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On behalf of the Board of Directors, I welcome you to the seventeenth annual Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition.

The Competition has grown from an idea of our founder Joseph E. Fischoff into an internationally recognized event. The Fischoff Competition now attracts participants from around the world.

We are proud to host an event of this caliber. The Competition, one of only a few in the United States, encourages the growth, education and development of young musicians.

The Fischoff Competition brings to the community a unique opportunity to hear the very finest of chamber music. The Competition gives the South Bend/Mishawaka/Elkhart community the prestige of being a major music center.

The Board would like to express its most sincere appreciation to the individuals and corporations who have helped to make the Competition a reality. Planning has already begun for the 1991 Fischoff Competition. We need your help both financially and personally. Please contact our Executive Director, Teresa Brouillette-Wade, if you would like further information on how to become involved in this worthwhile activity.

We wish the musicians all the best as they compete. Now experience with us the excitement and beauty of the Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition.

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James L. Mullins President

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Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition

Schedule of Events

Friday, March 23:

Recital Hall - Lower Level 9:30 am - 12:45 pm Senior Wind Semi-Finals 2:00 pm - 5:15 pm Senior Wind Semi-Finals

Bendix Theatre - Upper Level

11:15 am - 12:15 pm Senior String Semi-Finals 2:00 pm - 4:40 pm Senior String Semi-Finals

Tippecanoe Place Grand Ball Room 7:30 pm "President's Soiree" (reservations required)

Saturday, March 24:

Recital Hall - Lower Level 9:30 am - 12:45 pm Senior Wind Semi-Finals

Bendix Theatre - Upper Level 10:00 am - 11:45 am Senior String Semi-Finals 1:00 pm - 5:50 pm Junior Division Semi-Finals

Art Center - Upper Level 10:30 am - "Getting to Know Chamber Music" featuring the Notre Dame String Trio

Marriott Hotel

7:00 pm Participants' Dinner (reservations required)

Sunday, March 25:

Bendix Theatre - Upper Level

11:20 am - 12:20 pm Junior Division Finals 12:45 pm - 4:00 pm Senior Division Finals 4:30 pm Awards Ceremony



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A Note from Our Founder

Chamber Music, once played only for the enjoyment of the privileged few in royal and noble courts, is now the birthright of everyone.

We can delight in the witty and intimate conversation among and between the instruments, as well as share the deep emotions of great composers, who thus, poured out their innermost thoughts and feelings.

The tremendous revival of interest in Chamber Music is most fortunate for upcoming musicians. It is the hope of furthering the opportunities of careers for these gifted young artists, that this competition is dedicated.

With my best wishes,

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Joseph E. Fischoff

A Letter of Welcome from Mayor Kernan



City of South Bend Joseph E. Kernan, Mayor

Office of the Mayor

On behalf of the citizens of South Bend, I extend a warm welcome to all of those participating in the 1990 Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition. I am very pleased that South Bend is the host city for this prestigious national competition. It is a tribute to the dedication of our young musicians throughout the country.

While you are visiting here in South Bend, I invite you to sample some of our unique cultural and social amenities. Among the choices I recommend are the South Bend Art Center, the South Bend Symphony Orchestra, the Studebaker National Museum, the Northern Indiana Historical Society Museum, the Snite Museum of Art, the Indiana University Schurz Library, the University of Notre Dame, and the outstanding historic architecture in the West Washington National Historic District.

The Chamber of Commerce, Century Center, and the many hotels and restaurants in the area represent the finest in professional staff dedicated to fulfilling your every need and wish. We all stand ready to assist you and look forward to working with you to make your competition the most successful ever.

Please enjoy your stay in South Bend, and plan to visit again very soon.

Sincerely,

Joseph E. Kernan



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Our praise to everyone involved in this performance. Your dedication, discipline and collaborative spirit have made this performance one of our community's finest.



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Getting to Know Chamber Music

Reminiscence of last year's program and anticipation of this year. By: Dea Jean Andrews

Last Year: memory fragments

An eight year old boy held his hand in the air waiting patiently to be called on. "How did you decide which instrument you wanted to play?" Members of the Chester String Quartet glanced at each other as they searched their memories to the beginning of their musical training. Violinist Fritz turned to the boy with a laugh, "I started to play the violin when I was four because my mother played one." Ron, who plays both the violin and viola, had a similar story. "My father played a violin and so at the age of ten, I decided to follow suit." Tom, starting on the cello when he was six, was inspired by a cellist friend. When she was ten, Susan chose the violin because of its size!

During the 1989 Fischoff Chamber Music Competition, the Chester String Quartet talked and played for a group of 50 to 60 people in a "Getting to Know Chamber Music" session. Playing selections from Mozart and Mendelssohn, Beethoven and Ravel, the members of this ensemble stopped between each to discuss the work and answer questions. Because of the informal atmosphere they created, everyone felt comfortable to speak up.

"When did chamber music come into existence?" "Why is it called chamber music?" "How old are your instruments?"

"What do you look for in selecting a bow?"

Fritz, Susan, Tom and Ron took time and consideration in answering all questions, showing in their responses similarities and differences in their personalities. It became clear that a central part of an ensemble's success is the integration of the individual players and their process of achieving agreement. It was intriguing to watch how the members of this quartet interacted as they performed.

