



Maestro Delta David Gier announces auditions for

PRINCIPAL PERCUSSION

Wednesday, September 8, 2021

Sioux Falls, South Dakota

Compensation: This is a per-service position.

Musician per service rates for 2021-2022 are:

Principal: \$92.00

Associate: \$80.73

Section: \$75.11

Additional payment provided for mileage (\$0.33/mile, up to 600 total miles round-trip), hotel, and per diem as stated in musician contract.

Season: September – May, needed as determined by repertoire

Applicants are invited to email a one-page resume to peter.tuff@sdsymphony.org and mail a \$50 deposit check payable to 'SDSO' (which will be returned at the audition) by August 20, 2021 to:

Peter Tuff, Artistic Operations Director
South Dakota Symphony Orchestra
301 S. Main Ave.
Sioux Falls, SD 57104

Questions: 605.335.7933 x12 or peter.tuff@sdsymphony.org

The South Dakota Symphony Orchestra (SDSO) is a dynamic regional orchestra of 86 professional musicians that performs in the 1800-seat, acoustically superb Washington Pavilion in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. The orchestra's season consists of 6 classical concerts, 4 pops concerts, education concerts, special programs (Lakota Music Project and Bridging Cultures), and regional tours. The SDSO enjoys a growing and diverse audience. Recent and upcoming guest artists include John Corigliano, Emmanuel Ax, David Kim, Zhou Long and John Luther Adams. Concerts are broadcast on South Dakota Public Radio.

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Audition Requirements

Solo of player's choice

Orchestral Excerpts:

Cymbals

Composer	Title	Excerpt
1. Tchaikovsky	Romeo and Juliet	
2. Tchaikovsky	Symphony No. 4	

Bass Drum

Composer	Title	Excerpt
1. Stravinsky	Rite of Spring	
2. Tchaikovsky	Symphony No. 4	

Triangle

Composer	Title	Excerpt
1. Brahms	Symphony No. 4	
2. Rimsky-Korsakov	Scheherazade	

Tambourine

Composer	Title	Excerpt
1. Dvorak	Carnival Overture	
2. Rimsky-Korsakov	Scheherazade	

Snare Drum

Composer	Title	Excerpt
1. Bartok	Concerto for Orchestra	
2. Prokofiev	Lieutenant Kijé	
3. Prokofiev	Peter and the Wolf	
4. Ravel	Boléro	
5. Rimsky-Korsakov	Capriccio Espagnol	
6. Rimsky-Korsakov	Scheherazade	
7. Sousa	Stars and Stripes	

Glockenspiel

Composer	Title	Excerpt
1. Debussy	La Mer	
2. Dukas	Sorcerer's Apprentice	
3. Kodaly	Hary Janos	
4. Stravinsky	Petrushka	

Xylophone

Composer	Title	Excerpt
Copland	Appalachian Spring	
Gershwin	Porgy and Bess	

Sight reading

Copies of excerpts available upon request.

Sight Reading may be requested.

SDSO Official Pitch = A440