
Violoncello Principal

Institution:	Athens State Orchestra (A.S.O.)
Description:	Violoncello Principal – Permanent
Number of positions:	1 (one)
Type:	Permanent 2-year probation period
Type of contract:	100%
Start date:	May 2026
Initial Gross Salary: (Includes tax and benefits)	approx. 2.300,00€
Application period:	09/04/25 - 08/05/2025

All applications should be emailed to: papostolidis@koa.gr

Only application within the deadline will be considered.

Number of services per month: Shared position

Vacation per year: 25

Required Documents: Please include short CV

Audition Date: (-/+ one day) 20/05/2025 - 10.00 a.m. EET

The audition will take place at the A.S.O. rehearsal hall, at Megaron, Athens Concert Hall, Vas. Sofias Av. & 1, Kokkali Str., GR-11521, Athens

Mandatory repertoire:

1. One of the concerti (full):

SCHUMANN, DVOŘÁK

2. HAYDN:

1st Movement and Cadenza from:
Concerto No. 3 in D major

3. BACH: One Suite for Solo Violoncello
(Sarabande)

4. Prima Vista

Orchestral pieces (w/soli): To be announced

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The post holder must own their own instrument which should be of a standard suitable for performing professionally.

Eligible for auditions are musicians above 21 years of age. Younger special talent will also be considered. In such case, kindly contact the A.S.O. before applying.

For non- Greek participants, the A.S.O. will provide for a pianist. Greek participants are kindly requested to bring their own pianist.

According to Greek law:

a. Only EU citizens and Greek diaspora from Albania, Egypt, Cyprus, Istanbul, Gökçeada and Bozcaada, will be considered for this posting.

b. There is an obligation to submit a degree or diploma from a recognized conservatory or music institution, the latest, after the completion of the 2-year probationary service. A decision will be made at this time for the contract to turn permanent

Compulsory music scores for the orchestra excerpts are available on the A.S.O. website, and at the Athens State Orchestra office, Vas. Sofias Av. & 1, Kokkali Str., GR-11521, Athens

Non-Greek participants are required to bring a valid passport.