



DESCRIPTION

The Northern Virginia Chorale seeks 4 individuals for their Choral Apprenticeship program during the 2024-2025 season (one position per SATB section). This program is a paid internship ideally for college/university students studying to become music educators/ensemble directors or young vocal professionals seeking to gain more experience in the choral field.

Choral Apprentices will act as vocal leaders within the ensemble and perform as a quartet gaining choral performance experience. In addition, apprentices will gain directing experience leading the ensemble in sectional rehearsals, full ensemble rehearsals, and performance. Apprentices will receive feedback from the Artistic Director, as well as additional mentorship throughout the season.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Attend all Northern Virginia Chorale rehearsals and performances.
 - Time Commitment of 7pm - 9:30pm at St. Mark's Lutheran Church in Springfield, VA
 - Dress rehearsals will be the Friday before each concert. Times TBA
 - Rehearsals for the Fall run from September to the middle of December. Rehearsals for the Spring run from mid-January to the middle of May.
 - The NVC hosts three major concert cycles:
 - Holiday Concert (December 14, 2024)
 - Masterworks Concert (March 15, 2025)
 - Pops Concerts (May 17 and 18, 2025)
 - Additional performance opportunities may arise and be added at the discretion of the Artistic Director.
- Preparedness
 - Choral Apprentices are expected to be prepared with their repertoire for each rehearsal and are expected to be the musical model within their sections.
- Meeting and Communication
 - Meet as needed with the Artistic Director.
 - Prompt and professional communication.

HONORARIUM

\$1000 (paid in two installments, one at the conclusion of each half of the season).

APPLICATION

If interested, please submit a resumé with two references that can speak to your character and musical abilities by **Friday, August 16th, 2024**. Resumés and questions may be addressed to Artistic Director, Trevor Tran, at trtran3894@gmail.com.