

IRISH ASSOCIATION OF YOUTH ORCHESTRAS

26th Festival of Youth Orchestras

Saturday, 13 February 2021
National Concert Hall, Dublin

Application

Name of IAYO Member Orchestra:

(please note: offers are made for a specific orchestra only. Changing the format or size of an orchestra substantially can only be accommodated with approval from the IAYO Director.)

Name of Conductor for the Festival:

Number of Players to take part in the Festival (should not exceed 100 unless otherwise agreed with the IAYO office):

Contact details

The IAYO Festival team will liaise with one person in relation to your orchestra's application for the Festival of Youth Orchestras.

Name of the Festival liaison person:

Address:

Tel Number:

Mobile Number:

Fax Number:

Email:

Orchestra Profile

The Festival of Youth Orchestras is a celebration of the diversity of youth orchestras in Ireland. IAYO aims to present a wide variety of orchestras at the Festival each year and a number of criteria are considered before a place can be offered.

Please give three examples of recent works your orchestra has played

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

Proposed repertoire for the Festival (include arrangers if applicable)

1 _____

2 _____

3 _____

Orchestra balance – please fill in number of players in each section

1st Violin: _____ 2nd Violin: _____ Viola: _____ Cello: _____ Bass:

Flute: _____ Oboe: _____ Clarinet: _____ Bassoon:

Trumpet: _____ French Horns: _____ Trombone: _____ Tuba:

Percussion: _____ Harp: _____ Piano:

Which statement best describes your orchestra?

- A new orchestra, this would be our first appearance at the Festival
- A School of Music Orchestra
- A Community or County Orchestra
- A Primary School Orchestra
- A Secondary School Orchestra
- A Third Level Institution Orchestra
- Other, please give details _____

The average age of players in the orchestra is

- Under 14 years
- 14-16 years
- 16-18 years
- over 18

Which of the following statements best describes your works

- All arrangements
- A mix of arrangements and original scores
- All original scores

Please give a brief description of your artistic profile:

For example sinfonietta, concert orchestra, wind or percussion ensemble, symphony orchestra, etc. Include details of the orchestras performances, exams, competitions etc.

Would you like to, or do you intend to collaborate with another orchestra at the Festival?

- No
- Yes, please give the name of partner orchestra _____

Which performance would you like to take part in?

- 3pm 8pm No Preference

Confirmation of Festival Application

_____ (*insert name of orchestra*) would like to participate in the 26th Festival of Youth Orchestras in the National Concert Hall on Saturday, 13 February 2021.

Signature _____ Date _____

Applications may be submitted by email.
Please submit a recording of the orchestra / ensemble in rehearsal or performance. Links to online services such as Youtube or Vimeo are preferred. (We are not looking for professional recordings: we just like to have an idea of the standard and composition of the orchestra.)
Please keep a copy of this application for reference and return the original to:
IAYO Ltd, Civic Trust House, 50 Pope's Quay, Cork.

The participation fee of €250 becomes **due on acceptance** of your place offer in the festival.

Closing date for applications is Tuesday, 31 March 2020