



# Concert for the Planet

## Technical Information

### Introduction

Bringing people together is a very important part to play for the planet. Great to have you on board. You are our co-pilots on our mission. Below we have compiled some tips to help you launch your sustainable satellite community event.

Here is a link to our video, should your planning group need to understand how the CONCERT FOR THE PLANET will come together: [Global Orchestra Video](#)

### Hash tags -

These are very important as they encourage content discoverability

Recommended hash tags

#globalorchestra

#CFP2018

#concertfortheplanet

#playyourpart

#GO2018

#GOearthhour2018

#earthhour2018

Remember if we have any content featuring ambassadors, please hash tag.

Eg: #andyridley #angelacatters#charliechan

This is the case across Twitter, Google Plus, Instagram (especially Instagram), Facebook and Linked In.

### Date & Time

CONCERT FOR THE PLANET(CFP) is an hour long event will which take place during Earth Hour, Saturday 24 March at 8.30pm AEDT (or 7.30pm AEST for participants in Queensland.)

We recommend you start your event at least 30 minutes prior to CFP lift off.

The Gold Coast Philharmonic Orchestra will play "The Planets" at the new HOTA outdoor venue. The performance, together with *Conductor-Cam* and various information for participants will be streamed live. A recording of the live streams will be available immediately after the performance so anyone can join in as Earth Hour makes it way around the globe.

### Live Streams

If you are playing along you'll need to watch Lachlan Snow on *Conductor-Cam* on our home page at [www.globalorchestra.com](http://www.globalorchestra.com). *Conductor-Cam* will also be available from other platforms and websites. We'll be sending all these links and rehearsal information in the week prior to our concert together. Don't forget to register so we can send you the most up to date information.

To watch and listen to the Live Stream of the entire Global Orchestra, go to the Facebook Live stream via our home page.

Here's a link to some useful Facebook Live info: [FACEBOOK LIVE](#)



### **Live Stream Checklist**

- Fast Internet Connection (could work on 4G or WIFI but most stable connection is wired Ethernet to the actual router or network switch)
  - Computers fast enough to stream video (if you show both streams you will need 2 computers)
  - Projector & Screen\*\* to watch Conductor-Cam (for musicians)
  - Projector & Screen \*\* to watch Live Broadcast (for audience)
  - A public-address system that will connect the vision and the sound
- \*\* Projector & Screen can be replaced by flat screen TV hooked up to computer

### **Computer**

You'll need a computers/laptops to show both streams.

The software you'll require is:

- Adobe Flash Player
- Google Chrome, Firefox, Internet Explorer, or Safari
- Operating system: Windows 7+, Mac OS X 10.7+, Ubuntu 10+, or Linux OS 11+ (64-bit)

**\*\* Don't forget to update your software!**

### **Test your technology**

We will be rehearsing and testing the stream around Friday the 23rd March at 11am (TBC). We'll email you with instructions and more information - so don't forget to register your event so we can keep you in the loop.

The rehearsal will enable us to take into consideration latency issues, bandwidth and synchronisation problems. We will also provide a cached version of the conductor from a previous rehearsal as time and resources allow.

You can watch the Concert for the Planet 2015 and the Conductor-Cam video from this performance.

Visit our [website](#) or the [Global Orchestra YouTube channel](#)

Thanks for participating and get in touch if you need further assistance!