"How do you choose your music?" "How do you prepare a piece and how long does it take?" "How do you decide on an interpretation since you do not have a conductor?"

Besides individual practice, the Chester String Quartet practices together six days a week for at least three hours a day. One piece they played at this session was specifically chosen because it was not yet polished into its performance shape. It was still in process. Zhou Long, a contemporary Chinese composer, wrote "Song of the Ch'in," an evocative piece using new techniques on western stringed instruments to imitate the sounds of old Chinese music. "How does a composer write these



The Notre Dame String Trio

sounds so that you can produce them the way they are supposed to be played?" A new notation, a new language, has to be learned.

This year: anticipation

A similar warm, personable and informative experience is part of this year's Fischoff Chamber Music Competition weekend. The Notre Dame String Trio is scheduled to share their music and observations in a "Getting to Know Chamber Music" session. Violinist Carolyn Plummer, violist Victoria Chiang and cellist Karen Buranskas will meet their audience in the Art Center's Main Gallery on March 24, at 10:30 am.

The Fischoff Chamber Music Competition is indeed fortunate to have the Chester String Quartet and the Notre Dame String Trio resident in the South Bend area. These groups are not only among the best in performance but also are willing to share their ensemble experience in the informal setting of the "Getting to Know Chamber Music" sessions.

The Notre Dame String Trio, formed in the fall of 1989, brings together the outstanding talents and experience of three young women who are on the faculty of the Music Department at the University of Notre Dame.

Karen Buranskas, cello, has taught at Notre Dame since 1979. She studied at Indiana University under Fritz Magg and Janos Starker, at University of Southern California under Gregor Piatogorsky, and at Yale University under Aldo Parisot. She has been principal cellist with the South Bend Symphony for the past six years and regularly performs recitals and solo work in the U. S., Canada, Brazil and Japan.

Carolyn Plummer, violin, came to South Bend last fall. She studied at Indiana University and at New England Conservatory under Joseph Silverstein. While in Houston, she was assistant concert master and soloist. While she was a faculty member at the University of Florida, she performed with the resident Florida Arts Trio. She is also a member of the Atlanta Virtuosi chamber ensemble. Victoria Chiang, viola, came to South Bend in the fall of 1989. She studied at the University of Cincinnati-College Conservatory of Music under Dorothy DeLay and at the Eastman School of Music. She has performed solo with orchestras in New Jersey and Ohio. She was a member of the faculty at the University of Rochester; she teaches and performs at the Ohio University Festival of Strings during summers.

1990 String Jurors



Frank Glazer, piano

Mr. Glazer's introduction to chamber music began in childhood. A pupil of Arthur Schnabel and Arnold Schoenberg, Mr. Glazer was invited by Serge Koussevitsky to make his orchestral debut with the Boston Symphony Orchestra. He has appeared with leading orchestras on three continents and has won such prestigious awards as the Paderewski Piano Medal. Mr. Glazer lectures and gives master classes throughout the United States. He is "Artist-in-Residence and Lecturer in Music" at Bates College in Lewiston, Maine. He was a member of the artist faculty at the Eastman School of Music, and at Indiana University he was Visiting Professor of Piano. Major recording projects have included Brahms' piano quartets, the piano music of Erik Satie and piano chamber music of Charles Ives. Mr. Glazer is a founding member of the New England Piano Quartette, the Cantilena Chamber Players, cofounder of the Saco River Festival Association in Cornish, Maine and has been the principal guest artist of the Atlanta Virtuosi since 1980. He has performed as guest artist with Fine Arts, Kroll, Berkshire, and Cleveland String Quartets, and the New York Woodwind Quintet.



Bonnie Hampton, cello

Ms. Hampton is cellist with the acclaimed Hampton/Schwartz Duo which appears regularly throughout the country in recital, at major music festivals and as members of the Naumburg Award winning Francesco Trio. In addition to her work with the Duo and Trio, Ms. Hampton is an artist/faculty member of the San Francisco Conservatory of Music. She has performed as a guest artist with the Juilliard, Guarneri, Mendelssohn, Budapest, Lenox and Griller String Quartets. She has appeared as a soloist with orchestras throughout the country and at the Ravinia and Mostly Mozart Festivals. As a student of the great Pablo Casals, Ms. Hampton frequently participated in the Casals and Marlboro Festivals and Music from Marlboro tours.



Donald Weilerstein, violin

Mr. Weilerstein has performed as soloist and chamber musician throughout the world. He studied violin with Sidney Griller of the Griller String Quartet until entering the Juilliard School where he was the first recipient of the Fritz Kreisler Memorial Scholarship. He studied with Ivan Galamian, Dorothy DeLay and members of the Juilliard Quartet. He was a member of the Young Concert Artists and a three-year participant in the Marlboro Music Festival. He won the Munich International Competition for Violin and Piano Duo in 1968. For twenty years Mr. Weilerstein has been the first violinist of the world renowned Cleveland Quartet. His recordings with the quartet have won seven Grammy nominations and Best of Year awards from Time and Stereo Review. Mr. Weilerstein has taught and performed at American and European music festivals including Aspen, Mostly Mozart, Berlin, Edinburgh, Salzburg, and many more. He performs as a duo recitalist with pianist Vivian Hornick Weilerstein. Mr. Weilerstein taught violin and chamber music at the Eastman School. In the fall of 1989, he assumed an appointment as Professor of Violin at the Cleveland

