

Ensemble Audition Materials
Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, and Eb Clarinet
Fall 2020

Sunday, August 16, 2020 1:00-3:00pm Recital Hall

All music majors are required to audition each semester for ensemble placements. Ensembles participation are open to students university-wide, regardless of major. All clarinet majors will participate in clarinet ensembles. Listen to recordings to get a sense of tempo. When in doubt, play it slower, but <u>cleanly and accurately.</u>

- 1. Audition will be behind a screen.
- 2. You will be asked to play two major scales (minimum two octaves) and full-range chromatic scale (low E to as high as you can comfortably go) ascending and descending.
- 3. Selections from the enclosed materials. If you do not know these pieces, now is a great time to enjoy the entire work, rather than skipping to the excerpt spots. This give the excerpts context.
- 4. Sight-reading.

Note: These pieces do not represent set repertoire for AWE or ASO. We are in a situation where ensemble directors will need to evaluate their repertoire choices as needed. Please contact Dr. Soo Goh (gohsk@appstate.edu) with any questions.

Auxiliary instruments:

Eb and bass clarinet – except for freshman majors, students are encouraged to audition for the Eb and bass clarinet parts. Students who wish to play the Eb and/or bass clarinet must audition on the instrument. The Hayes School of Music has a limited number of professional level Eb and bass clarinets that may be loaned to students at the discretion of the faculty.

Bb clarinet (AWE & ASO)

Georges Bizet - From Carmen Suite No. 1



Bb clarinet (AWE & ASO)

<u>Percy Grainer – IV. The Brisk Young Sailor from Lincolnshire Posy</u>



Bb clarinet (AWE & ASO)

Felix Mendelssohn – Scherzo from A Midsummer Nights Dream



Bb clarinet

(ASO Only)

Bedřich Smetana – The Moldau from Má Vlast

Bedrich Smetana Má Vlast No. 2: The Moldau (Vltava)



Bass Clarinet (AWE & ASO)

Percy Grainer – I. Dublin Bay from Lincolnshire Posy



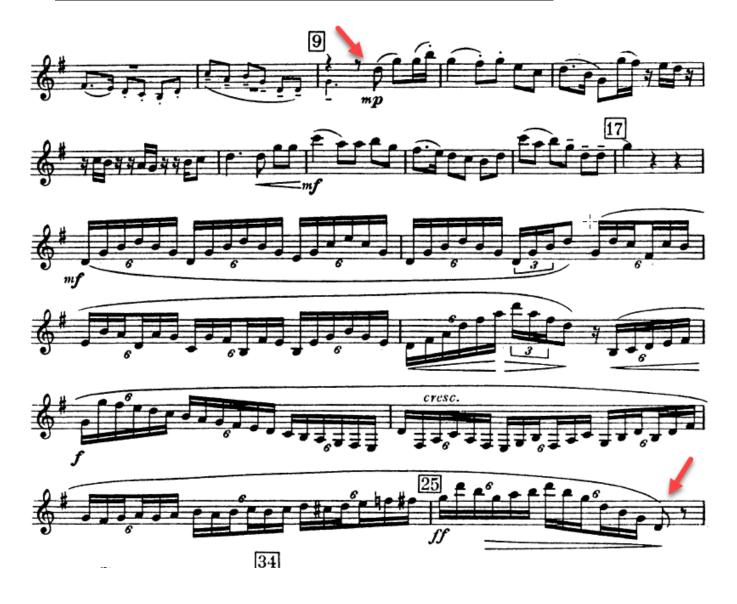
Bass Clarinet (AWE & ASO)

Ferde Grofé – III. On the Trail from *Grand Canyon Suite*



Eb clarinet (AWE & ASO)

<u>Percy Grainer – IV. The Brisk Young Sailor from Lincolnshire Posy</u>



Eb clarinet (ASO) <u>Maurice Ravel – *Boléro*</u>

