



Head, Horn Department  
Horn Faculty, Conservatory  
Chamber Music Faculty, Conservatory

Richard King is currently serving as fourth horn of The Cleveland Orchestra. He joined the ensemble in 1988 as associate principal at the age of 20 and has held the positions of principal horn (1997-2015) and acting principal (1995-97). King has been featured dozens of times as soloist with The Cleveland Orchestra and has also appeared as soloist with the Richmond Symphony, University of Virginia Symphony, and the University of North Carolina Symphony.

A native of Long Island, New York, King began playing the horn at the age of 9 and spent six years