



adelaide symphony orchestra

JOB DESCRIPTION & GENERAL INFORMATION

POSITION TITLE: TUTTI BASS

This position is only open to applicants who are Australian or New Zealand citizens or have permanent working rights in Australia

REMUNERATION:

A salary package commensurate with experience will be offered in accordance with the current ASO Musician's Agreement rates for Tutti musicians. The range will be AUS \$61,295 to AUS \$77,480 per annum plus superannuation and other allowances (Musicians Agreement 2017-2019). Any future increases will be commensurate with the Musician's Agreement in place at the time. The ASO also offers a generous instrument insurance scheme.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

Interested applicants must apply by sending a curriculum vitae (CV) providing details of professional orchestral experience:

- Via email to employment@aso.com.au

For specific enquiries, please call Shivani Marx, Chief Operating Officer on +61 8 8233 6247 or at employment@aso.com.au or visit our website: <http://www.aso.com.au/about/employment>

Applications close Friday 22 October 2021

SELECTION PROCESS:

Auditions will be held on Friday 5 November 2021.

The audition process will be undertaken according to the "ASO Audition Protocol" which is available on the ASO website. As part of this process, applicants may attend the live auditions or submit a video recording in advance.

REQUIRED WORKS:

- 1st movement and cadenza (if applicable) of any standard bass concerto

PLUS

-Another piece of the candidate's choosing

**All auditions be performed in orchestral tuning*

Orchestral excerpts

Available from Friday 22 October 2021



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DUTY STATEMENTS: - Tutti Musicians

General duties and work requirements.

Tutti Musicians shall:-

- a) play the instrument/s and parts for which the musician was engaged/auditioned;
- b) play any instrument in the relevant family of instruments (see below, "instrument families") provided:
 - i. there is a doubling part and the musician was engaged/auditioned on the relevant instrument(s); or
 - ii. the musician is willing and has a recognised professional level of competence; or
 - iii. the musician is willing, and provided that the musician's artistic standards are not compromised;
- c) provided that the artistic standards of the orchestra are not compromised,
 - i. perform higher duties, if willing;
 - ii. play in combinations of seven or less, if willing;
 - iii. play off-stage at the conductor's direction (subject to the musician's classification);
- d) undertake preparation of relevant parts in advance of the first rehearsal;
- e) rehearse and perform relevant parts as required;
- f) mark parts and convey all relevant information consistent with section leader's instructions, in a concise and timely manner;
- g) maintain a fully professional appearance and behaviour whilst on duty;
- h) participate in the relevant musical responsibilities of the section;
- i) follow the directions of the Section Leader in all matters relating to style, ensemble, intonation, articulation and bowing (as relevant), and seating;
- j) participate on auditions panels, trial assessment meetings, consultative, orchestral and artistic meetings as required;
- k) not unreasonably refuse to be available for meetings with management and colleagues to discuss job-related issues;
- l) undertake promotional activities consistent with the player's capacity as a professional musician and as agreed.

Additional information about the Musicians Agreement can be obtained by contacting the Chief Operating Officer, Shivani Marx via email: marxs@aso.com.au or telephone +61 8 8233 6247.

ABOUT THE ORCHESTRA:

With a reputation for vitality and versatility, the much-loved Adelaide Symphony Orchestra is South Australia's largest performing arts organisation, with 75 full-time musicians. Established in 1936, the ASO has been there to corroborate life and contribute to South Australia's identity for over 80 years. Today the ASO plays a major role in Adelaide's cultural and economic vibrancy, and enriches the community through a diverse program of world-class performances to more than 100,000 concertgoers each season.

In the spirit of innovation, the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra frequently showcases new music and Australian premieres. The ASO has embarked on numerous international tours and plays a role in the Adelaide Festival of Arts, Adelaide Cabaret Festival, OzAsia Festival, WOMADelaide, State Opera of South Australia and The Australian Ballet. The season generally starts at the end of January and concludes mid- December. During the Christmas/New Year period, between seasons, the Orchestra members are on annual leave.

The ASO acknowledges that we work and make music on the traditional lands of the Kurna people of the Adelaide Plains. We pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging. We extend this respect to all Traditional Owners of the lands where we tour and perform.



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To learn more about the ASO visit us at www.aso.com.au or Instagram @the_aso

ABOUT ADELAIDE:

Consistently ranked in the top three most liveable cities in the world, Adelaide, South Australia is a cosmopolitan city that offers an incredible quality of life. With its coastal location and proximity to world-class beaches, state parks, wildlife, celebrated wine regions and culinary delights, this city has much to offer for a relaxed and well-balanced lifestyle.

In 2015, Adelaide was bestowed the designation as the first, and only, UNESCO City of Music in Australia. The designation is an acknowledgment of the breadth, depth and vibrancy of the city's music culture, its international reach, its history and its aspirations.

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To learn more about Adelaide's culture, vibrant city life and heritage please visit:

<https://www.cityofadelaide.com.au/>

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