1990 Wind Jurors



Philip Farkas, french horn

Regarded as one of the foremost hornists in America, Dr. Farkas began his study of the french horn at an early age, playing both in band and orchestra in school. In his professional career he has held the solo horn position in the Kansas City Philharmonic, Cleveland Orchestra, Boston Symphony and the Chicago Symphony. Dr. Farkas was horn instructor at Northwestern, DePaul, and Roosevelt Universities in Chicago. For 24 years he taught horn at Indiana University in Bloomington, where he has the rank of Distinguished Professor Emeritus of Music. His expertise and quest for the perfect instrument led him to develop a horn that bears his name. The Holton Farkas model is now the largest selling horn in America. Dr. Farkas is widely acclaimed for his artistry and teaching ability. Dr. Farkas has authored four definitive treatises: "The Art of French Horn Playing," "The Art of Brass Playing," " The Art of Musicianship," and "A Photographic Study of 40 Virtuoso Horn Players' Embouchures."



Harvey Phillips, tuba

Harvey Phillips is a legend among brass players and other instrumentalists as well as to an ever increasing general audience. Mr. Phillips in his multiple activities as a teacher, clinician, commissioner of new works, and organizer of tuba and brass festivals, has been an "evangelist" promoting the idea that the tuba can, in the hands of fine musicians, communicate the entire gamut of musical emotions and expressions. His efforts on behalf of other musicians never cease. For his missionary zeal and his exemplary performance record, Mr. Phillips has won the respect of all his colleagues, as well as countless composers whose works he has premiered, championed and performed. Mr. Phillips holds the rank of Distinguished Professor of Music as a member of the faculty at Indiana University and is the Executive Editor of the Instrumentalist magazine. Mr. Phillips holds faculty positions with numerous music festivals as well as Hartt College of Music, New England Conservatory of Music and Northwestern University, to name a few. In addition to his teaching and performing, Mr. Phillips serves on the Board of Directors of numerous music organizations, foundations and societies.



Sol Schoenbach, bassoon

Mr. Schoenbach, graduate of the renowned Juilliard School organized the Philadelphia Woodwind Quintet in 1950 and performed with the ensemble until 1966. In his career spanning five decades, Mr. Schoenbach has held such posts as Executive Director of the Settlement Music School in Philadelphia and Director of Presser Company. He taught bassoon at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia from 1943 to 1985 and served as bassoonist with the Philadelphia Orchestra from 1937 to 1957. He has served as juror for international competitions in Munich, Toulon and Tokyo. He has conducted master classes in bassoon at Banff (Canada). He has participated in numerous international festivals such as the Festival of Two Worlds in Spoleto, Italy, and the Stratford Festival in Canada.

Commentary on the Competition

By: Dea Jean Andrews

Music competitions - the Van Cliburn, the Tschaikovsky, the Casadeus - have lifted many gifted musicians into prominence and given direction to their careers. However, most of these competitions are for solo performances; few are for ensembles.

Joseph Fischoff and the members of the South Bend Chamber Music Society recognized the need for a forum where young aspiring chamber musicians would be encouraged to pursue their art and where promising ensembles could be identified. In 1974, they established a competition and six groups participated. They may not have known how successful their endeavors would be, but today there is no doubt that they founded a "winner."

Not only did the number of applicant groups increase to nearly seventy by 1988, but also winners of the competition went on to distinguish themselves. Groups such as the Meliora, the Ridge, and the Franciscan String Quartets have all won top prizes at other important competitions and have gone on to successful careers on the concert stage. The 1987 winners, the Harrington String Quartet, recently made their Carnegie Recital Hall debut in New York City. The 1988 winners, the Lafayette String Quartet, placed third in the prestigious City of Portsmouth (England) International String Quartet Competition.

The Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition has indeed grown in status and reputation; however, it has not lost sight of the goal of encouraging young musicians. To give the youngest players a fair chance, there is a Junior Division. The Kenneth Geoffroy Award was established for the best regional (Michiana) junior ensemble. All groups are juried by six well known and respected string and wind musicians. For three days, these men and women listen with care and concentration to the contestant groups and make their selections. They do this knowing full well that besides mastery of instruments, and musical and ensemble cohesiveness, there is an element in their decisions that is not quantifiable - taste and musical preference. It is a tribute to past adjudicators that their decisions have helped solidify the reputation of the Fischoff Competition.

From 1979 to 1984, the Competition was organized and run by Century Productions. Under the strain of an incredible growth, it became apparent that an independent organization was needed which made its sole responsibility the running of the competition. In 1985, the Fischoff Chamber Music Association was incorporated as a not-for-profit organization. It is governed by a board of directors and managed by an executive director with an assistant. Now that the Association has established itself in the centrally located Colfax Cultural Center and has achieved efficiency in running its organization, it has identified three additional objectives for growth. It aims to increase the amount of prize money for each category; to extend the Winner's Tour by including a concert in a major hall in New York City; and to focus on the stated purpose of stimulating the appreciation of chamber music among residents of Michiana. The pursuit of these objectives will enhance the importance of the Competition.

