



# CALL FOR APPLICATIONS ORCHESTRA PROFESSORS

## - TUTTI VIOLIN -

Rai Radiotelevisione Italiana S.p.A. is promoting a call for applications to select no. **1 Orchestra Professor** to be hired under a permanent employment contract and Orchestra Professors to be hired under a fixed-term employment contract for future needs in the role of **Tutti Violin**. The resources will work under the Direzione Cultura ed Educational (Culture and Educational Department) - National Symphonic Orchestra, based in Turin.

### 1. ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The applicants should meet the following admission requirements:

- a) being not less than 18 years old;
- b) having obtained a Master's Degree or equivalent academic title for the instrument for which participation is taking place obtained at a State Conservatory or equal Musical Institute, or equivalent certification for qualifications obtained abroad.

The selection call is open to Italian, EU, and non-EU citizens provided that they legally reside in Italy.

The applicants should meet the aforementioned mandatory requirements upon participating in this call for tenders (see section 3).

### 2. GROUNDS FOR EXCLUSION

Admission to the call is prevented to those who:

- have been dismissed by Rai Radiotelevisione Italiana S.p.A. for just cause or subjective justified cause;
- have brought extrajudicial or judicial actions for labour disputes against Rai or other Company belonging to the Group, without prejudice to those who have ended the said actions and submitted their waiver to the competent offices before the deadline for the submission of the application form (**22 October 2024**);
- have mutually agreed with the Company on the employment termination under a severance package;
- submit an incomplete application form or incomplete documents proving the requirements defined under section 1.

### 3. ADMISSION APPLICATION

To submit the application, applicants should register on [www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it](http://www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it) and log in with their credentials by clicking on "Accedi" (Login).

Applicants who have not registered yet, can proceed to the registration by clicking on "Registriati" (Register) on the website [www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it](http://www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it). After completing the registration procedure, the system will automatically generate an account and send a message to the email address specified upon registration. To complete the procedure and activate their accounts, applicants should click on the link provided in the email sent by the system.

Once logged in, to take part in the call, applicants should select their call of interest among those listed on the Home Page of the website [www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it](http://www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it).

Therefore, they should:

- Read the call for applications and click on the button "Aderisci" (Participate) on the bottom right of the page;
- Fill in the requested forms (subject to preliminary acceptance of the Privacy policy);
- Confirm their participation by clicking on "Conferma" (Confirm);
- Check their inbox (including the Spam folder) to verify the reception of an automatically generated message from [academy.selezione@rai.it](mailto:academy.selezione@rai.it) confirming the application has been submitted correctly.

**Applicants should submit their applications no later than 12:00 pm on 22 October 2024.**

Any applications received in a format and/or through means different than those specified above (i.e., paper application, etc.), and/or after the deadline set out above, will not be reviewed.

In the event of significant and extended unavailability of the computer system during the period allowed to submit applications, Rai will inform applicants of the decisions taken regarding the application procedure by means of a notice published on the website.

The "FAQ" section provides instructions on how to submit your application correctly.

Anyone who has entered their CV on the website [www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it](http://www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it), if interested, must confirm their participation by filling out the dedicated on-line form available on the same website.

All parts of the on-line admission application must be completed and included as attachments:

- **updated curriculum** with picture (.pdf format);
- **copy of Master's Degree** or equivalent academic qualification or a **certificate** issued by the Conservatory or equal Institute, reporting the score obtained in the final exam of the diploma course (.pdf format);
- applicants who have obtained a qualification abroad should attach a "**certificate of equivalence of qualification**" issued by the competent Italian diplomatic authorities in the country where the degree was issued. Alternatively, they might attach a "**Diploma Supplement**" (using the form provided by the European Commission) or **the certificates issued by ENIC-NARIC centres**, containing all the information reported in the certificate of equivalence of qualification (.pdf format);
- applicants who are citizens of a country not belonging to the European Union, should attach a copy of a valid residence permit enabling them to work, and documents proving they have adequate accommodation (.pdf format);

Rai will evaluate any foreign qualification according to the academic nature of the foreign institution that issued the title, the duration of the study programme, and the subjects reported in the academic curriculum. The evaluation will follow the parameters in use by the Universities when carrying out the equivalence assessment, as noted on the website of the Italian Ministry of Education, University and Research.

The applicants who fail to provide even one of the documents required in the admission application will not be admitted.

