

VSO Principal Second Violin International Audition

May 6 & 7, 2024 Audition Repertoire List

SOLO REPERTOIRE

First movement (complete) of Mozart Concerto No. 4 or 5 (including cadenza)

First movement of a standard concerto from the 19th or early 20th century

A movement of unaccompanied Bach (Sonatas and Partitas)

ORCHESTRAL EXCERPTS

First Violin Parts

Beethoven Symphony No. 9 Mvt. III, m. 99-114
Brahms Symphony No. 1 Mvt. IV, m. 92-132

Elgar Enigma Variations Variation 2

Mendelssohn Midsummer Night's Dream Scherzo, 8 before [A] – 7 after [D]

Mozart Symphony No. 39 Mvt. I, m. 26-142

Prokofiev Classical Symphony Mvt. II, Beginning – [C]

R. Schumann Symphony No. 2 Mvt. II, Beginning through m. 122 (6 measures

after the 2nd ending of Trio I)

Strauss Don Juan Beginning – 9 before [D]

Second Violin Parts

Mahler Symphony No. 9 Mvt. I, 8 measures before [14]-[15]

Mvt. IV, Beginning – m. 28

Bartok Concerto for Orchestra Mvt. V, Finale m. 265 – 342 (top line)

Brahms Piano Concerto No. 1 Mvt. III, Rondo: Allegro non troppo m. 238 – 274

Mozart Symphony No. 41 Mvt. IV, Molto allegro: Beginning – m. 157

SIGHT-READING

As requested

The official pitch of the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra is A=440