

Dear Mid-Atlantic Symphony Orchestra Patrons,

It is with great pleasure that I take the helm of the Mid-Atlantic Symphony Orchestra as Music Director and Conductor as we celebrate our 25th anniversary season! Over my time spent in Baltimore at the Peabody Conservatory, and my tenure on the East Coast, I have come to greatly admire the orchestra and its musicians. Now, I very much look forward to getting to know the wonderful patrons who support this great organization.

My mission as the conductor is, even more than just presenting concerts at the highest artistic level, to provide a means to connect members of a community to one another and to create meaningful experiences together. To that end, I look forward to meeting each of you this coming season and promise that our concerts will be full of energy, stimulating, and inspirational!

There is a lot to celebrate as the MSO welcomes in its Silver Anniversary Season. Of course, as always, the MSO looks forward to presenting guest artists of the highest renown, including Irish pianist, Michael McHale who will open the season with Beethoven's ever loved "Emperor" Piano Concerto, and French cellist, Dominique de Williencourt who will close the season with Shostakovich's fiery first Cello Concerto. The season also concludes with the enduring, epic, crowd-favorite, Dvorak's New World Symphony.

Importantly, this season will provide a synthesis of music with which you are likely intimately familiar, as well as music that may be new to you. I take tremendous pride in introducing music to audiences in an accessible and exciting way - I promise you that if you are not familiar with the music of Florence Price or Louise Farrenc, you will become fans as thoroughly as I have become over the course of my career.

I am so excited to join you in sharing the gift of music this season. I am most certain that you will leave our concerts invigorated with the joy and spirit that can only be attained through the power of music – something that we must never take for granted!

Here's to great music making and a thrilling 25th Anniversary Season ahead!

Truly yours,

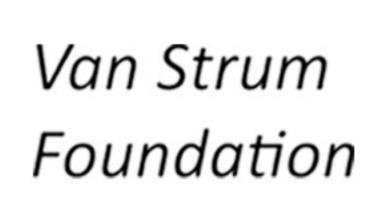
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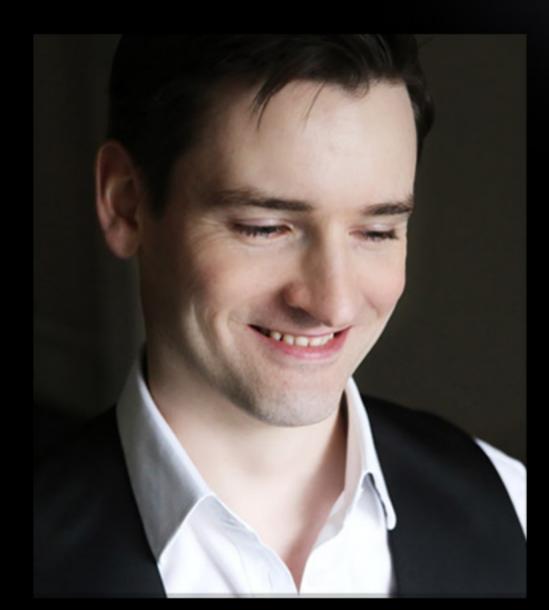








# 2022-2023 | MASTERWORKS SERIES A Season of Celebration



Michael McHale, Piano

SEPTEMBER / OCTOBER

Piano Concerto No. 5 "Emperor", Ludwig Van Beethoven Symphony No. 3 in E-Flat Major "Rhenish", Robert Schumann

Thursday, September 29, 7:30 PM CHESAPEAKE COLLEGE, WYE MILLS, MD Saturday, October 1, 7:30 PM CAPE HENLOPEN HIGH SCHOOL, LEWES, DE Sunday, October 2, 3:00 PM



### NOVEMBER

The Four Seasons, Antonio Vivaldi Four Seasons of Buenos Aires, Astor Piazzolla

Thursday, November 10, 7:30 PM EASTON CHURCH OF GOD, EASTON, MD

Saturday, November 12, 3:00 PM

EPWORTH UNITED METHODIST, REHOBOTH BEACH, DE

Sunday, November 13, 3:00 PM COMMUNITY CHURCH, OCEAN PINES, MD



Igor Yuzefovich, Violin

Rochelle Bard, Soprano

## DECEMBER Holiday Foy

Thursday, December 1, 7:00 PM CHESAPEAKE COLLEGE, WYE MILLS, MD

Saturday, December 3, 7:00 PM CAPE HENLOPEN HIGH SCHOOL, LEWES, DE

Sunday, December 4, 3:00 PM PERFORMING ARTS CENTER, OCEAN CITY, MD



Anna Kelly, Mezzo-Soprano Rachel Blaustein, Soprano

New Year's Eve Concert
Saturday, December 31, 7:00 PM

CHRIST CHURCH, EASTON, MD



Winner of Competition

### **MARCH**

Tragic Overture, Johannes Brahms Symphony No. 1 in E Minor, Florence Price

Thursday, March 9, 7:30 PM EASTON CHURCH OF GOD, EASTON, MD

Friday, March 10, 7:30 PM COMMUNITY CHURCH, OCEAN PINES, MD

Saturday, March 11, 3:00 PM

EPWORTH UNITED METHODIST, REHOBOTH BEACH, DE



Dominique de Williencourt, Cello

### **APRIL**

Overture No. 1 in E Minor, Louise Farrenc Cello Concerto No. 1 in E-Flat Major, Dmitri Shostakovich Symphony No. 9 "From the New World" , Antonín Dvořák

Thursday, April 27, 7:00 PM CHESAPEAKE COLLEGE, WYE MILLS, MD

Saturday, April 29, 7:00 PM

CAPE HENLOPEN HIGH SCHOOL, LEWES, DE

**Sunday, April 30, 3:00 PM** 

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# Ensembles Series

### WOODWIND QUINTET

Friday, October 28, 7:00 PM, Epworth United Methodist Church, Rehoboth Beach, DE Sunday, October 30, 4:00 PM, Academy Art Museum, Easton, MD

### HOLIDAY BRASS QUINTET

Saturday, December 17, 3:00 PM, Epworth United Methodist Church, Rehoboth Beach, DE Sunday, December 18, 4:00 PM, Christ Church, Easton, MD

### STRING QUARTET & PIANO

Saturday, February 11, 3:00 PM, Epworth United Methodist Church, Rehoboth Beach, DE Sunday, February 12, 4:00 PM, Academy Art Museum, Easton, MD

### JAZZ ORCHESTRA

Thursday, May 11, 7:00 PM, Avalon Theater, Easton, MD Friday, May 12, 7:00 PM, Epworth United Methodist Church, Rehoboth Beach, DE

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