

The Prague Symphony Orchestra

is holding auditions for FIRST VIOLIN SECTION

start date by agreement (full-time)



Auditions will take place on **December 15, 2025**, starting at 10 a.m. at the following address: Municipal House, nám. Republiky 5, Prague 1 (Sladkovského sál)

The competition will take place in two phases

PHASE 1 (anonymous)

A) **W. A. Mozart:** one of the following concertos: No. 3 in G major, K. 216; No. 4 in D major, K. 218; No. 5 in A major, K. 219

1st movement with cadenza (with piano accompaniment)

B) EXCERPTS FROM ORCHESTRAL PARTS

1. A. Dvořák: Carnival

2. W. A. Mozart: Overture to the opera Don Giovanni

3. B. Smetana: From Bohemia's Woods and Fields (My Country)

4. N. Rimskij-Korsakov: Scheherazade

ROUND 2 (public)

A) ONE OF THE FOLLOWING VIOLIN CONCERTOS:

Brahms, Tchaikovsky, Dvořák, Paganini, Prokofiev, Sibelius, Beethoven, Shostakovich, Mendelssohn (E minor), Bruch (G minor)

1st movement with cadenza OR 2nd and 3rd movements (with piano accompaniment)

B) EXCERPTS FROM ORCHESTRAL PARTS:

1. B. Smetana: Overture to the opera The Bartered Bride

2. W. A. Mozart: Symphony No. 38 in D major, K. 504, "Prague"

3. L. Janáček: Sinfonietta

4. A. Dvořák: Symphony No. 8 in G major, Op. 88

5. A. Dvořák: Symphony No. 9 in E minor, Op. 95

6. A. Dvořák: Slavonic Dances

7. R. Strauss: Don Juan

8. B. Smetana: Šárka (My Country)

Please send your application with a brief CV and contact details by **October 31, 2025** to the following email address: m.buchalova@fok.cz or to the following postal address: Prague Symphony Orchestra FOK, Municipal House, nám. Republiky 5, 110 00 Prague 1

CONTACT PERSON: Marie Buchalová – orchestra producer (tel: 777 362 924)

In Prague, August 27, 2025

Orchestral and solo parts will be sent to all registered participants in electronic form or will be available at the FOK orchestra office. Piano accompaniment provided.


Ing. Daniel Sobotka
Director