

# Kingston Chamber Music festival

## DONATIONS

Your generosity helps sustain our unique programs and mission of affordable ticket pricing. Contributions of \$50 or more will be listed in our 2016 concert program book.

Yes, I want to support the Kingston Chamber Music Festival and be a “Friend of the Festival”

- |                                                     |                                            |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Director's Circle: \$5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Benefactor: \$200 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Composer's Circle: \$2,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Sponsor: \$100    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Angel: \$1,000             | <input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining: \$50  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Grand Benefactor: \$400    | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: \$ _____   |

ALL CONTRIBUTIONS TO KCMF ARE TAX-DEDUCTIBLE

## TOTALS

Tickets Total (from reverse side)	\$ _____
Donation Total	\$ _____
Handling Fee	\$ 2.00
<b>TOTAL ENCLOSED</b>	\$ _____

## CONTACT INFORMATION

Please return with check made payable to “Kingston Chamber Music Festival” in the enclosed envelope or mail to: KCMF, P.O. Box 1733, Kingston, RI 02881

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE / ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

DONOR NAME AS IT SHOULD APPEAR IN PROGRAM, IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE: \_\_\_\_\_

- I WISH TO REMAIN ANONYMOUS; PLEASE DO NOT PUBLISH MY NAME.  
 PLEASE CONTACT ME ABOUT PLACING AN AD IN THE 2016 PROGRAM BOOK.

# KINGSTON CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL 2016

NATALIE ZHU, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR  
 BRIAN MITCHELL, MANAGING DIRECTOR



We have so much in store for you in the summer of 2016 that I can hardly mention all the highlights here! You can enjoy a famous Bach keyboard piece performed by a saxophone quartet called Project Fusion; two works by The Myriad Trio for the unusual instrumentation of flute, viola and harp; a recital by the exciting young, Bulgarian-born pianist Viktor Valkov; and the return for the third consecutive season of Grammy-winning guitarist Jason Vieaux. Add to that the world premiere performance of a piano quartet — commissioned by the festival — composed by the ingenious pianist Stewart Goodyear, who returns for his third consecutive season. Seven artists will make their Kingston debuts, while seven others return after short absences. We hope you can see and hear all this and a lot more from our 22 fabulous artists!



**COVER PHOTO:**  
 SILENCE IS GOLDEN,  
 SUNRISE ON POINT JUDITH POND  
 FROM GREAT ISLAND IN  
 NARRAGANSETT, RHODE ISLAND  
 © BILL KRUL

**BROCHURE DESIGN:**  
 GREENPOINT GRAPHICS

**ARTIST PHOTO CREDITS:** STEWART GOODYEAR BY ANITA ZVONAR; YUMI KENDALL BY LISA MARIE MAZZUCCO; AYANO NINOMIYA BY KATE LEMMON; WILHELMINA SMITH BY JOE ZIZZO; JASON VIEAUX BY GMD THREE; FUSION PROJECT BY JOSEF SAMUEL; MYRIAD TRIO BY DARIN FONG; NATALIE ZHU BY PAUL ARNOLD; VIKTOR VALKOV BY VANESSA BRICEÑO

