

Tamara Obrovac & Karen Asatrian IstraArmenia ensemble TECHNICAL RIDER
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** subject to change, adaptations are always possible when discussed earlier*

ACCOMODATION

6 single bedrooms, hotel/or other accommodation 3* minimum, with private facilities,
IMPORTANT: preferably at short walking distance from the venue

TRANSPORTATION

 if the band is coming by plane

all necessary local ground transportation from / to airport / venue / restaurant / hotel
1 large vehicle or any equivalent transportation) for: 6 passengers, private luggage, and instruments; guitar, mandola, oud, bouzuki, violin, cymbals, double bass, (if not provided) cymbals, (if drum set is provided)

CATERING & MEALS

 will be provided by the Promoter for each one of the performances:

- 1 full hot dinner for 6 people after the concert; preferably local cuisine, incl. beverages; high quality red wine, beer, natural water, coca cola
- catering in the dressing-rooms ready for sound check and concert :
light snacks (sandwiches, chips, fruit, cheese, ham, fresh salads, olive oil, etc), coca cola, beer, red wine, cabernet /shiraz / or similar, grappa/or bottle off whiskey, scotch preferably.
- natural and non fizzy water, NOT cold for Tamara, (also on stage during the performance)
- 1 lockable dressing-room for sole use of 5 artists
- 1 lockable dressing-room **with light/mirror and private facilities** within, or nearby for Tamara Obrovac

BACKLINE

 if the band is coming by plane, or from distant location

LINEUP: voice/flute, piano/violin/voice, oud/bouzuki, guitar/mandola/back vocal, drums, double bass

PIANO:

1 piano, preferably Steinway, Bösendorfer, faoli or similar, preferably grand, min 2m, tuned to A 440
If unavailable, a digital piano (weighted keys), Yamaha CP stage piano serie or Clavinova, **with built in speakers**

DRUMS:

Any vintage (70's or older) with *Remo ambassador white coated* heads, preferably Gretsch Vintage (50's,60's or 70's) USA Custom, New Classic, Renown Maple, Catalina Jazz Club, or Ludwig, Slingerland, Rogers, or any new Yamaha set with *Remo white coated heads*.

Sizes: 18" or 20" bass drum, 12" tom, 14" or 16" floor tom.

Cymbals: Istanbul Agop, Bosphorus, Turkish, Dream or Zildjian K / Sizes: 20" ride, 16" crash, 14" hi hat

*Important: All cymbals should be *lightest jazz models*, or just 4 light crash cymbals in sizes 20,16,14,14.

Hardware: 2 cymbal stands, light as possible, straight-no boom.

2 snare drum stands

hi hat stand- simple light model

bass drum pedal- light, simple

drum chair - a good one, with a seat which does not move when in use.

DOUBLE BASS:

3/4 size acoustic double-bass from an excellent maker (David Gage Czech-made road bass is fine) with adjustable bridge, (fine tuning) and pick-up

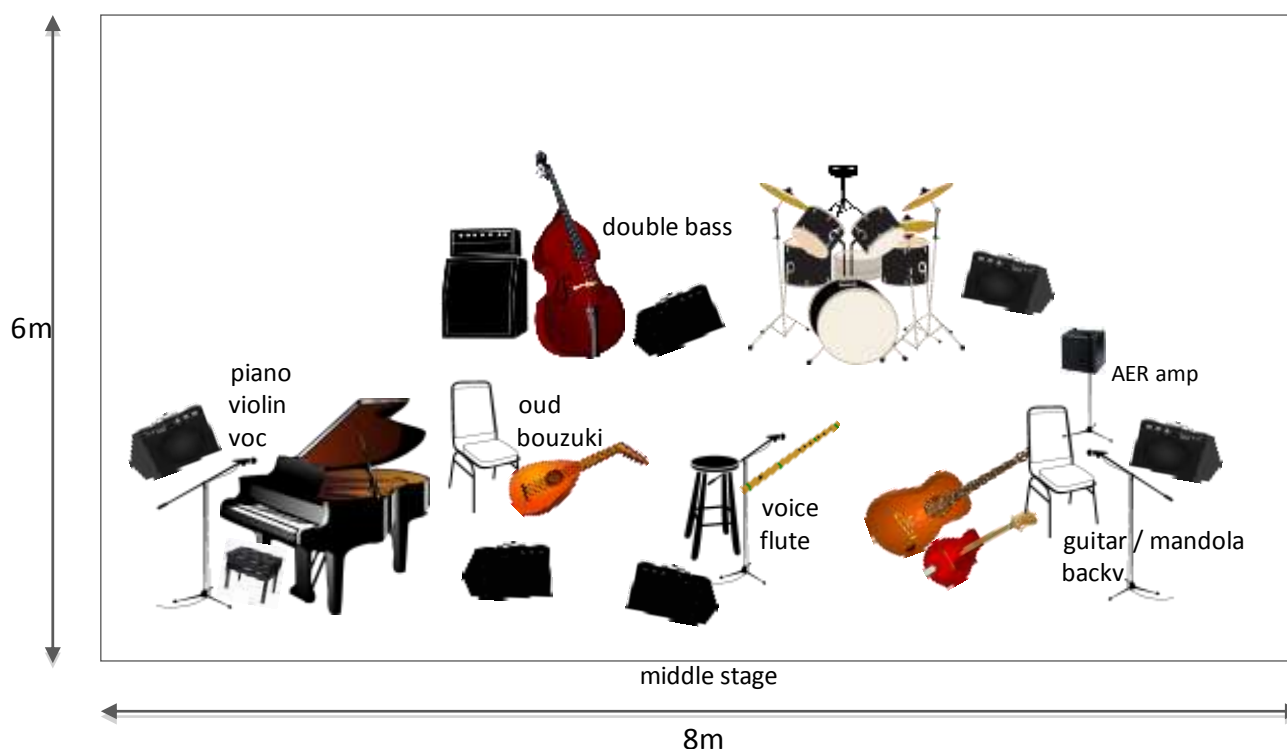
OPTION 1: 1 bass amplifier 80 W or more - GALIEN-KRUEGER, preferably "MB" series -EBS, preferably DROME, ACOUSTIC IMAGE, PHIL JONES, AMPEG,TRACE ELIOT/preferable cabinet config: 1x10 or 1x12 or 2x10

