

CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY
ALL UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRA

Symphony Audition Requirements
Spring 2025

Viola

**An Audition does not guarantee a placement in the AUO Symphony*

Deadline: Saturday, December 21, 2024 – 11:59 p.m.

Step 1: Title of Video should include: *Name_Instrument*

- Example: John Smith_Viola

Step 2: Video Logistics

- 2 Scales: ascending & descending (2 octave minimum, 3 octaves preferred)
 - 1 major scale of your choice
 - 1 minor scale of your choice
 - Eighth-note = 80
- Audition Excerpts in Order (skip measures of rests)
- Video Forms
 - YouTube, Vimeo
 - Make sure links are unlisted or public

Step 3: Email Link (make sure it is either unlisted or public)

- Subject Heading: *Name_Instrument*
- Send to: cmuauo@gmail.com

Step 4: Sign-up for the AUO Discord Message Board and follow the prompts

- [AUO Discord Channel](#)

*We encourage you to simply try your best, there is no need for perfection.
Listen to recordings to help you prepare!*

#1: Beethoven: Symphony Nr. 5 – Movement II – m. 1 to 10 (Eighth-note = 92)

Andante con moto ♩ : 92

p dolce

8

p *f* *p*

#2: Beethoven: Symphony Nr. 5 – Movement II – m. 98 to 106 (Eighth-note = 92)

p dolce

100

104

pp

#3: Beethoven: Symphony Nr. 5 – Movement IV – [D] to end of Excerpt

Allegro – (Half-note = 84)

p u f

501

ff *s*

508

512

f *f* *sempre ff*

519

[D] [E]