

# Audio Radio Production



**Purpose:** To evaluate each contestant’s preparation for employment and to recognize outstanding students for excellence and professionalism in the field of Audio Production.

<p><b>Contest Location</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Capital University</li> <li>▪ E Main St &amp; College Ave, Bexley, OH 43209</li> <li>▪ <b>MARCH 25, 2023 9AM-1PM</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>Eligibility</b></p>	<p>Please refer to the National Technical Standards for this contest.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Schools may send one competitor or team for every 50 paid SkillsUSA members based on local competition enrolled in a program where the scope of the contest described in the SkillsUSA Technical Content Standards reflects a major component of the program.</li> </ul> <p><i>Team of 2 (two)</i></p> <p><b>MUST BE REGISTERED BY MARCH 15, 2023 AS THE COMPETITION IS MARCH 25, 2023.</b></p>
<p><b>Clothing</b></p>	<p><u>Business Casual:</u></p> <p>Polo or other collared shirt and khakis or dress pants; NO JEANS. If a school logo, contestant name, or other identifier is listed on the shirt this must be covered.</p>
<p><b>Testing</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students should be prepared to take a written knowledge test.</li> <li>• Students should be prepared for a written SkillsUSA knowledge test. (Provided to all contestants).</li> </ul>
<p><b>Provided by Contestant (Tool List)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Laptop computer</li> <li>▪ Minimum 2-in, 2-out audio cables (s)</li> <li>▪ At least one (1) microphone and audio cable(s)</li> <li>▪ Audio editing software/system (e.g., GarageBand, FL, ProTools, etc.)</li> <li>▪ Writing implement (pen, pencil, marker, etc.)</li> <li>▪ USB flash drive</li> <li>▪ Scratch paper for notes</li> <li>▪ Headphones with both ¼" &amp; 1/8" TRS adapters (not earbuds)</li> <li>▪ Hard copy of a 1-page type written resume</li> <li>▪ Surge-protected power strip</li> <li>▪ <b><u>Supplied by Capitol University</u></b></li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Theme and objective for production</li> <li>▪ Facilities and power including a sound treated space for the applied portion of the competition.</li> <li>▪ Production music stems</li> <li>▪ Music Beds for background music</li> <li>▪ Microphone stands outside of “contestant supplied” equipment.</li> <li>▪ <b><u>Capitol University does NOT supply</u></b></li> <li>▪ Microphones and cables</li> <li>▪ Computers or flash drives</li> <li>▪ Monitors or Headphones</li> <li>▪ A Digital Audio Workstation (DAW)</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Special Notes</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Off-Site Competition; open for all registered. This includes full classes.</li> <li>▪ No smart watches, phones, or earbuds are permitted during the contest and/or in contest</li> <li>▪ No contact with anyone outside of the contest area once the contest begins</li> <li>▪ No inappropriate communication between contestants such as verbally degrading another contest</li> <li>▪ No cheating on any portion of the contest such as informing another contestant of the skills/test prior to competing.</li> <li>▪ Capitol University is proud to announce the ability for students competing and their classes are being invited to participate in the Creative Arts Workshop hosted the same day and same location- Students that are competing in the morning are welcomed to attend in the afternoon and vice versa. Capitol has also allowed instructors to enroll their whole class in the Workshop if they choose at no cost. To register more that the competitors and for more information please visit <a href="https://www.capital.edu/news-and-events/convergent-media-center/creativeartsworkshop/">https://www.capital.edu/news-and-events/convergent-media-center/creativeartsworkshop/</a></li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>National Technical Standards</b></p>	<p>Please refer to the 2022-2023 National Technical Standards for all contests. All standards included may be tested in any competition.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ In conjunction with National Standards, violations may result in student loss of contest.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Resume</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ All SkillsUSA Ohio State Championship Contest will require a short interview component. Students should be prepared with basic job interview skills.</li> </ul>

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