Concert Band Auditions: 2018–2019
CSUN Wind Ensemble & CSUN Wind Symphony

SAXOPHONE (all auditions should be performed on alto sax)

Audition Repertory:
For each excerpt start at each arrow. Stop at the double-slash.

1. J.P. Sousa, The Quilting Party
2. David Whitwell, Jubiläum!
3. Alfred Reed, Armenian Dances I
4. J.S. Bach/Holst, Bach's Fugue a la Gigue
5. Leonard Bernstein/Grundman, Slava!

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Note well:
• Bring your own copy of the music to your audition!
• Perform the excerpts in order.
• Skip over multi-measure rests.
• It is critically important to familiarize yourself with the band works from which the excerpts are taken. Listen to multiple recordings of the works to help understand style, context, and tempo possibilities. Use YouTube, Spotify, iTunes, etc. as valuable resources for recordings.
• Prepare each excerpt to the best of your ability.

Friendly Reminders & Good Advice:
• Note well your audition time and the room location.
• Warm-up prior to your audition.
• Arrive to your audition at least 5 minutes early. You will need to complete an audition form prior to your audition. So bring a pen or pencil.
• Have your instrument out of its case prior to your audition time.
• Dress appropriately for an audition. Wear what you would for a job interview.
• If you have a conflict with your audition times, then try to resolve the conflict in earnest on your own. But if you cannot, then contact Dr. Stoffel (in-person is always better than E-mail) without delay!
THE QUILTING PARTY MARCH
(1889)

JOHN PHILIP SOUSA

Eb Alto Saxophone
(optional)

March Tempo.

TRIO.

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As played by “The President’s Own” United States Marine Band
Armenian Dances
(Part I)

1st E♭ Alto Saxophone

Broadly, and sustained

Alfred Reed (1972)

hold back slightly a tempo, broadly

cresc. ff sost.

Con moto

poco a poco dim.

Eng. Hn.

L'istesso tempo

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BACH'S FUGUE À LA GIGUE

1st Eb Alto Saxophone

Un poco vivace

mf stacc. e leggiero

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SLAVA!
A Concert Overture

LEONARD BERNSTEIN
Transcribed for Symphonic Band by CLARE GRUNDMAN

1st Eb Alto Saxophone
(= Soprano Saxophone)

Fast and flamboyant (d = 144)

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