Furman String Auditions 2019 - Viola

Placement auditions for students who have NOT previously auditioned or who are re-auditioning:
    Monday, August 26 at 4:00-5:00 p.m. (DMB-117)

Seating auditions for all members of the Furman Symphony Orchestra:
    Tuesday, August 27 from 3:00-6:30 p.m. (DMB-13)

The Furman Symphony Orchestra rehearses on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 4:00-6:00 p.m., plus additional dress rehearsals and concerts as posted on the FSO yearly calendar of events. Each student must register for MUS 060.

Each player will prepare:

1. A short 1 to 1 1/2-minute excerpt of a prepared solo of the player’s choice
2. Excerpts (see below) from:
   b. Gabriel Fauré – Pelleas and Melisande

Students are strongly encouraged to listen to recordings of these works.

The auditions will be heard by members of the string faculty.

Seating will be assigned for each concert cycle. Criteria for string seating and the selection of principal players includes:

- Evaluation of the audition
- Previous experience and performance in the FSO
- Record of attendance and regularity of membership

**Viola Excerpts**

Joseph Haydn – Symphony No. 104 “London”, Movement III, m. 1-30 (quarter=144 bpm)
Joseph Haydn – Symphony No. 104 “London”, Movement IV, m. 54-82 (half=126-138 bpm)
Gabriel Fauré – *Pelleas and Melisande*, “Sicilienne”, 9 m. after “A” to “D” (dotted quarter=48-52 bpm)