending bracket. The lower staff provides a harmonic accompaniment. The piece concludes with a *dim.* (diminuendo) marking.

#2 Brahms – Symphony Nr. 2 – Movement III: mm. 1 to 31

Musical score for Brahms' Symphony No. 2, Movement III, measures 1 to 31. The score is in D major and 3/4 time. It features four staves: Flute I (Fl. I), Violin I (Viol. I), Flute II (Fl. II), and Violin II (Viol. II). The tempo is marked *Allegretto grazioso (Quasi Andantino)*. The music begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The upper staves (Fl. I and Viol. I) play a melodic line with first and second endings. The lower staves (Fl. II and Viol. II) provide a harmonic accompaniment. The piece concludes with a *f* (forte) dynamic and a *cresc.* (crescendo) marking.

#2 Liszt– Symphonic Poem 3 “Les Preludes” – 3rd of [L] to mm. 336

294 **L** Klar. VII **Poco a poco più di moto sino al Allegro marziale**

300

306

311 **M** **f**

318

326 *più cresc.*

333 **fff** **ff**