Auditions carried out by applicants providing untrue or inaccurate information in their application form will be considered void.

Failure to meet even one of the participation requirements or to submit documents proving the requirements above, subject to verification during the selection period or upon hire, will result in the applicant being excluded from the selection procedure, if in progress, or from the final ranking. Given the conditions mentioned above, Rai may, at any time, order the exclusion from the rankings.

#### 4. EXAMINATION BOARD

Applicants will be evaluated by an Examination Board consisting of five Members appointed by Rai.

#### 5. ADMISSION TO AUDITIONS AND CONVOCATION

Applicants can verify their admission to the test by checking the convocation schedule published on the website [www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it](http://www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it); the schedule will be followed by communication sent via mail specifying the convocation date and time (section 8).

This publication shall constitute notification for all legal purposes.

Failure to be present on the convocation date will be regarded as the applicant's withdrawal from the selection procedure.

## 6. AUDITIONS

Candidates admitted to the selection procedure will take an individual examination, assessed by the Examination Board.

The examination will be divided into:

- 1st anonymous elimination round;
- 2nd round;
- 3rd round and individual interview.

The first two rounds will be regarded as Auditions and will constitute a pre-selection qualification for access to the 3rd round.

### 1st elimination round (anonymous)

Only the applicants who obtain a score equal to or higher than **60/100** will be admitted to the 2nd round.

### 2nd round

The outcome of the 2nd round will result in establishing the Ranking B; this ranking will be used to identify applicants eligible to be hired under a **fixed-term contract**, as selected among those who have obtained a score equal to or higher than 60/100.

Only applicants with a score equal to or higher than **70/100** in the 2nd round will be admitted to take part in the 3rd round.

### 3rd final round

Applicants who obtain a score equal to or higher than **80/100** in the 3rd round will be short-listed and included in the ranking of the applicants eligible to be hired under a **permanent employment contract**.

The applicants short-listed for the 3rd round will also have an individual interview with an HR expert on the same day of the audition.

The score obtained in each round cannot be used in assessing the following round.

All rounds will take place in Turin between **2 and 7 December 2024**.

Rai reserves the right to change the time frame of the selection procedure.

All applicants must:

- show a valid identity document on the day of the audition;
- obtain the music material for the examination programme, available for download on the website [www.osn.rai.it](http://www.osn.rai.it) .

Applicants not wishing to be accompanied by the pianist provided by Rai will be entitled to be accompanied by a pianist chosen by them and at their own expense.

The Board can request the applicants to perform all or part of the examination programme; it can also ask the applicants to repeat the performance more than once. Performances might be recorded. The Examination Board can use these recordings to take a final decision.

Applicants are not entitled to the reimbursement of travel and accommodation costs.

## 7. PUBLICATION OF THE RANKINGS AND RECRUITMENT

The selection procedure will result in 2 rankings:

## **Ranking “A”**

Drafted after the 3rd round according to the score achieved.

The threshold for eligibility is equal to or higher than **80/100**.

Based on Ranking "A", Rai will hire the first eligible candidate in the ranking (**eligible candidate**) under a **permanent employment contract**, provided the candidate meets the requirements set out under section 1) and passes the pre-recruitment medical examination.

**Eligible non-winners** are candidates who, despite having obtained a score equal to or higher than the minimum eligibility threshold of 80/100, exceed the number of available positions.

Rai may draw from the list of eligible non-winners, during the period of validity, in the event of withdrawal or exclusion of eligible candidates, or in the event of unexpected needs, according to the order of scores, without prejudice to the eligibility threshold.

Candidates who do not reach the minimum eligibility threshold are **ineligible**. Applicants who are not eligible for the 3rd round will be enlisted in Ranking B.

## **Ranking “B”**

Drafted after the 2nd round according to the score.

The threshold for eligibility is equal to or higher than **60/100**.

To cater to future needs, Rai will hire the eligible applicants enlisted under Ranking B based on their score, under a **fixed-term employment contract**, provided that they meet the requirements set out under section 1) and pass the pre-recruitment medical examination.

Ranking B will include applicants divided according to the following score:

- equal to or higher than 70/100: Applicants eligible for fixed-term employment contract and admitted to the 3rd round;
- equal to or higher than 60/100 and lower than 70/100: Applicants exclusively eligible for a fixed-term employment contract.

Ranking B will be exclusively used as a recruitment pool for possible fixed-term contracts.

