

Open Position: Chorale Music Director

For more than 50 years, Manchester Symphony Orchestra and Chorale has shared classical orchestral and choral music with Manchester, Connecticut and surrounding communities. From large well-known works to the rarely performed, MSOC delivers entertaining and enjoyable performances. In addition to a yearly performance series, MSOC provides musical opportunities to schools and student soloists.

We are seeking a Chorale Music Director for this well-established community chorus of talented and experienced volunteers.

Qualifications:

- Exceptional musical and communication skills
- Demonstrated ability to lead and prepare chorale and orchestra for performance
- Ability to work effectively in a community chorus organization
- Master's degree in conducting or equivalent experience
- Ability to attract, recruit and retain membership

Desired:

- Experience working with student musicians
- Experience with choral literature

MSOC Season Description:

- MSOC has 5 concerts each season. This typically includes 1 chorale only, 2 orchestra only, a joint orchestra/chorale concert, and a Pops concert.
- Weekly rehearsals take place on Monday evenings from 7:30 pm to 10:00 pm, at Manchester High School in Manchester, CT with a dress rehearsal the Friday evening before the concert. Concerts are usually on a Saturday evening. Candidates are expected to lead all weekly rehearsals.

Position Begins:

- April 2018
- Subsequent seasons run September through June

Submit:

- Letter of application, resume, and 3 letters of recommendation, including addresses and telephone numbers.
- Submit electronically to msocsearch@gmail.com no later than May 31, 2017.

Additional information can be found on our website: www.msoc.org