INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE AUDITION PROCEDURES

The auditions are un-screened. You will play for a panel of ensemble conductors and studio faculty members. All String and Wind auditions are held on the Katzin Concert Hall stage. Percussion auditions are held in Gammage Room 311. Please make note of the location on the audition schedule, posted on this same website.

NOTE: You should enter Katzin from the backstage door!

Prior to coming to your audition you must fill out the online audition form to schedule an audition. The audition Sign-up link is available on the School of Music website, Ensemble page at: http://music.asu.edu/instrumental/

Audition times are first-come first-served. Should your preferred audition time be selected by another individual, you will be assigned the next available time. Additionally, you must be logged into your MyASU account (and NOT logged into any other Gmail account) in order to successfully submit your audition request.

Audition Instructions
1. DO NOT WARM UP IN THE HALLWAYS. Use the Green Room or an available classroom or practice room as warm up area for Katzin.
2. If you have not already done so, fill out the online audition form. You will not be allowed to audition until you have filled out the online form. (See above for the URL)
3. Be ready at your audition time.
4. Before entering the audition room, make certain that you have your music and all equipment needed to play the audition.

Audition Results and First Meetings
Upon completion of all auditions the faculty will confer and make ensemble and project assignments for the Fall 2015 term. Audition results will be posted on the MUP 442/542 Blackboard site both under the general tab “Audition Information” as well as the specific assignments listed in each of the respective “Orchestras,” “Wind Orchestra,” and “Wind Ensemble” tabs. Please check this site on Thursday, August 27, but no later than Friday, August 28.

All members of the Wind Ensemble will meet with the conductors on Thursday, August 27 at 1:00 PM in Gammage room 311 for a mandatory organizational meeting. All members of Orchestras and the Wind Orchestra will meet with the conductors on Friday, August 28 in room G311 of Gammage Auditorium for a mandatory organizational meeting at 1:00 PM. Pizza will be served both days, beginning at 12:45 PM.

First rehearsals
Wind Ensemble rehearsals begin on Tuesday, September 1, starting @ 1:00 PM in Gammage 311.
Orchestra rehearsals begin on Wednesday, September 2, starting @ 1:00 PM, Gammage 311.
Wind Orchestra rehearsals begin on Wednesday, September 2, starting @ 1:00 PM, Gammage 301.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Specific rehearsal details, dates/times, and rehearsal room information will be available on the course Blackboard site after Friday, August 28. These times/dates will be listed under the tabs “Orchestra”, “Wind Orchestra”, or “Wind Ensemble”.