

# The Juilliard School • Summer Percussion Seminar • Online Application Instructions

**PROGRAM DATES:** July 18 – July 30, 2010

**SEMINAR FEES:** Will be posted online as soon as they are available.

## AUDITION DATES

NA – Audition is by recording only

## APPLICATION DEADLINES

February 22, 2010

## APPLICATION FEE

**\$50**

- *The application fee is non-refundable.*
- *Payment can be made online with a credit card in the application.*
- *Checks are also accepted, payable to The Juilliard School.*
- *All checks must be drawn on a U.S. bank.*

## ELIGIBILITY

Students **MUST** be 15 at the start of the program and be a rising high school sophomore or junior and must not have graduated from High School prior to the start of the program. Applicants to the program must have a strong working knowledge of primary orchestral instruments (i.e. timpani, snare drum, and keyboard percussion) and have an interest in pursuing post-secondary arts training.

## LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION (OPTIONAL)

If desired, applicants may submit a letter of recommendation from the primary music instructor. The letter should address the applicant's dedication, openness to corrections, clear technique, performing skills and citizenship in and out of the classroom. Letters may be submitted via the online application system (please see the "Recommendations: section of the online application). Or can be mailed directly from the teacher to The Juilliard School. Please see mailing instructions below. Please note- you are encouraged to complete and submit the online application regardless of the method or status of your letter of recommendation.

## AUDITION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants should review their recording for clarity before submitting. Audition recordings may be submitted in **one** of two ways:

Our preferred method of receiving your audition recording is online through our ArtsApp portal, at [www.ArtsApp.com/Juilliard](http://www.ArtsApp.com/Juilliard). After registering with ArtsApp, you may upload your audition recording (**Audio:** Mp3 or **Video:** .Avi, .Flv, .Mov, .Mpg, Wmv). Total portfolio size must be under 250MB, with a maximum file size of 55 MB. For technical support with your ArtsApp video submission, contact [support@artsapp.com](mailto:support@artsapp.com). The fee for submitting your audition video via ArtsApp is \$5, payable on the ArtsApp Web site.

In place of an online submission, students are welcome to mail an audio or video recording.

Please send recording to:

The Juilliard School  
Office of Admission  
Attn: Geoffrey Scott, Summer Percussion  
60 Lincoln Center Plaza  
New York, NY 10023

You will receive an email confirmation of your submission once it has been received.

Required:

- Snare drum solo or etude of your choice
- Two-mallet keyboard solo or etude of your choice
- Timpani solo or etude of your choice
- Four – mallet keyboard solo or etude of your choice.

Recordings (DVD, CD-R, iMovie, Quicktime, CD MP3 and mini-disc are acceptable. Please inquire regarding other formats) must be clearly labeled with player's name, age, and musical selections performed. **Recordings will not be returned.**

## NOTIFICATION OF ADMISSION STATUS

All applicants will receive notification of their admissions status via email no later than April 5<sup>th</sup>.

Upon review of video auditions, the faculty will select 16 percussionists for acceptance. A short waiting list is also established at this time.

## APPLICATION CHECKLIST & MAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Must be Postmarked or submitted online by February 22:

- Complete application
- \$50 application fee
- Letter of recommendation from primary music instructor
- Audition recording (via ArtsApp or separate recording)

Mailing address for audition recordings and letter of recommendation that have not already been submitted online:  
The Juilliard School  
Office of Admission – Attn: Summer Percussion  
60 Lincoln Center Plaza  
New York, NY 10023

## QUESTIONS

Please direct questions to:

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