**KINGSTON CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL**

BOX OFFICE: 401-874-2106 | KINGSTONCHAMBERMUSIC.ORG

## 2016 FESTIVAL ARTISTS



STEWART GOODYEAR



PROJECT FUSION



YUMI KENDALL



NOAH GELLER



AYANO NINOMIYA



WILHELMINA SMITH



JASON VIEAUX



MYRIAD TRIO

### VIOLIN

NOAH GELLER  
 BELLA HRISTOVA  
 JULIETTE KANG  
 AYANO NINOMIYA

### VIOLA

CHE-HUNG CHEN  
 CHE-YEN CHEN  
 ROBERTO DIAZ

### CELLO

YUMI KENDALL  
 THOMAS KRAINES  
 CLANCY NEWMAN  
 WILHELMINA SMITH

### PIANO

STEWART GOODYEAR  
 VIKTOR VALKOV  
 NATALIE ZHU

### FLUTE

DEMARRE MCGILL

### HARP

JULIE SMITH

### DOUBLE BASS

HAROLD HALL ROBINSON

### GUITAR

JASON VIEAUX

### ENSEMBLES

CLAROSA PIANO QUARTET  
 PROJECT FUSION  
 THE MYRIAD TRIO

NATALIE ZHU, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

# KINGSTON CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL

# 2016



SEVEN CONCERTS  
 JULY 20 THROUGH 31, 2016  
 OUR TWENTY-EIGHTH SEASON

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND

# SIX SUBSCRIPTION CONCERTS... AT THE URI FINE ARTS CENTER CONCERT HALL

## 1 WEDNESDAY, JULY 20 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

SPONSORED BY URI COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

### CLARA, ROBERT AND JOHANNES

**CLARA SCHUMANN:** Three Romances for Violin and Piano, Op. 22

VIOLIN: BELLA HRISTOVA PIANO: NATALIE ZHU

**SCHUMANN:** Piano Trio No. 2 in F Major, Op. 80

PIANO: VIKTOR VALKOV VIOLIN: NOAH GELLER  
CELLO: YUMI KENDALL

**BRAHMS:** String Sextet No. 2 in G Major

VIOLINS: BELLA HRISTOVA AND NOAH GELLER  
VIOLAS: ROBERTO DIAZ AND CHE-HUNG CHEN  
CELLOS: YUMI KENDALL AND WILHELMINA SMITH

## 2 FRIDAY, JULY 22 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

SPONSORED BY WAKEFIELD LIQUORS

### VARIETY IS THE SPICE

**BOCCHERINI:** String Quintet in C Major, Op. 42

VIOLINS: NOAH GELLER AND BELLA HRISTOVA  
VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN CELLOS: WILHELMINA SMITH  
AND YUMI KENDALL

**PAGANINI:** Terzetto Concertante

GUITAR: JASON VIEAUX VIOLA: ROBERTO DIAZ  
CELLO: WILHELMINA SMITH

**MANUEL DE FALLA:** Siete Canciones

Populares Españolas

CELLO: YUMI KENDALL GUITAR: JASON VIEAUX

**THIERRY ESAICHT:** Tango Virtuoso

**PROJECT FUSION** ▶ SOPRANO SAXOPHONE: DANIEL ESPINOZA  
ALTO SAXOPHONE: MATT AMEDIO TENOR SAXOPHONE:  
MICHAEL SAWZIN BARITONE SAXOPHONE: MATT EVANS

**JOAQUIN TURINA:** Escena Andaluza, Op. 7

VIOLA SOLOIST: ROBERTO DIAZ PIANO: NATALIE ZHU  
VIOLINS: BELLA HRISTOVA AND NOAH GELLER  
VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN CELLO: YUMI KENDALL

## 3 SUNDAY, JULY 24 ▶ 4 P.M.

SPONSORED BY AMICA INSURANCE

### AFTERNOON DELIGHTS

**J.S. BACH:** Concerto Italiano BWV971

**PROJECT FUSION** ▶ SOPRANO SAXOPHONE: DANIEL ESPINOZA  
ALTO SAXOPHONE: MATT AMEDIO TENOR SAXOPHONE:  
MICHAEL SAWZIN BARITONE SAXOPHONE: MATT EVANS

**CASTELNUOVO-TEDESCO:** Quintet for Guitar  
and String Quartet, Op. 143

GUITAR: JASON VIEAUX VIOLINS: NOAH GELLER AND  
BELLA HRISTOVA VIOLA: ROBERTO DIAZ CELLO: YUMI KENDALL

**MENDELSSOHN:** Piano Trio in D Minor, Op. 49

PIANO: NATALIE ZHU VIOLIN: BELLA HRISTOVA  
CELLO: WILHELMINA SMITH

## 4 WEDNESDAY, JULY 27 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

SPONSORED BY CENTREVILLE BANK

### A MYRIAD OF FESTIVAL FIRSTS

**SCHUBERT:** Quartettsatz in C Minor, D. 703

VIOLINS: AYANO NINOMIYA AND JULIETTE KANG  
VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES

**DEBUSSY:** Trio in G Major

**MYRIAD TRIO** ▶ FLUTE: DEMARRE MCGILL HARP: JULIE SMITH  
VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN

**GOODYEAR:** Piano Quartet (*World Premiere*)

**CLAROSA PIANO QUARTET** ▶ PIANO: NATALIE ZHU  
VIOLIN: JULIETTE KANG VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN  
CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES

