



WEST MICHIGAN SYMPHONY
SCOTT SPECK | MUSIC DIRECTOR

Oboe II Position

Preliminary Auditions

Monday, May 9, 2022 – Michigan State University College of Music

Thursday, May 12, 2022 – Frauenthal Center, Muskegon, MI

Self-recorded video audition – Due to WMS offices by Friday, May 6, 2022

To request a prelim appointment or obtain preliminary video requirements please contact
Orchestra VP for Operations/Personnel Manager:

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Finals

June 9, 2022 @Frauenthal Center, Muskegon

Audition Requirements

Solo:

Mozart Oboe Concerto in C, Mvt. 1, exposition

Oboe I excerpts:

Brahms: Violin Concerto, Mvt. 2, mm.1-32

Debussy: La Mer, Mvt. 3, rehearsal [54] - 9 measures after [55]

Mahler: Symphony 3, Mvt. 2, opening solo

Ravel: Tombeau de Couperin, Mvt. 1 (Prelude), opening solo ; Mvt. 2 (Forlane), rehearsal [6]-[8]

Rossini: La Scala di Seta, fast solo

Stravinsky: Pulcinella Suite, Mvt. 2 (Serenata) opening solo, rehearsal [8]-[10] ; Mvt.4 Gavotta, Theme and Variation 1a

Oboe 2 excerpts: (some may be asked to play with Principal Oboe in

Brahms: Haydn Variations, Theme

Brahms: Symphony 2, Mvt. 2, mm. 17-26

Dvorak: Symphony no.7, Mvt. 2, Beginning to rehearsal [8]

Prokofiev: Classical Symphony, Mvt. 2 complete; Mvt. 3 rehearsal B-D

Mendelssohn: Symphony No. 3 in A minor, Op. 56: Scottish, Movement II: Measure 32 through m. 100

English Horn excerpts (optional):

Wagner: Tristan und Isolde, Solo

Dvorak: New World Symphony, II

Berlioz: Roman Carnival

Shostakovich: Symphony No. 8