CALL FOR APPLICATIONS INTERNATIONAL STRING QUARTET AUDITION



Kata Geib

As part of the 12th edition of the String Quartet Biennale, the Cité de la musique – Philharmonie de Paris is organizing an audition day. This will allow emerging quartets from all over the world to get known by an international artistic committee composed of qualified personalities. Open to the public, this day will consist of musical moments followed by discussions with the invited professionals.

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For the selection of participants, please send before the 14th September 2025 a presentation file of the quartet and two videos (one quartet movement per video) by email or mail to: ajamaleddine@cite-musique.fr

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No registration fee. Transport and hotel accommodations are at the charge of the applicants. For further information: ajamaleddine@cite-musique.fr | +33144844561



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