South Bend is fortunate and honored to be the home of such an important competition whose increasing degree of artistic quality and professional excellence has garnered the respect of the music world. Awarded to the highest ranking Junior ensemble from the Michiana region.

For almost two decades Kenneth Geoffroy was an originator of ideas and activities in the arts in Michiana. In 1967, he left his native Kansas to become Coordinator of Fine Arts for the South Bend Community School Corporation, a position he held until his death in 1982.

Ken Geoffroy was a fine trombonist and active performer in numerous area groups. He was instrumental in the creation of the South Bend Youth Symphony and the Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition. Because of his efforts for these and other music programs, it is especially appropriate that friends of his have endowed an annual Geoffroy Prize for the best Junior Division from north central Indiana and lower Michigan.

The leadership of the Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition joins in thanking those who have contributed to the endowment fund for the Geoffroy Prize, and promises that it will continue to encourage young musicians from this area in decades to come. Major contributors to this Prize have been Blessing's School Music and Elizabeth M. Cullity.

Soirees 1990

The custom of small musical gatherings in private homes, initiated by Joseph Fischoff and the South Bend Chamber Music Society over 25 years ago, is becoming a very popular tradition. Nine Soirees will be held this year; one of which is the "President's Soiree" at the Tippecanoe Place Grand Ball Room.

The Fischoff Association has created the "President's Soiree" for the many local residents who have enjoyed soirees in the past and have expressed an interest in attending these "mini-concerts" every year.

Through the generosity of the Springtime Soiree hosts and hostesses, the Fischoff Chamber Music Association is able to present to the local community some of the talent that assembles in South Bend for the Competition. These musical soirees not only provide good music, food and company in a comfortable setting, but also help to raise needed funds which support the excellence of the Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition.

On Thursday, March 22 and Friday, March 23, music will flow with a richness, timbre and subtlety which is sometimes lost in a larger auditorium. A special thanks is extended to the hosts and hostesses of this year's Springtime Soirees and to the participating ensembles who share their music with the many fortunate guests.

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How the Jury Picks the Winner

How does a juror make his or her selection of the very best ensemble? It is no easy task by any means. The distinguished jury of the 1990 Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition will have some formulas to help them. However, they will primarily rely upon their own musical excellence and experience as performers and teachers when they listen for : Interpretation (tempi, dynamics, musicality, etc.); Ensemble (balance, blend, unity of playing, etc.); Technical Accuracy (rhythm, intonation, etc.); Overall Performance (poise, artistic impression, etc.).

Each juror ranks all of the ensembles (within each category) from one - being best, to the last ensemble. Then, members of the Competition Committee and staff list each of the juror's rankings for each ensemble. Each ensemble's set of rankings is then added and averaged to obtain the composite rank for each group.

Rankings may be a great way for determining who wins the prize but, the real value for the musicians comes from the written comments which the jurors make about each performance. The jury's comment sheets are distributed to each ensemble after the competition is finished. By reading these comments, all of the ensembles win valuable, positive feedback which encourages their growth as chamber musicians.

Summary of Competition Rules

The Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition is open to chamber music ensembles of three to five instrumentalists. It is divided into two Divisions: Junior & Senior. The Senior Division is divided into two Categories: Wind & String. Junior Division ensembles must not include members who are older than age 18. For Senior Division ensembles, the average of the members' ages must not exceed 30 years.

There are minimum repertoire requirements in both the Senior and Junior Divisions. Junior ensembles must be prepared to play a minimum of two contrasting movements (they may or may not be from the same piece) which comprise a minimum of ten minutes total playing time.

Senior Division ensembles must prepare a minimum of two complete works of contrasting style and period, comprising a minimum of 40 minutes total playing time. Appropriateness of repertoire is subject to the approval of the Competition Committee.

The Competition takes place in three rounds. The first round is a tape audition which is screened by a panel of qualified musician performer/teachers. The second and third rounds are the live auditions held in South Bend before the panel of distinguished jurors.

Prizes

Senior Division

String Category

First Prize - \$2,000 Second Prize - \$800 Third Prize - \$400

Wind Category

First Prize - \$2,000 Second Prize - \$800 Third Prize - \$400

Grand Prize

Awarded to the best of the two first prize ensembles \$1,000 additional prize money and the Winner's Tour

Junior Division

First Prize - \$600 Second Prize - \$250 Third Prize - \$100

Geoffroy Award - \$125

1990 Winner's Tour Schedule

September 21 - The Snite Museum of Art, South Bend September 22 - Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indianapolis September 24 - Mostly Music Series, Chicago

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Fischoff National Chamber Music Competition Senior Strings -Bendix Theatre

Friday, March 23, 1990

11:15 am

S1 - Ying Quartet Eastman School of Music, Rochester, New York

Timothy Ying, 24, Violin Janet Ying, 20, Violin Phillip Ying, 21, Viola David Ying, 26, Cello

Quartet in A, Op. 29 Allegro ma non troppo Andante Menuetto: Allegretto Allegro moderato

Schubert

Bartok

Quartet No. 4 (1928) Allegro Prestissimo, con sordino Non troppo lento Allegretto pizzicato Allegro molto

