



Master's Programme in Music, Classical Western Tradition Orchestral profile - Percussion

Test LS 21.1 (Huvudämne klassisk musik)

Test description: You shall perform and record videos of the following pieces:

A solo of your choice (duration: maximum 7 minutes) on the instruments you choose. Apart from that, you play a compulsory piece and excerpts (see below) on small drum, kettle- drum, tambourine and melodic percussion instruments.

The test includes the following compulsory pieces:

Small drum: Delecluse, Etude No 1 from Twelve Etudes for the Snare Drum.

The test includes excerpts from the following pieces:

Melodic:

Shostakovich: The Bolt

Mozart: Die Zauberflöte

Small drum:

Rossini: from the Overture to La Gazza Ladra

Prokofiev: from Peter and the Wolf

Kettle-drums:

Beethoven: from Symphony No 9

Hindemith: Symphony Metamorphoses

Sibelius: Violinkonsert.

Tambourine:

Tjajkovskij: The Nut-cracker suite

Sheet music for the excerpts can be found here:

[Orchestral excerpts percussion](#) 

The master program includes an independent artistic project. In the test, also include a video where you present a preliminary project idea (ca 3 minutes).

Relevant accompaniment needs to be provided by the applicant.

Duration of the test: 20-30 minutes (including project idea).

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 **January 25, 2023**.
- 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.
- 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.