**DVORAK:** Bass Quintet in G Major, Op. 77

VIOLINS: AYANO NINOMIYA AND JULIETTE KANG  
VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN CELLO: CLANCY NEWMAN  
DOUBLE BASS: HAROLD ROBINSON

## 5 FRIDAY, JULY 29 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

### DUO TO 'RACH' THE HOUSE

**W.A. MOZART:** Divertimento in F Major, K138

VIOLINS: AYANO NINOMIYA AND JULIETTE KANG VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN  
CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES DOUBLE BASS: HAROLD ROBINSON

**ARNOLD BAX:** Elegaic Trio

**MYRIAD TRIO** ▶ FLUTE: DEMARRE MCGILL HARP: JULIE SMITH  
VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN

**HERBERT HOWELLS:** Piano Quartet

**CLAROSA PIANO QUARTET** ▶ PIANO: NATALIE ZHU VIOLIN:  
JULIETTE KANG VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES

**RACHMANINOFF:** Sonata in G minor, Op. 19,  
for cello and piano

CELLO: CLANCY NEWMAN PIANO: STEWART GOODYEAR

## 6 SUNDAY, JULY 31 ▶ 4 P.M.

SPONSORED BY BELMONT MARKET

### BOWING OUT WITH BARTOK

**SAINT-SAENS:** Fantasie Op. 124 for Harp and Violin

HARP: JULIE SMITH VIOLIN: AYANO NINOMIYA

**ZOLTAN KODALY:** Intermezzo for String Trio

VIOLIN: JULIETTE KANG VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN  
CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES

**ERWIN SCHULHOFF:** Concertino for Flute, Viola,  
and Double Bass

FLUTE: DEMARRE MCGILL VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN  
DOUBLE BASS: HAROLD ROBINSON

**BARTOK:** Piano Quintet, BB33

PIANO: STEWART GOODYEAR VIOLINS: JULIETTE KANG  
AND AYANO NINOMIYA VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN  
CELLO: CLANCY NEWMAN

# Kingston Chamber Music festival

## HOW TO PURCHASE TICKETS

ONLINE: [kingstonchambermusic.org](http://kingstonchambermusic.org)

BY PHONE: 401-874-2106 (beginning May 9)

BY MAIL: With this order form

AT THE BOX OFFICE:

HOURS: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., weekdays,  
beginning Monday, May 9, through July

LOCATION: Near the back entrance to the Concert Hall at  
the Fine Arts Center, Upper College Road, on URI campus

PHONE: 401-874-2106 EMAIL: [kcmfboxoffice@etal.uri.edu](mailto:kcmfboxoffice@etal.uri.edu)

MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1733, Kingston, RI 02881

Tickets are sometimes available at the door one  
hour before the start of each concert

## MAIL-IN TICKET ORDER FORM

### TICKET SUBSCRIPTION PACKAGES

please indicate number of subscriptions on lines at left,  
and circle the concerts you want

		1	2	3	4	5	6	SUBTOTAL
4-CONCERT SUBSCRIPTION(s) at \$95 each	\$							
5-CONCERT SUBSCRIPTION(s) at \$115 each	\$							
6-CONCERT SUBSCRIPTION(s) at \$132 each	\$							

### SINGLE TICKETS

please indicate number of tickets you want on lines  
before each concert

SINGLE TICKET(s) at \$25 each	\$							
CHURCH CONCERT TICKET(s) at \$30 each	\$							

TOTAL TICKET PURCHASE \$

PLEASE COMPLETE OPPOSITE SIDE ▶



### POST-CONCERT Q&A SESSIONS WITH THE ARTISTS ▶

FOLLOWING CONCERT 2 ON JULY 22  
AND CONCERT 4 ON JULY 27

CLASSICAL 95.9 WCRI IS THE MEDIA SPONSOR OF  
THE 2016 KINGSTON CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL



## ONE CHURCH CONCERT... SATURDAY, JULY 23 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

### INTRODUCING PIANIST VIKTOR VALKOV

AT THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, 383 OLD NORTH ROAD, KINGSTON | LIMITED SEATING

**L. COUPERIN:** Unmeasured Prelude in C Major | **J. FROBERGER:** Lamentation on the  
death of Ferdinand III | **F. LISZT:** Isolde's Liebestod, from Wagner's *Tristan and Isolde* |  
**BEETHOVEN:** Sonata No. 29 "Hammerklavier," Op. 106



