



Hugo Lambrechts

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Concerto Festival 2021

Category C: Conductor's Category

The Concerto Festival 2021 will most likely be a pre-recorded digital concert that will be streamed via an online platform from 12 to 14 November.

Closing date for applications 6 May 2021 17h00 E-mail entries to jeanie@hugolambrechts.co.za

The successful participant will be granted the opportunity to conduct an orchestral work (not a concerto), duration 5 to 7 minutes, with the Hugo Lambrechts Symphony Orchestra at the Concerto Festival. The orchestral score and parts must be available in South Africa or in the public domain, accessible on the internet. Should the orchestral parts of the chosen work not be available in South Africa and have to be sourced from abroad, the soloist will be held liable for the cost incurred.

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- South African nationals who are not older than 25, who are conductors in training, may enter.
- The entry fee is R220 (not refundable).
- Electronic payments are to be made to the Hugo **Lambrechts Music Centre bank account**. ABSA. Branch Code 632005 Account number 390 175 671. Proof of payment must be attached to this entry form.

Application

- Digital auditions for the Concerto Festival will take place in May. No live auditions will be held.
- A pre-recorded, unedited digital video submission where the applicant is entirely visible throughout the recording is required. Should the candidate's choice of work not be approved by the adjudication panel, a selection of works will be provided to choose from.
- The video recordings need not be of a professional standard, but clarity of sound will be to the participant's advantage.
- The participant should label the electronic file with his/her name and surname.
- Adjudication criteria will include general musical skills, insight and interpretation, the ability to connect with an ensemble with enthusiasm and convey musical intentions, technical facility, presentation and podium presence, and the suitability of the chosen work in compiling a balanced concert programme. The adjudicators' decision is final and no discussion will be entered into.
- Three rehearsal times will be allocated to the successful candidate, from 11 October onwards.
- The video recording, an electronic copy of the conductor's score and a curriculum vitae (CV) must be submitted with this entry form. Send all the electronic links to jeanie@hugolambrechts.co.za by 6 May 2021 at 17h00.

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