



KUG Jazz Institute Entrance Auditions 2020

Due to the extraordinary situation presented by the Corona pandemic, our entrance auditions will NOT take place live in Graz this year. All applicants are kindly requested to submit a video recording which contains four jazz songs plus a classical etude or transcription. In addition, a motivation letter and CV should be included in the application.

Video recording – Artistic Requirements

- 1) Traditional Jazz Standard (functional harmony)
 - 2) Blues
 - 3) Ballad
 - 4) Applicant Free Choice Piece
 - 5) Classical Etude or Jazz Transcription
- The video recording can be made with live band or playback.
 - Total length of the video recording should not exceed 20 minutes.
 - The applicant should be the primary soloist and featured performer.
 - There will be no written ear-training or theory test as part of the audition.



Technical Requirements

- Acceptable video data format: **MP4, MOV, AVI**
- Definition: **HD (1280x720), FHD (1920x1080)**
 - Maximum file size: **3,5 gb**
 - Maximum length: **20mins**
- Acceptable text format: **pdf**

**Please upload ONE Video file containing all four songs.
Please upload ONE PDF file that includes your motivation letter and CV.**

The Video can be recorded with smart phone, tablet or any other video device.

File Identification

IMPORTANT for the correct classification of your recording!

SURNAME_FIRSTNAME_INSTRUMENT.mp4
(example: MUELLER_MARIA_VOICE.mp4 or SMITH_PETER_DRUMS.mp4 etc.)

Upload

Please use the following upload link exclusively and upload your files by **June 1st**

<https://storage.luckycloud.de/u/d/bd8ec411e3f54f8f88f5/>

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