# SIX SUBSCRIPTION CONCERTS . . . AT THE URI FINE ARTS CENTER CONCERT HALL

## 1 WEDNESDAY, JULY 20 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

SPONSORED BY URI COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

### CLARA, ROBERT AND JOHANNES

**CLARA SCHUMANN:** Three Romances for Violin and Piano, Op. 22

VIOLIN: BELLA HRISTOVA PIANO: NATALIE ZHU

**SCHUMANN:** Piano Trio No. 2 in F Major, Op. 80

PIANO: VIKTOR VALKOV VIOLIN: NOAH GELLER  
CELLO: YUMI KENDALL

**BRAHMS:** String Sextet No. 2 in G Major

VIOLINS: BELLA HRISTOVA AND NOAH GELLER  
VIOLAS: ROBERTO DIAZ AND CHE-HUNG CHEN  
CELLOS: YUMI KENDALL AND WILHELMINA SMITH

## 2 FRIDAY, JULY 22 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

SPONSORED BY WAKEFIELD LIQUORS

### VARIETY IS THE SPICE

**BOCCHERINI:** String Quintet in C Major, Op. 42

VIOLINS: NOAH GELLER AND BELLA HRISTOVA  
VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN CELLOS: WILHELMINA SMITH  
AND YUMI KENDALL

**PAGANINI:** Terzetto Concertante

GUITAR: JASON VIEAUX VIOLA: ROBERTO DIAZ  
CELLO: WILHELMINA SMITH

**MANUEL DE FALLA:** Siete Canciones

Populares Españolas

CELLO: YUMI KENDALL GUITAR: JASON VIEAUX

**THIERRY ESAICHT:** Tango Virtuoso

**PROJECT FUSION** ▶ SOPRANO SAXOPHONE: DANIEL ESPINOZA  
ALTO SAXOPHONE: MATT AMEDIO TENOR SAXOPHONE:  
MICHAEL SAWZIN BARITONE SAXOPHONE: MATT EVANS

**JOAQUIN TURINA:** Escena Andaluza, Op. 7

VIOLA SOLOIST: ROBERTO DIAZ PIANO: NATALIE ZHU  
VIOLINS: BELLA HRISTOVA AND NOAH GELLER  
VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN CELLO: YUMI KENDALL

### STAY FOR THE POST-CONCERT Q&A SESSIONS WITH THE ARTISTS ▶

FOLLOWING CONCERT 2 ON JULY 22  
AND CONCERT 4 ON JULY 27

## 3 SUNDAY, JULY 24 ▶ 4 P.M.

SPONSORED BY AMICA INSURANCE

### AFTERNOON DELIGHTS

**J.S. BACH:** Concerto Italiano BWV971

**PROJECT FUSION** ▶ SOPRANO SAXOPHONE: DANIEL ESPINOZA  
ALTO SAXOPHONE: MATT AMEDIO TENOR SAXOPHONE:  
MICHAEL SAWZIN BARITONE SAXOPHONE: MATT EVANS

**CASTELNUOVO-TEDESCO:** Quintet for Guitar  
and String Quartet, Op. 143

GUITAR: JASON VIEAUX VIOLINS: NOAH GELLER AND  
BELLA HRISTOVA VIOLA: ROBERTO DIAZ CELLO: YUMI KENDALL

**MENDELSSOHN:** Piano Trio in D Minor, Op. 49

PIANO: NATALIE ZHU VIOLIN: BELLA HRISTOVA  
CELLO: WILHELMINA SMITH

## 4 WEDNESDAY, JULY 27 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

SPONSORED BY CENTREVILLE BANK

### A MYRIAD OF FESTIVAL FIRSTS

**SCHUBERT:** Quartettsatz in C Minor, D. 703

VIOLINS: AYANO NINOMIYA AND JULIETTE KANG  
VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES

**DEBUSSY:** Trio in G Major

**MYRIAD TRIO** ▶ FLUTE: DEMARRE MCGILL HARP: JULIE SMITH  
VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN

**GOODYEAR:** Piano Quartet (*World Premiere*)

**CLAROSA PIANO QUARTET** ▶ PIANO: NATALIE ZHU  
VIOLIN: JULIETTE KANG VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN  
CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES

