

CHOR AMICA 2023-2024 Young Artists Program

Assistant Conductor Position

The **Assistant Conductor** will be a full participant in the artistic and administrative operations of the choir, working alongside the Artistic Director to lead rehearsals and performances. They will have the opportunity to conduct in 2 concerts during the season and co-curate 1 concert alongside the Artistic Director. The Assistant Conductor will sing with the choir and contribute to choir administration and board meetings as an ex-officio member. They will receive regular coaching and mentorship from the Artistic Director.

The ideal candidate will have previous conducting experience (in rehearsal or performance) and be pursuing or intending to pursue further study in conducting or music education with a choral focus. The position will run from November-March of this season, with the option to extend to our June performance depending on the candidate's availability. An honorarium of \$1000 is expected.

To apply, please submit a brief letter outlining your interest in the position and choral singing and conducting experience alongside a short musical CV/resume. Include in your letter or CV what voice part you sing. You may also choose to include a short (~5 minute) video of your conducting in rehearsal or performance, although this is not necessary for full consideration. Materials may be addressed to Patrick Murray, artistic director, and will be reviewed by the artistic director and a committee of choir members. Selected applicants will be contacted for more information.

For full consideration, submit your materials to <u>info@choramica.ca</u> by **October 15**. Note that due to our funding arrangements, this position is intended for applicants ages 18-25. Applicants should be available for Sunday evening rehearsals (7:30-9:30pm) and concerts Sunday December 10 (7:30pm, dress rehearsal Saturday December 9, 9:30a-12:30p) and March 16 (dress rehearsal 1-4pm, concert 7:30pm).