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NEC Preparatory School

Preparatory String Orchestra 10:30 & String Chamber Orchestra

Marta Zurad

Music Director, Preparatory String Orchestras

Peter Jarvis

Music Director, String Chamber Orchestra

Eleanor Markey, *Violin*

Po-Sung Huang, *Viola*

Alex Aranzabal, *Cello*

Teaching Fellows, Preparatory String Orchestras

Tuesday, May 13, 2025

7:30 PM

New England Conservatory - Jordan Hall

PROGRAM

PREPARATORY STRING ORCHESTRA 10:30

Georges Bizet
(1838-1875)

arr. Robert S. Frost

Carmen Suite No. 2

Antonio Vivaldi
(1678-1741)

L'Estro Armonico Concerto IV, Op. 3

Allegro assai

Adagio

Allegro

Peter Warlock
(1894-1930)

Capriol Suite

Basse-Danse

Pavane

Sword Dance

~INTERMISSION~

STRING CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

Edward Elgar
(1857-1934)

Serenade for String Orchestra in E minor, Op. 20

Allegro piacevole

Larghetto

Allegretto

Antonín Dvořák
(1841-1904)

Serenade for Strings in E Major, Op. 22

Moderato

Allegro con moto

Vivace

Larghetto

Allegro vivace

Johann Strauss Jr.
(1825-1899)

Pizzicato-Polka

* Jointly composed with Josef Strauss (1827-1870)

NEC Preparatory String Orchestra 10:30

Marta Zurad, Music Director

First Violin

Ethan Bu
Tabitha Chanoine
WanYang (Sunny) Du
Hannah Gansner
Rebekah (Bekah) Huang
Amy Liao
Emma Manalis
Setareh (Setti) Sekhavat
Vedanth Srivatsan
Sophia Tucker
Alexander Weinstein
Sylvia Wu
Yuta Yamada
Jeff Zhang

Second Violin

Yasemin Arslan
Margaret Hata
James Hu
Sophie Lin
Ashley Liu
Isaac MacFadden
Eleanor Markey++
Indira McLaughlin
Jinyu Meng
Lorenzo Recchia
Alice Wang
Percy Yeaw
Adam Zhang
Zoey Zhang

Viola

Po-Sung Huang++
Susannah Klein
Helena Lee
Sien Li (Chen)
William Markey
Patrick McLaughlin

Cello

Damilola Adekore
Alex Aranzabal++
Anoushka Dechatterjee
Emanuel Dobre
Jackson Dundas
James Lin
Derek Pan
Carter Peng
Aeon Peters
Wyeth Sholl
Edison Xiao
Violet Zei
Dylan Zhang

Double Bass

Luisa Brown-Hernandez*

++ *Teaching Fellow*

* *NEC College Musician*

NEC String Chamber Orchestra

Peter Jarvis, Music Director

Violin

Caleb Casiano
Yubeen Choi
Meredith Fellingner
James Ge
Elliott Ho
MuHsiao Hsu
John Kazarov
Caroline Ladendorf
Diana Lee
Amber Naseef
Joshua Park
Isabelle Singh
Erin Sun
Alexandra Wang
Simeon Yen
Jovana Zivanovic
Olga Kaminsky*

Cello

Stefan Ladendorf
Anyu Olmsted
Nikolas Reuning
Ethan Wright
Zihan Zhao
Lazar Kaminsky*

Double Bass

Sam Wright

* NEC College Musician

Viola

Lauren Lin
Chi Jui Chen*
Ru-Yao Van der Ploeg*
Yu-Heng Wang*

Congratulations to the graduating String Chamber Orchestra Senior!

Caroline Ladendorf

Marta Zurad

Music Director, Preparatory String Orchestras

Marta Zurad received her Bachelor of Music degree from New England Conservatory and her Graduate Diploma and Master of Music degree from Longy School of Music. She also attended the Academy of Music in Kraków, Poland. Her violin teachers have included Wiesław Kwasny, Valeria Kuchment, and Eric Rosenblith.

Zurad conducts the Preparatory String Orchestras at New England Conservatory. She is also the conductor of the Petit Ensemble, the Young People's String Orchestra, and the Intensive Community Program Orchestra at the Boston Youth Symphony Orchestras. She is the founder and conductor of Camerata Strings at Rivers School Conservatory. She is on the string faculty at NEC and Rivers School Conservatory. She serves as an adjudicator for various concerto competitions and often provides orchestra clinics for local schools.

She plays regularly with a number of chamber groups, both as a violinist and a violist. She was a member of the Lexington Symphony and has performed with many other orchestras in the Boston area.

Graduate Diploma, M.M., Longy School of Music; B.M., New England Conservatory; Academy of Music in Krakow, Poland. Teachers: Wiesław Kwasny, Valeria Kuchment, Eric Rosenblith. Faculty of NEC, BYSO, Rivers Conservatory

Peter Jarvis

Music Director, String Chamber Orchestras

Peter Jarvis, a native of Canada, began his career as a member of Museaus, one of Canada's premier touring string quartets, featured numerous times on CBC radio and in recordings. He was the principal second violin of the Lethbridge Symphony Orchestra and the Southern Alberta Chamber Orchestra, appearing annually as a violin soloist.

As Director of the University of Lethbridge Conservatory of Music, he taught violin and conducted the Conservatory Chamber Orchestra. He continued his performing and teaching career in Ithaca, N.Y., where he was concertmaster of the Rochester Bach Festival Orchestra and assistant concertmaster of the Cayuga Chamber Orchestra.

In 1994, Peter Jarvis moved to Boston with Reuning & Son and entered the Boston music community as a freelance player, appearing with the Cambridge Chamber Players, Andover Chamber Orchestra, and as concertmaster of Symphony by the Sea. An enthusiastic educator, he coaches chamber music at summer camps and the NEC Preparatory School. In 2011, he was awarded the NEC Jean Stackhouse Award for excellence in teaching. He is currently the conductor of the String Training Orchestras and the NEC String Chamber Orchestra.

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