**DVORAK:** Bass Quintet in G Major, Op. 77

VIOLINS: AYANO NINOMIYA AND JULIETTE KANG  
VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN CELLO: CLANCY NEWMAN  
DOUBLE BASS: HAROLD ROBINSON



## ONE CHURCH CONCERT . . . SATURDAY, JULY 23 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

### INTRODUCING PIANIST VIKTOR VALKOV

AT THE LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, 383 OLD NORTH ROAD, KINGSTON | LIMITED SEATING

**L. COUPERIN:** Unmeasured Prelude in C Major | **J. FROBERGER:** Lamentation on  
the death of Ferdinand III | **F. LISZT:** Isolde's Liebestod, from Wagner's  
*Tristan and Isolde* | **BEETHOVEN:** Sonata No. 29 "Hammerklavier," Op. 106

## 5 FRIDAY, JULY 29 ▶ 7:30 P.M.

### DUO TO 'RACH' THE HOUSE

**W.A. MOZART:** Divertimento in F Major, K138

VIOLINS: AYANO NINOMIYA AND JULIETTE KANG VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN  
CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES DOUBLE BASS: HAROLD ROBINSON

**ARNOLD BAX:** Elegaic Trio

**MYRIAD TRIO** ▶ FLUTE: DEMARRE MCGILL HARP: JULIE SMITH  
VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN

**HERBERT HOWELLS:** Piano Quartet

**CLAROSA PIANO QUARTET** ▶ PIANO: NATALIE ZHU VIOLIN:  
JULIETTE KANG VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES

**RACHMANINOFF:** Sonata in G minor, Op. 19,  
for cello and piano

CELLO: CLANCY NEWMAN PIANO: STEWART GOODYEAR

## 6 SUNDAY, JULY 31 ▶ 4 P.M.

SPONSORED BY BELMONT MARKET

### BOWING OUT WITH BARTOK

**SAINT-SAENS:** Fantasie Op. 124 for Harp and Violin

HARP: JULIE SMITH VIOLIN: AYANO NINOMIYA

**ZOLTAN KODALY:** Intermezzo for String Trio

VIOLIN: JULIETTE KANG VIOLA: CHE-HUNG CHEN  
CELLO: THOMAS KRAINES

**ERWIN SCHULHOFF:** Concertino for Flute, Viola,  
and Double Bass

FLUTE: DEMARRE MCGILL VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN  
DOUBLE BASS: HAROLD ROBINSON

**BARTOK:** Piano Quintet, BB33

PIANO: STEWART GOODYEAR VIOLINS: JULIETTE KANG  
AND AYANO NINOMIYA VIOLA: CHE-YEN CHEN  
CELLO: CLANCY NEWMAN

# Kingston Chamber Music festival

## HOW TO PURCHASE TICKETS

ONLINE: [kingstonchambermusic.org](http://kingstonchambermusic.org)

BY PHONE: 401-874-2106 (beginning May 9)

BY MAIL: With this order form

AT THE BOX OFFICE:

HOURS: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., weekdays,  
beginning Monday, May 9, through July

LOCATION: Near the back entrance to the Concert Hall at  
the Fine Arts Center, Upper College Road, on URI campus

PHONE: 401-874-2106 EMAIL: [kcmfboxoffice@etal.uri.edu](mailto:kcmfboxoffice@etal.uri.edu)

MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1733, Kingston, RI 02881

Tickets are sometimes available at the door one  
hour before the start of each concert

## MAIL-IN TICKET ORDER FORM

### TICKET SUBSCRIPTION PACKAGES

please indicate number of subscriptions on lines at left,  
and circle the concerts you want

		SUBTOTAL
_____ 4-CONCERT SUBSCRIPTION(s) at \$95 each		\$ _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 <input type="checkbox"/> 6	
_____ 5-CONCERT SUBSCRIPTION(s) at \$115 each		\$ _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5 <input type="checkbox"/> 6	
_____ 6-CONCERT SUBSCRIPTION(s) at \$132 each		\$ _____

### SINGLE TICKETS

please indicate number of tickets you want on lines  
before each concert

SINGLE TICKET(s) at \$25 each		\$ _____
_____ 1   _____ 2   _____ 3   _____ 4   _____ 5   _____ 6		
_____ CHURCH CONCERT TICKET(s) at \$30 each		\$ _____

TOTAL TICKET PURCHASE \$ \_\_\_\_\_