



Master's Programme in Music, Classical Western Tradition Chamber Music/Soloist profile

Vocal

Test LS 21.1 (Huvudämne klassisk musik)

Test description

You shall perform and record videos of a program with the duration of approximately 20 minutes, which you will be performing without sheet music. For the program you may choose pieces from the classical repertoire (for example, lied, romance, opera, operetta or church music). You shall also perform and record the compulsory piece, R. Schumann: In der Fremde, opus 39, from Liederkreis (lyrics: Joseph von Eichendorff). The music must be performed with an accompanist provided by the applicant.

In the test, also include a short presentation of yourself where you also talk about your ideas for the master's thesis, maximum 3 minutes.

Duration of the test: 20-25 minutes including the compulsory piece + presentation (3 minutes)

Instructions and criteria for making video auditions

Please use the following instructions when making your video auditions:

- A link for uploading files will be sent to the email address you used when submitting your application on universityadmissions.se. Deadline for uploading files is **February 25, 2022**.
- Please read the test description thoroughly to make sure exactly how many pieces/songs/presentations etc. you should upload.
- Please start your video by showing your ID and a close-up of your face. Continue by stating what piece you will be performing and for which test / programme. Your face and hands should be visible throughout the whole performance.
- Please perform only one piece per video clip. No post-production or editing is allowed.
- Make sure the audio sounds good. You are allowed to use the sound from a room microphone or the microphone from your phone. The sound should be without distortion or white noise, and not too much room acoustics.
- Make sure the focus and lighting of your camera is good.
- If you don't have access to a pianist, you're allowed to play your pieces as a solo performance.
- The recordings are to be uploaded to KMH. You are allowed to use the following file formats: MP4 or MOV.

If these criteria are not met or if the jury finds your video audition modified, you might fail the test.