

Consortio

Your one-stop shop for consortium management: <https://consortio.io>

Consortio frees composers from the complicated, daunting tasks associated with consortiums, helping you get right to the art and fostering connections with your commissioners.

How it works

Create your profile

Consortio makes it easy for users to see a snapshot of you and your music. Fill out your bio and style statement, upload a few example works with audio, and seek out testimonials from colleagues who know and love your work.

Grow your ideas

You're in control of your music. Use Consortio to release your favorite ideas out into the world. Create projects—fundable consortium ideas—on your terms including texts, voicings, deadlines, buy-in price, and more. Facilitate your ideas at an affordable rate while still paying yourself what you're worth.

Expand your network

Reach new directors, ensembles, and audiences to help make your project ideas a reality. While you can invite your current network—and they can invite theirs—all public projects are searchable on the Consortio marketplace. Soon your projects will be filled with new and returning members.

Deepen your impact

Commissioning is more than a transaction. Check out Consortio's ensemble surveys to tailor your works and use project pages to interact with your members before, during, and after your writing. Invest in your ensembles and give them insights into your process for the most rewarding experience for everyone.

Market your music

Once your piece is finished, members have 9 months to premiere the new work. Stay in contact with ensembles and hopefully attend several of the premieres. When the time comes for your next project, you'll already have a list of ensembles to invite.

Consortio · Let's make music. *Together.*

Why Consortio?

Project agreements

No need to craft your own contracts and hunt down signatures. Consortio provides standard protections for both parties, ensuring you get paid for your work and the ensembles receive the final score.

Payment processing

Don't worry about keeping track of payments, vendor packets, W9s, or purchase orders. Consortio handles collecting payments and provide any necessary forms, invoices, or receipts to ensembles.

Payment protection

Don't stress about trying to recuperate payment after writing a piece or needing to negotiate a payment plan or up-front portions. Consortio holds onto paid funds while a piece is written, to ensure both parties receive what they've agreed upon. If for whatever reason you can't finish a piece, Consortio will refund the ensembles in full.

Ensemble surveys

Consortio will collect information about ensembles and make it readily available to you to assist with writing the best piece for your project members. Download a contact list, message individuals, or send announcements to the whole group.

What's next for Consortio?

We're currently working to provide additional benefits to our users and make composer profiles even more robust.

Here are a few items we're working on...

- **Project administrators**
Invite someone (like an assistant or representative) to help administer the logistics of your project and interact with the project members
- **Verified organization endorsements**
Make your projects and profile even more appealing with endorsements from organizations that you belong to. If you're creating a project in cooperation with an ensemble, you'll be able to include their logo and a representative from that organization in your project
- **Premiere tracking and follow-ups**
A new piece doesn't end when you finish writing. We're building the tools to stay in touch with ensembles as they premiere your work and let them know about new projects you have planned for the future.