11:45 am S2 - The Kaplan Trio

University of Cincinnati-College Conservatory of Music, Cincinnati, Ohio

> Timothy Schwarz, 22, Violin Harriet Kaplan, 32, Cello Michael Chertock, 22, Piano

Trio No. 1 in B major, Op. 8 Allegro con brio Scherzo: Allegro molto Adagio Allegro

Shostakovich

Brahms

Trio in E minor, Op. 67 Andante - moderato Allegro non troppo Largo Allegretto

S3 - (Withdrew) 12:15 pm

Friday, March 23, 1990

S4 - The Samaris Piano Trio 2:00 pm Cleveland, Ohio

> Molly Fung, 25, Violin Bryan Dumm, 27, Cello Sylvia Wang, 29, Piano

Trio for Piano, Violin and Cello Modere Pantoum Passacaille Finale

Trio (1954) Marcato Largo

Ghost Trio Op. 70, No. 1 Allegro vivace Largo assai Presto

Kirchner

Ravel

Beethoven

2:30 pm S5 - Trio Wanderer

Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana

Guillaume Sutre, 20, Violin Raphael Pidoux, 22, Cello Vincent Coq, 26, Piano

Trio Op. 66 in C minor Allegro energico et con fuoco Andante espressivo Scherzo molto allegro quasi presto Allegro appassionato

Trio H. XV, No. 27 Allegro con brio Andante Presto Trio in A minor

> Modere Pantoum Passacaille

Finale

Haydn

Mendelssohn

Ravel

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Friday, March 23, 1990

3:00 pm

S6 - Arista Trio New York, New York

Daniel Froschauer, 24, Violin Michael Mermagen, 27, Cello Sang Mi Chung, 25, Piano

Mendelssohn

Trio in D minor, Op. 49 Molto allegro ed agitato Andante con moto tranquillo Scherzo Finale: allegro assai appassionato

Shostakovich

Trio in E minor, No. 2, Op. 67 Andante Allegro non troppo Largo Allegretto

3:40 pm S7 - Artaria String Quartet

Boston, Massachusetts

Ray Shows, 27, Violin Nancy Oliveras - Shows, 32, Violin Leslie Perna, 27, Viola William Rounds, 28, Cello

Quartet in B-flat K. 458 Allegro vivace assai Menuetto-moderato Adagio Allegro assai

Mozart

Quartet No. 6 Mesto: vivace Mesto: marcia Mesto: burletta Mesto

Bartok

4:10 pm S8 - The Sennet Trio

Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida

Marguerite Richardson, 30, Violin Elaine Boda, 28, Cello Scott Watkins, 28, Piano

Trio in D major, Op. 70, No. 1 Allegro vivace con brio Largo assai ed espressivo Presto

Beethoven

Trio in A minor, Op. 50

Tema con variazione

Pezzo elegiaco

Tchaikovsky

The Yamaha Corporation of America has graciously

loaned the 7 foot grand piano used in performances occurring in Bendix Theatre.

S9 - Westbrook String Quartet 10:00 am

Youngstown State University, Youngstown, Ohio

Andrew Bruck, 27, Violin Susan Brenneis, 30, Violin Cynthia Kempf, 28, Viola Chizuko Matsusaka, 24, Cello

Quartet Allegro moderato, tres doux Assez vif - tres rythme Tres lent Vif et agite

Quartet in D, No. 4 Allegretto Andantino Allegretto Allegretto

10:30 am

S10 - Trio Sortilege Tallahassee, Florida

Beverly Crawford, 22, Flute Erica Lessie, 23, Cello Paul Transue, 26, Piano

Trio for Flute, Cello and Piano Martinu Poco allegretto Adagio Andante: allegretto scherzando

Trio in D major, H. XV, No. 16 Allegro Andantino piu tosto allegretto Vivace assai

Vox Balaenae (Voice of the Whale) Crumb Vocalise (...for the beginning of time) Variations on Sea-Time Sea-Nocturne (...for the end of time)

11:15 am S11 - The Rosalyra String Quartet

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Sarah Kwak, 26, Violin Celine Leathead, 28, Violin Carla-Maria Rodrigues, 26, Viola Beth Rapier, 29, Cello

Quartet in D major, Op. 76 No. 5 Haydn Allegretto-allegro Largo ma non troppo: cantible e mesto Menuet: allegro ma non troppo Finale: presto

Quartet No.1, Op. 7 Bartok Lento-attacca: Poco a poco accelerando; all 'Allegretto-introduzione; allegro-attacca Allegro vivace

Ravel

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9:30 am W1 - Halyburton Woodwind Quintet

Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan

Karen Kassover, 23, Flute James Roe, 22, Oboe Barbara Rentschler, 29, Clarinet Patricia Holland, 32, Bassoon Stephen Lawson, 33, French Horn

Blaserquintett B-dur Allegretto Andante con moto Menuett/Trio Allegro

Danzi

Nielsen

Kuintet Allegro ben moderato Menuet Praeludium Tema con variazione

Ligeti

Schmitt

Montecino

Allegro con spirito Rubato, lamentoso Allegro, grazioso Vivace ruvido Adagio, mesto Vivace, capriccioso