Applicants who achieve a score lower than 60/100 will be regarded as "ineligible".

According to the times and modes specified during the proposal, the interested party should submit their acceptance of the permanent employment contract to the Company. The recruitment proposal's express or implicit refusal will result in the applicant's exclusion from the ranking and constitute a definitive renunciation to the selection.

In the event of waivers or disqualifications, or in the event of supervening business needs, the order of score in the aforementioned rankings will be followed, in compliance with the minimum thresholds set.

The validity of the rankings is 36 months from the date of publication.

The expected place of work is Turin.

## **8. COMMUNICATIONS**

Communications will be sent via mail to the address specified by the applicants upon submitting their application. The admission to the next selection step and the scores obtained in the tests will also be published on the Home Page of the website [www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it](http://www.lavoraconnoi.rai.it). The applicants' email address will also be used for communications during the subsequent pre-recruitment phase.

## 9. FINAL PROVISIONS

Any permanent employment relationship governed by the Collective Labour Agreement for Rai Orchestra Professors is subject to a six-month probationary period under art. 2096 of the Italian Civil Code. During the said period, each party may withdraw from the contract without notice or indemnity in place of the same.

Without prejudice to the provisions of Art. 32 - Leaves of absence - of the above mentioned Collective Labour Agreement for RAI Orchestra Professors, it is prohibited to work in any capacity whatsoever - whether for remuneration or free of charge and even during holiday periods - in favour of third parties (bodies, organisations, companies, private individuals, etc.) that carry out activities of the type that RAI performs.

As provided by the current Three-Year Corruption Prevention Plan of RAI Spa, which was drawn up in implementation of Italian Law no. 190/2012, as well as by the current Management and Control Organisational Model, as drawn up pursuant to Italian Law no. 231/2001, at the time of recruitment, candidates will be required to formally declare the absence of conflict of interest and incompatibility situations, including potential ones, as well as the absence of criminal convictions in the offences subject to the above mentioned regulations.

Rome,

# AUDITIONS PROGRAMME

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### **W. A. Mozart:**

Performance of the first movement of a concerto for violin and orchestra with a cadence of the candidate's choice from the following:

- KV 216 in G major
- KV 218 in D major
- KV 219 in A major

### **Performance of the first movement of a concerto for violin and orchestra with a cadence of the candidate's choice from the following:**

- L. van Beethoven: Concerto in D major, Op. 61
- F. Mendelssohn-Bartholdy: Concerto in E minor, Op. 64
- J. Brahms: Concerto in D major, Op. 77
- P.I. Čajkovskij: Concerto in D major Op. 35
- J. Sibelius: Concerto in D minor, Op. 47

### **Orchestral Excerpts** (as per downloadable excerpts on-line)

#### **Excerpts for Violin I**

- L. van Beethoven: Symphony no. 9 in D minor, Op. 125. Adagio molto and cantabile from the beginning to bar 18, from bar 43 to bar 58, from bar 99 to bar 114.
- J. Brahms: Symphony no. 3 in F major, Op. 90: 90: first movement to bar 23
- A. Bruckner: Symphony no. 9 in D minor: Adagio: Langsam; feierlich from bar 77 to bar 91
- G. Mahler: Symphony No. 5 fourth movement Adagietto
- G. Mahler: Symphony no. 9 fourth movement Adagio to bar 34, Symphony no. 5 first movement from no. 7 to 8 bars before no. 11
- F. Mendelssohn-Bartholdy: Midsummer Night's Dream Scherzo: until 7 bars after D
- W. A. Mozart: Symphony no. 39 in E-flat major KV 543: Fourth movement until bar no. 104
- S. Prokof'ev: Symphony no. 1 in D major, Op. 25 "Classica", first movement to five bars after no.2, from one bar before no.6 to the fourth bar of no.8, second movement until four bars after no.31
- R. Schumann: Symphony no. 2 in C major, Op. 61 Scherzo, to bar 97
- R. Strauss: Don Juan op. 20 first page
- R. Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel from 7 bars before no. 28 to 5 bars after no. 31
- G. Verdi: I Vespri Siciliani Sinfonia from Prestissimo, letter M until the end

#### **Excerpts for Violin II**

- W. A. Mozart: Così fan tutte KV 588 Act II Finale
- F. Schubert: Symphony no. 4 "Tragica" fourth movement from bar 63 to bar 113

### **Sight-reading of pieces selected by the Examination Board**