

Classical Revolution RVA
2023-2024 Featured Composer Program
Agreement, Expectations, and Responsibilities

Agreement between Classical Revolution RVA and the 2023 featured composer.

Agreement & Services

The 2023 featured composer will perform their original musical compositions at up to two Classical Revolution RVA events in 2023:

- Birthday week event
- Featured composer recital

Services include attendance at one or two rehearsals prior to each event.

Compensation

Classical Revolution RVA will compensate the featured composer up to \$750 total for services, which include original music, rehearsals, and performances for up to two Classical Revolution RVA concerts in 2022. Compensation as follows: \$250 after the successful performance of the birthday week event, and \$500 after the successful performance of the featured composer recital.

The featured composer will be an independent 1099 contract employee and must submit an IRS W-9 form. The featured composer is responsible for the payment of all taxes.

Expectations and Responsibilities

The featured composer will work closely with Classical Revolution RVA's General Director and Artistic Director.

- Classical Revolution RVA is not commissioning new musical compositions in this agreement. The featured composer may compose and present new works at no additional cost to CRRVA.
- The featured composer shall provide at least one piece of original music for performance at the birthday week event. The featured composer shall provide two to five pieces of original music for the featured composer recital.
- Classical Revolution RVA will assemble musicians to perform the parts for each piece of original music.
 - If CRRVA is unable to find the necessary musicians, the featured composer will assist in finding the necessary musicians to cover the parts for each piece.
 - All communication with performers regarding the Featured Composer performances (birthday week event and Featured Composer recital) must be done by CRRVA staff. Inappropriate communication between the composer and performers will be considered grounds for the termination of this agreement.
- Performances by the composer will be considered as part of their stipend; no additional stipend will be issued.

- Classical Revolution RVA will facilitate, in a timely manner, 1 to 2 rehearsals prior to the events.
 - CRRVA will compensate each musician for each rehearsal they are able to attend and for the following performance.
 - The number of rehearsals and the amount of the stipend paid to each musician will be determined by CRRVA.
 - CRRVA will not organize any additional rehearsals, nor will musicians be paid for any additional rehearsals.

- The featured composer will provide the Artistic Director with all necessary parts, scores, and audio files for each piece of original music in a timely manner. The Artistic Director will send the parts, scores, and audio files to the ensemble musicians in advance of the rehearsals.

- The General Director and Artistic Director, in conjunction with the Board of Directors, may reschedule or cancel any or all events (including the birthday week event, the featured composer recital and the associated rehearsals) for any reason including inclement weather and illness. Classical Revolution RVA will not compensate the featured composer for services not provided.
 - If any event is canceled, Classical Revolution RVA will pay any agreed-upon stipends for rehearsals and performances to performers.

- The General Director and Artistic Director, in conjunction with the Board of Directors, may terminate this agreement at any time. Classical Revolution RVA will not compensate the featured composer for services not provided.

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- Classical Revolution RVA retains the right to use photos and audio/video recordings of performances of the featured composer's works at no additional cost to the organization. CRRVA will share photos and recordings with the composer and the performers.

- Classical Revolution RVA will coordinate performance times and locations, and will select the repertoire for performances. Composers may not add additional pieces to programs without approval from CRRVA.

- The composer will assist to their best ability in marketing the performances online via social media, mailing lists, etc. Classical Revolution RVA will market the performances online via social media, mailing lists, and paid boosts where possible. CRRVA will coordinate the printing and distribution of posters.

- The composer will provide all multimedia components (images, video, or other) required for the performance.

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Featured Composer

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