Six Bagatelles

10:00 am W2 - The Black Swamp Sax. Quartet

Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio

Joseph Brian Thomas, 27, Soprano Saxophone Matt Messersmith, 24, Alto Saxophone John Wesley Miller, 23, Tenor Saxophone Kevin F. Heidbreder, 29, Baritone Saxophone

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Divertimento Preludio Tango Bagatelle Aria Final

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10:30 am W3 - The Jupiter Sax. Quartet

New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, Massachusetts Clinton Schmitt, 31, Soprano Saxophone Douglas Reichgott, 20, Alto Saxophone Matthew Sintchak, 21, Tenor Saxophone Demetrius Spaneas, 21, Baritone Saxophone

Rivier

Piano Sonata No. 1, mvt. IVb

Grave et Presto

Ives/Schmitt

Quartet for Four Saxohpones, in B flat major, Op. 109 Allegro piu mosso Glazounov Canzona Variee Theme: Andante Var. I Andante Var. II Con anima Var. III A la Schuman Var. IV A la Chopin Var. V Scherzo, presto Finale

11:15 am W4 - Quintessence

Eastman School of Music, Rochester, New York Kirsten Larsen, 21, Flute Keve Wilson, 20, Oboe Stephen Williamson, 20, Clarinet Susan Loegering, 20, Bassoon Jill Bobo, 21, French Horn

Quintette en Forme de Choros

Villa-Lobos Nielsen

Quintet, Op. 43

Reicha

Quintet in E-flat major, Op.88 I. Allegro moderato II. Minuet et trio III. Poco andante IV. Finale: allegro molto

W5 - Vista Winds 11:45 am

Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts Virginia A. Johnston, 23, Clarinet Paula M. Redinger, 21, Flute Jose Coronado, 27, Bassoon

Three Pieces for Clarinet, Flute and Bassoon Piston Allegro scherzando Lento Allegro Trio fur Flote, Klarinet und Fagott, Op. 32 Kummer

Allegro Andante grazioso Rondo: allegretto

Giga

Trio for Flute, Clarinet and Bassoon Allegro energico Poco adagio Allegro scherzando

Vivaldi

de Haan

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	Precipice Quartet University, Chicago, Illinois		2:30 pm	W8 - Interstat Rochester, New	e Brass Quintet York
Jerry Ruthrauff, 21, Soprano Saxophone David Dees, 25, Alto Saxophone David Threlkeld, 24, Tenor Saxophone Mark Engebretson, 25, Baritone Saxophone		Peter Lindblom, 28, Trumpet Jon Lindblom, 22, Trumpet Paul Bellino, 22, Trombone Richard Britsch, 30, French Horn			
Quator		Lacour	E	ric Lindblom, 20, Bass	Irombone
Elegie Scherzo Rondo final			Laudes Reveille Scherzo Cantilena		Bach
Introduction of Variation	s sur une Ronde Populaire	Pierne	Volta		
Sketches for Saxophone Invention	Quartet	Noda	Voluntary		Walond
Variation Tocatta			Sinfonietta		Sykora
Windrose		Benson	Fugue		Fraiser
			Woodland Sketo Uncle Remus Deserted Far	S	facDowell/Lindblom
-	Eureka Wind Quint	et	In Autumn		
Oberlin Co	nservatory, Oberlin, Ohio		3:00 pm	W9 - Meridian	n Arts Ensemble
Soyo	oung Lee, 22, Flute		or pin	New York, New 1	
Rebecca Michael M	a Cohen, 21, Clarinet a Schweigert, 20, Oboe ayhew, 19, French Horn Rusling, 21, Bassoon			Jon Nelson, 23, Tr Richard Kelley, 23, 7 Daniel Grabois, 25, Fro	Frumpet ench Horn
Summer Music	Barber		Ве	njamin Herrington, 25 Raymond Stewart, 2	
Six Bagatelles Allegro con spirito Rubato lamentoso Allegro grazioso Presto ruvido Adagio mesto	Ligeti		Seasons Spring Summer Autumn Winter		Stevens
Molto vivace capriccio	SO		Morning Music		Sampson
Wind Quintet Intrada	Harbisc	n	Mini Overture	v	Vitold/Lutoslawski
Intermezzo Romanza Scherzo Finale			Cantrapunctus I Contrapunctu Contrapunctu	s IV	J. S. Bach
			Armenian Scene Morning Song Drinking Song Song of Grief Wedding Prov	g	Arutiunian
			Quintet for Bras Quarter note Quarter note Quarter note	= 66 = 132	Etler

Quarter note = 138



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3:45 pm W10 - Atlantic Trio

North Carolina School of the Arts, Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Elizabeth D. Holler, 20, Flute John D. Hixson, II, 18, Clarinet Robert Franz, 22, Oboe

Trio for Flute, Oboe and Clarinet Schmutz Allegro Andante con moto quasi allegretto Toccatina e fughetta

Aubade for Woodwind Trio

Divertimento Allegro energico Languido Vivace Andantino Maestoso Piacevole

Goeb

Walden

de Wailly

Arnold

Suite Very quick tempo Ouiet motion Graciously Fugue gaily

Movements for Wind Trio Orison Triphthong

W11 - Oympic Brass Quintet 4:15 pm

Northwestern, Evanston, Illinois

David Etterbeek, 21, Trumpet Ed Richardson, 21, Trumpet Steven Replogle, 20, French Horn Brian Diehl, 22, Trombone Timothy Weiss, 22, Bass Trombone

