

Conductor Selection - Approximate Timeline

This timeline is for the choirs that perform during the 2019-2020 school year

November 30, 2018

- Deadline for nominations for 2020 conductors

December 15, 2018

- Conductor Selection Committee Chair receives the nominations for 2020 conductors.

February 2019

- Nomination notifications are sent to nominees requesting a simple statement of their interest in the process. Nominees should state that:
 - Yes, they would like to be considered and will submit a prospective program for review
 - No, they do not want to conduct but the Committee should keep their name on file for future consideration
 - No, they do not want to conduct and they do not wish to be considered in the future

March 2019

- Deadline for Conductor Candidate Responses; Conductors who accept nomination must submit the following items:
 - Resume of professional work supporting their worthiness as a conductor
 - Prospective program they would like to conduct
 - Video sample of conducting. Three full pieces are to be included for review by the committee. Your conducting must be visible throughout the recording. Video submission only; audio-only submissions will not be considered.

April 2019

- Conductor Selection Committee meets and makes recommendations to the Executive Board of Directors. The SJCDA President functions as a non-voting (ex-officio) member of this committee. All materials should be returned to the candidates at the conclusion of this process by the Committee Chair.

May 2019

- SJCDA Executive Board votes on recommendations. The President contacts the candidates regarding the final selection for conductor.

June/July 2019

- The SJCDA Executive Board meets with the conductors to review their programs

August 2019

- Conductors forward program descriptions and bios for posting on the SJCDA website.

September 2019

- Attend general membership meeting and present program to membership.

October 2019

- Conductors submit practice recordings to the SJCDA Secretary for posting on website

November 2019

- Jr/Sr Conductors select their choirs at the Region III Choral Auditions

December 2019

- Jr/Sr Conductors lead the first rehearsal of their Region III Choirs

January 2020

- Jr/Sr Conductors lead 3 more rehearsals of their Choirs

Jan/Feb 2020

- Jr/Sr Conductors lead their final rehearsal and conduct the two concerts

March 2020

- Elementary Conductor leads a full day rehearsal followed by the concert