OPTION 2: 1 x XLR cable with phantom power, bassist brings his own clip on mic

OTHER:

- 1 solid adjustable piano bench
- two high stools for double bass and lead vocal, no armrest (optional)
- 5 black, solid music stands with individual lights

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CH	INSTRUMENT	MIC.-D.I.-XLR	PH/48V	INSERTS	MIC.STAND(K&M)
1	KICK-mic not inside please	AKG D112/Shure BETA 52			SHORT BOOM
2	SNARE	SENN. MD 421/ Shure SM 57			SHORT BOOM
3	OH L	AKG C451/KM 184	48V		TRIPOD BOOM
4	OH R	AKG C451/KM 184	48V		TRIPOD BOOM
5	DOUBLE BASS D.I.	D.I. BSS AR133			-
6	DOUBLE BASS mic.	C 451/KM 140	48V		SHORT BOOM
7	UD/BOUZUKI D.I.	D.I. BSS AR133	48V		-
8	UD/BOUZUKI mic.	AKG C414/C451/OKT.MK-012	48V		SHORT BOOM
9	GUITAR	D.I. BSS AR133			-
10	GUITAR	AKG C414/C451/OKT.MK-012	48V		SHORT BOOM
11	MANDOLINE D.I.	D.I. D.I. BSS AR133			
12	MANDOLINE mic.	AKG C 451 /Neumann KM184	48V		TRIPOD BOOM
13	PIANO L	Neumann KM140/KM184 /C414	48V		TRIPOD BOOM
14	PIANO R	Neumann KM140/KM184 /C414	48V		TRIPOD BOOM
15	VIOLIN	Shure BETA 98 S own clip on mic			-
16	VOX PIANO	Shure SM 58			TRIPOD BOOM
17	VOX GUITAR	Shure SM 58			TRIPOD BOOM
18	FLUTE TAMARA	AUDIX ADX10-FLP pref. wireless Neumann KM184 /AKG C451	48V		TRIPOD BOOM
19*	LEAD VOX TAMARA*	Neumann KMS 105 own mic.	48V		TRIPOD BOOM
* no announcement or testing on this mic, please, ONLY TAMARA handles it /for announcements please provide an other microphone					

PA SYSTEM, SOUND SYSTEM, SOUND ENGINEERS etc. / according to the venue

- **monitors :**
six, 6 groups, separate mix (preferably on stage)
- **mixer :**
top quality at least 24 channels, / 2x param.EQ per ch./6 aux
(Soundcraft, Midas, Mackie, Yamaha, ALLEN & HEAT)
- **reverb :**
Lexicon, PCM 70/90 ,LXP 15, MPX 1 (good reverb)
- **compressor / limiter:**
top quality for vocal DBX, BSS, DRAWMER
- **power amps:**
top quality professional brand (power depending on the size of the venue)
- **31-band graphic E.Q.,** preferably Apex or Klark Teknik
- **speakers:**
top quality professional brand, Martin, Meyer sound, KV 2 Audio, L-ACOUSTIC, d&b, or similar
- **stage lights:**
warm lightning without strong colours, no front and rear, no drastic change while playing , with an independent electricity source
- **professional sound and light engineer** with experience in jazz concerts