Ewald

Ouintet No. 3 Allegro moderato Moderato Andante Vivo

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Desperavi Andate maestoso e cantabile

Dahl

East

4:45 pm W12 - Honors Woodwind Ouintet

New England Coservatory of Music, Boston, Massachusetts

Melissa Mielens, 21, Flute Michael Miller, 21, Oboe Ti Huang, 23, Clarinet Nancy Sullivan, 24, French Horn Jonathan Hayward, 28, Bassoon

Quintette en Forme de Choros

Villa-Lobos

Harbison

Wind Quintet Intrada Intermezzo Romanza Scherzo Finale

Sehr lebhaft

Etler

Ouintet II for Woodwind Instruments Andante con motto Allegro commodo Adagio Vivace

Saturday, March 24, 1990

9:30 am W13 - Indiana Wind Quintet

Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana

Diane McCloskey, 30, Flute Kevin Elmore, 23, Oboe Michael Chesher, 35, Clarinet David Sarachene, 27, Bassoon Anne Scharer, 21, French Horn

Ouintet Nielsen Allegro ben moderato Menuet Praeludium/theme and variations Quintet, Op. 51, No. 1 B-flat major Danzi Allegretto Andante con moto Menuetto Allegro Kleine Kammermusik, Op. 24, No. 2 Hindemith Lustig, massig schnelle viertel Durchueg sehr leise Ruhig und einfach achtel Schnelle viertel



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10:00 am W14 - No Strings Attached

DePaul University, Chicago, Illinois

Angela Taylor, 20, Flute Amy Barwan, 20, Oboe Jesica Taylor, 20, Clarinet Mikhail Gamburg, 20, Bassoon David Cerra, 20, French Horn

Quintet for Woodwinds Cheetham Rhythmic and energetic Contemplative Playful Delicate Kinetic Quintet in B-flat major, Op. 56, No. 1 Danzi Allegretto

Andate con moto Allegretto Allegro

Allegro and Arioso for Five Wind Instruments Dahl

Variations on a Folksong

Sweelinck/Pieters

Szalowski

Wissmer

Farkas

10:30 am

W15 - Columbus Chamber Winds Columbus, Ohio

Jeffrey Olson, 27, Clarinet Sarah Hamilton, 26, Oboe Robert Jordan, 26, Bassoon

Trio Allegro Andante Gavotte Allegro Serenade Prelude Chanson Dance Mashere Il Capitano Pantalone Colombina Povero puleinella Arlecchino Trio en Ut Arrieu Allegro Pastorale et scherzo Finale Divertissement Francaix Prelude Allegro assai Elegie Scherzo

11:15 am W16 - Resounding Winds

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

J. Eric Wilson, 24, Soprano Saxophone Helen Haller, 23, Alto Saxophone Charles Young, 24, Tenor Saxophone Denise Fest, 26, Baritone Saxophone

Quatuor	Desendos
Allegro non troppo	
Andante	
Poco largo; allegro energico	
Tetralogue	Willis
Fantasia	
Scherzino	
Arioso	
Corrente	
Saxophone Quartet	Young
Fantasia	e
Ritual	
Incantations	
Grave et Presto	Rivier

11:45 am W17 - Mercury Wind Quintet

University of Wisconsin - Institute of Chamber Music, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Paul Thompson, 29, Flute Richard Reed, 23, Oboe Kimberly Whaley, 24, Clarinet Michelle L. Davis, 23, Bassoon Georgia Anne Webster, 25, French Horn

Quintette	Francaix
Andante tranquillo, allegro assai	
Presto	
Tema-andante	
Var. I L'istesso tempo	
Var. II Andatino con moto	
Var. III Lento	
Var. IV Vivo	
Var. V Andante	
Tempo di marcia francese	
Quintette Pour Instruments a Vent	Taffanel
Allegro con moto	
Andante	
Vivace	



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12:15 pm W18 - The Trident Trombone Trio Curtis Institute of Music, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

> Kevin Timothy Roberts, 19, Trombone Paul Jacob Bryan, 19, Trombone Darrin C. Milling, 21, Bass Trombone

Sonata	Speer
Sonata en Trio Grave Allegro Adagio Allegro	Corelli
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1:00 pm J1 - Peabody Prep Piano Trio

Peabody Institute Preparatory, Baltimore, Maryland Jeanyi Kim, 16, Violin Mu Yin Chang, 16, Cello Mi Kyung Joo, 17, Piano

Trio in C minor, Op. 1, No. 3 Andante contabile con variazioni

Smetana

Beethoven

Trio in G minor, Op. 15 Moderato assai

1:20 pm J2 - Caesura String Quartet

Okemos High School, Okemos, Michigan Audrey Leung, 15, Violin Daphne Wang, 15, Violin Woni Chi, 17, Viola Raymond Chi, 15, Cello

Quartet in A major K. 464 Mozart Allegro

Quartet in E-flat major Op. 12 Mendelssohn Adagio non troppo - allegro non tardante

