

# Symphony S.O.N.G

## Audition Announcement

Symphony S.O.N.G (Symphony Orchestra for the Next Generation), led by conductor Shinik Hahm, is recruiting new members for 2025 as follows. We welcome your enthusiastic interest and participation.

### About Symphony S.O.N.G

Symphony S.O.N.G is a 21st-century orchestra comprised of conductor Shinik Hahm and musicians possessing pure passion, high dignity, and exceptional skill. Since its founding in 2014, the orchestra has advocated for the next generation. Through its Masters Series performances at the Seoul Arts Center and Lotte Concert Hall, Symphony S.O.N.G has been recognized as a herald of authentic classical music, showcasing superb performance quality and collaborations with outstanding musicians. As an orchestra dedicated to future generations, Symphony S.O.N.G provides growth opportunities for young musicians. We eagerly await applications from those with a passion for classical music and excellent performance skills.

### Recruitment Divisions

String Section	
Violin	Concertmaster / Associate Concertmaster / Principal / Associate Principal / Member
Viola	Principal / Associate Principal / Member
Violoncello	Principal / Associate Principal / Member
Contrabass	Principal / Associate Principal / Member
Wind Section	
Flute	Principal / Associate Principal / Member
Oboe	Principal
Horn	Principal
Bassoon	Associate Principal

## Audition Schedule

Phase	Schedule	Details
Application Submission (1st Round)	July 15 (Tue) – August 4 (Mon), 2025, until 23:59	Document and performance video evaluation
1st Round Result Announcement	August 6 (Wed), 2025	Announcement on the website
2nd Round Practical Audition	September 4 (Thr) – September 5 (Fri), 2025	To be announced
Final Result Announcement	September 10 (Wed), 2025	Announcement on the website

## Detailed Schedule

### 1st Round (Document and Video Evaluation)

- Date & Time: July 15 (Tue) - August 4 (Mon), 2025, until 23:59
- Method: Film a video of a solo piece from the provided audition repertoire and submit it via email along with other required documents
- Result Announcement: August 6 (Wed), 2025, notification via the website

### 2nd Round (Practical Audition)

- Date & Time: September 3 (Wed) - September 5 (Fri), 2025
- Location: To be announced
- Content: Audition will be conducted with the provided audition repertoire pieces
- Result Announcement: September 10 (Wed), 2025, notification via the website

## Eligibility

- Applicants must hold a bachelor's degree or higher in music-related fields from a four-year university
- Applicants with experience in domestic or international orchestras are preferred

## Contract Terms

### Basic Contract Terms

- Contract Type: Eligible for "4대 보험" (Four Major Public Insurances) contract
- Salary: Guaranteed top-tier compensation in Korea

#### Main Activities

- Mandatory participation in Masters Series (regular concerts) (approximately 10 performances, at Lotte Concert Hall and Seoul Arts Center)
- Mandatory participation in numerous external performance activities and active chamber music performances

#### Required Documents

- Musician Profile(Available for download at the bottom of the "Symphony S.O.N.G Website → News → Member Recruitment" page)
- Performance Video File(Filmed with a solo piece from the attached audition repertoire and submitted)

#### Application Method

- Method: Email submission
- Email: [concert@symphonysong.com](mailto:concert@symphonysong.com)
- Email Subject: [2025 Audition Application] Instrument \_ Name (e.g., [2025 Audition Application] Violin \_ Gildong Hong)

#### Audition Repertoire

Please check the audition repertoire list (Attached at the bottom of the "Symphony S.O.N.G Website → News → Member Recruitment" page)

- 1st Round: Solo piece from the list
- 2nd Round: All pieces on the list

#### Other Benefits

- Opportunity to perform with top-tier musicians from Korea and abroad
- Regular performances at premier venues such as Lotte Concert Hall and Seoul Arts Center

- Opportunities to participate in chamber music performances and special projects
- Support for members' skill enhancement and personal growth through professional coaching at least once a year
- Opportunity to gain performance experience with a diverse repertoire

### Important Notes

#### Regarding Documents

- Submitted documents will not be returned
- If any false information is discovered, admission may be revoked
- The audition schedule may be subject to change depending on the organization's circumstances (applicants will be notified of any changes).

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