

# The United States Air Force Band of the Golden West Travis AFB, Fairfield, CA



## UPRIGHT/ELECTRIC BASS AUDITION

Resumes and recordings must be delivered by December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016. Applicants who are considered qualified for the live audition will be contacted by the USAF Band auditions team and then by an Air Force recruiter to assess each applicant's eligibility to enlist in the Air Force. Once approved by the recruiter, applicants will receive an audition invitation letter. All invited candidates must be prepared to meet Air Force maximum allowable weight standards.

### PRE-SCREENING REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE:

1. Resume
2. Audio recordings to include (please record in the following order):
  - 2-3 tracks featuring selections in varying styles (i.e. Pop/Rock, Funk, R&B). Showcase your strengths while highlighting your versatility; include both electric and upright acoustic bass tracks. Excerpts no longer than 3 minutes in length.
  - Jazz standard of your choice played on upright bass, minimum 1 chorus of improvised solo. No longer than 5 minutes in length.
  - Arco Excerpt: F. Simandl, New Method for the Double Bass, pg. 38, Etude 8

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Send Resume and Recorded Materials to:

USAF Band of the Golden West  
ATTN: Bass Audition  
551 Waldron St Bldg 240  
Travis AFB, CA 94535

Digital Packages (resume and .mp3 files) can be emailed to [bandofthegoldenwestauditions@gmail.com](mailto:bandofthegoldenwestauditions@gmail.com)

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Call Auditions Coordinator at 707-424-0231  
or visit our website at [www.bandofthegoldenwest.af.mil](http://www.bandofthegoldenwest.af.mil) for further information.  
*Demonstration CDs cannot be returned to applicant.*