1:40 pm J3 - Devon String Quartet

Temple University Preparatory, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Ellen dePasquale, 16, Violin Hee-Jin Leem, 16, Violin Valerie Johnson, 16, Viola Ju Yeon Song, 17, Cello

Quartet in B-flat major K. 458 Mozart Allegro vivace assai Menuetto Adagio Allegro assai

2:00 pm J4 - The "BAD" Quartet

Music Center North Shore, Winnetka, Illinois Carrie Dennis, 12, Violin/Viola Cathy Basrak, 12, Violin/Viola Sara Abend, 13, Violin/Viola Karen Basrak, 10, Cello

Quartet Op. 18, No. 4 Ι IV

Mozart

Beethoven

Quartet K. 155 I

2:40 pm

J6 - Normandy Quartet Indianapolis, Indiana Krista Moebius, 15, Violin Matt Milewski, 13, Violin Jennifer Harper, 18, Viola Stacy Philpott, 16, Cello

Quartet No. 159 Allegro	Mozart
Quartet No. 6 in F major ("American") Allegro ma non tropp	Dvorak

Quartet in F major Modere

J7 - Sobeyosy-Cesele Cello Quartet 3:15 pm

> South Bend, Indiana Pilar Anadon, 16, Cello David Beem, 17, Cello Michelle Choi, 16, Cello Natalie Garber, 15, Cello

Allegro spiritoso	Senaille/Hampton
Lento from Suite No. 3 in D	J.S.Bach/Hampton
Consecration Hymn, Op. 65	Gruetzmacher

3:35 pm J8 - Cripple Creek Quintet

Fine Arts Center, Greenville, South Carolina Ryan Elliott, 15, Violin Stephen Wright, 17, Violin Lorrie Schneider, 16, Viola James Patterson, 17. Viola Ginny Williams, 17, Cello

Ouintet K. 515 Menuetto/trio

Quintet Op. 87 Allegro vivace

A Moment's Notice

Mozart

Mendelssohn

Grier

2:20 pm

Kalamazoo, Michigan Andrea Cha, 15, Violin Anne Francis, 15, Cello Peter Van Beck, 15, Piano

J5 - The Thorne Trio

Piano Trio in B-flat major, Op. 11 Allegro con brio Adagio Tema: Pria ch'io l'impegno

Beethoven

Ravel



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3:55 pm J9 - "Kolisch" String Quartet

The Westminster School, Atlanta, Georgia

Alexandra Felder, 17, Violin Lee Taylor, 15, Violin Karen Hollingsworth, 16, Viola Sarah Bennison, 17, Cello

Quartet in F minor Op. 95 Allegro con brio Beethoven

Quartet No. 2 Op.10 Allegro Kodaly

4:15 pm J10 - Peabody Prep Piano Quartet

Peabody Institute Preparatory, Baltimore, Maryland

Jeyoun Park, 17, Violin Eric Chang, 17, Viola Glenn Fischbach, 15, Cello Jarvis Chen, 17, Piano

Quartet for Piano and Strings Allegro giusto Copland

Quartet No. in C minor Allegro non troppo Brahms

4:35 pm J11 - The "SICK" Quartet

Music Center of the North Shore, Winnetka, Illinois

Sarah Zaharako, 14, Violin Izzy Getzov, 13, Violin Chad Topaz, 15, Viola Kate Kayian, 15, Cello

Quartet in F major, Op. 96 I IV Dvorak

Quartet, K. 160 I

Mozart

4:55 pm J12 - "Amadeus" String Quartet

The Westminster School, Atlanta, Georgia

Cindy Liu, 17, Violin Lillian Kim, 16, Violin Lara Showalter, 18, Viola Ha-Yang Kim, 14, Cello

Quartet in A minor, Op. 13 Adagio; allegro vivace Mendelssohn

Quartet No. 1 Introduzione; allegro vivace Bartok

5:15 pm J13 - Thanatos Quartet

Music Center of the North Shore, Winnetka, Illinois

Derek Reeves, 17, Violin Salley Koo, 14, Violin Kirsten Johnson, 14, Viola Amy Barston, 15, Cello

Quartet in G minor I II

Schubert

Debussy

Quartet Death and the Maiden

5:35 pm J14 - The Eumenides Trio

Indianapolis, Indiana

Dennis Park, 18, Violin Bethany Swain, 18, Cello Sun-Young Yun, 15, Piano

Trio No. 6 in B-flat major K. 254	Mozart
Allegro assai	

Trio in F minor, Op. 65 Allegretto grazioso

Dvorak

Piano Trio in E minor "Dumky" Lento maestoso Dvorak

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CHORUS CONCERT Elkhart County Symphony Chorus, Dennis Phipps, conductor South Bend Symphonic Choir, Dr. Robert W. Demaree Jr., Director MOZART: Ave Verum Corpus; MOZART: Symphony No. 40 in G minor; PROKOFIEV: Alexander Nevsky Beickman Performing Arts Center April 1, 1990 3:30 p.m.

> JUST JAZZ Jim Pickley, piano GERSHWIN: Piano Concerto in F and other jazz arrangements for orchestra and trio Brookdale Club May 5, 1990 7:30 p.m.





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