

CUAMPF516 Prepare for and perform live auditions

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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version first released with CUA Creative Arts and Culture Training Package Version 5.0.

Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to plan, prepare for and perform at auditions. This includes following up with auditioning bodies after auditions and using feedback to improve future audition opportunities.

The unit applies to those who are instrumentalists and vocalists and who want to plan and prepare for live auditions so that they can showcase their performance skills to prospective employers.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.

Unit Sector

Performing arts - Music performance

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.
1. Plan audition program	1.1 Confirm audition requirements in consultation with required personnel
	1.2 Research background and business of auditioning body
	1.3 Plan program according to auditioning body's requirements
	1.4 Prepare varied program that demonstrates own strengths in performance and is aligned with technical and stylistic requirements of audition
	1.5 Confirm arrangements with accompanist or ensemble as required and plan rehearsal time
	1.6 Access information about audition venue and facilities in advance to assess warm-up possibilities

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ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
	1.7 Organise portfolio in required format to present to auditioning body
	1.8 Address copyright and performing rights requirements for music to be performed at audition
2. Prepare for audition	2.1 Purchase or hire resources necessary for audition program as required
	2.2 Check and arrange that instruments and accessories to be used in audition are in required working order
	2.3 Check tuning of instruments in advance and confirm ease of tuning both in preparation for and during audition
	2.4 Confirm dress, stagecraft presentation and equipment are suited to audition venue and context
3. Present audition	3.1 Arrive at venue on time and undertake registration procedures
	3.2 Perform warm-up routine and use relaxation techniques for overcoming performance anxiety as required
	3.3 Check that required resources are on hand and available in a manner that allows audition to proceed without undue interruption
	3.4 Perform audition program, demonstrating technical and expressive musicality of pieces
	3.5 Adjust performance intonation, musical nuance and responsiveness in line with fellow performers throughout audition as required
	3.6 Respond to instructions given during audition and cut off performance if and when instructed
	3.7 Maintain a professional and courteous manner with auditioner and fellow performers
	3.8 Answer questions and present portfolio as required
4. Follow up and evaluate audition	4.1 Confirm an expected time for hearing audition outcome at completion of audition
	4.2 Follow up with a professional request for feedback and advice where result is unsuccessful
	4.3 Evaluate own audition performance and feedback received to inform future audition preparation and performance
	4.4 Send follow up correspondence outlining appreciation of the opportunity after each successful and unsuccessful audition

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Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential to performance but not explicit in the performance criteria.

SKILL	DESCRIPTION
Learning	 Seeks feedback and informs self-development Improves performances using listening techniques
Oral communication	Uses clear industry language required for audience and environment
Reading	Interprets textual information from sources and identifies compliance with policy and procedures
Writing	Prepares correspondence using required format and vocabulary
Planning and organising	Plans, organises and completes tasks required in the audition process
Self-management	 Follows protocols and procedures in preparing and presenting work Recognises and implements legislative requirements Uses accepted communication practices
Teamwork	Works collaboratively with others in the creative process

Unit Mapping Information

Supersedes and is equivalent to CUAMPF506 Present live audition programs.

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guide is found on VETNet - https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=1db201d9-4006-4430-839f-382ef6b803d5

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