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Mercury among outstanding Texas artists selected for 2018-2020 Texas Touring Arts Program

Mercury is pleased to announce that the Texas Commission on the Arts has selected the orchestra to be part of its 2018-2020 Texas Touring Roster alongside 125 specially-chosen artists from across the state. Featuring leading individuals and organizations from the diverse genres of dance, folk arts, theater, visual arts, film, storytelling and music from classical to country, inclusion on the roster is an honor.

"Artists on the Texas Touring Roster travel to communities across the state and perform in a variety of venues," said TCA Executive Director Gary Gibbs. "In addition to performances, they may also conduct workshops, master classes, residencies, lecture-demonstrations or arts education components as a way to engage community residents. We are proud to offer the citizens of Texas access to such high-quality artistic talent."

Mercury Executive Director Brian Ritter said, "We are thrilled to be selected by The Texas Commission on the Arts. Mercury began 18 years ago with the goal of bringing live music of the highest quality to audience across Houston and beyond. We look forward to both sharing our music and offering educational opportunities to audiences of all ages statewide as part of the Texas Touring Roster over the next two years."

Details on Mercury's Touring programs are available at
www.mercuryhouston.org/touring