## Songwriting Audition Guidelines

## What to expect

Auditions last one hour and are 1-1 with a BIMM assessor either in person at a BIMM campus or online on Zoom. If you opted for a Zoom audition, you will receive your joining link on the day of your audition. You will be asked some questions about yourself and will have the opportunity to ask any questions you may have about the course.

## What to prepare ahead of the day

- Prepare two original compositions for a live performance, where you will accompany yourself instrumentally.
- Singing is optional; however, you must showcase melody, harmony, and lyrics in your pieces. If you choose not to sing, please provide lyric sheets for your compositions where applicable.
- If the audition is live on the day, there will be contemporary instruments available if needed.
- Your performance will be marked on:
  - Harmony
  - Melody
  - Lyrics
- If you have any demos, please feel free to bring these in to support your application.

