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FESTIVALS

ASPEN MUSIC FESTIVAL • JUNE – AUGUST, 2016

Studied under Mr. Paul Kantor

Performed in Aspen Philharmonic Orchestra and Aspen Opera Center Orchestra

UC IRVINE SUMMER CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL • JULY, 2015

Repertoire:

- Beethoven String Quartet No. 4 in C minor, Op. 18: I. Allegro, ma non tanto
- Schumann Piano Quartet in E-flat Major, Op. 47: II. Scherzo, Molto vivace and III. Andante cantabile

ENSEMBLE EXPERIENCE

PACIFIC SYMPHONY YOUTH ORCHESTRA • CONCERTMASTER, 2015 - ; ASSISTANT CONCERTMASTER, 2014-2015

Performs three concerts per season in Renee and Henry Segerstrom Concert Hall

Selected repertoire:

- Dvorak Symphony No. 8 in G Major, Op. 88
- Saint-Saëns Symphony No. 3 in C minor, Op. 78
- Shostakovich Symphony No. 5 in D minor, Op. 47
- Strauss Suite from Der Rosenkavalier, Op. 59
- Tchaikovsky Symphony No. 4 in F minor, Op. 36

CALIFORNIA HIGH SCHOOL ALL-STATE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA • CONCERTMASTER, FEBRUARY, 2016

Performed in San Jose Convention Center

Repertoire:

- Bernstein Overture to Candide
- Mahler Symphony No. 1 in D Major: IV. Stürmisch bewegt

CHAMBER MUSIC | OC • SEPTEMBER, 2014 – MAY, 2016

Performed in Nixon Library

Repertoire:

- Haydn Piano Trio No. 39 in G Major, Hob.XV/25
- Mendelssohn Piano Trio No. 2 in C minor, Op. 66
- Schumann Piano Quartet in E-flat Major, Op. 47

JUNIOR CHAMBER MUSIC • HONORS ENSEMBLE, SEPTEMBER, 2014 – MAY, 2015

Performed in UC Irvine's Winifred Smith Hall

Repertoire:

- Handel-Halvorsen Passacaglia for Violin and Cello in G minor
- Mendelssohn Piano Trio No. 2 in C minor, Op. 66: I. Allegro energico e fuoco

RECENT REPERTOIRE

Bach Violin Partita No. 2 in D minor, BBV 1004

Bach Violin Sonata No. 1 in G minor, BBV 1001

Paganini Violin Caprice No. 1 in E Major, Op. 1

Paganini Violin Caprice No. 10 in G minor, Op. 1

Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 35

Wieniawski Polonaise de Concert in D Major, Op. 4

RECENT PERFORMANCES

MASTERCLASS WITH MIDORI; JULY, 2016; HARRIS CONCERT HALL

- Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 35: I. Allegro moderato

CLASS ACT CONCERT SERIES WITH PACIFIC SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA; JUNE, 2016; RENEE AND SEGERSTROM CONCERT HALL

- Excerpts from *Spring* and *Winter* from Vivaldi's Four Seasons
- Performed as soloist with Pacific Symphony Orchestra for over 10,000 kids

SOLO RECITAL; JUNE, 2016; FIELDS PIANOS HOME OF STEINWAY

- Bach Violin Partita No. 2 in D minor, BBV 1004
- Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 35
- Wieniawski Polonaise de Concert in D Major, Op. 4

MASTERCLASS WITH CHO-LIANG LIN; JANUARY, 2016; SAMUELI THEATER

- Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto in D Major, Op. 35: I. Allegro moderato

THEORY STUDIES

LEVEL 10/ADVANCED; 2010; Music Teachers' Association of California Certificate of Merit

AWARDS

ARTIST OF THE WEEK; December, 2015; Orange County Varsity Arts

1ST PLACE; May, 2011; Greater Los Angeles ASTA Violin Competition, Elementary Division

FINALIST AND HONORABLE MENTION; April, 2010; Torrance Symphony Concerto Competition

2ND PLACE; February, 2010; Bellflower Symphony Orchestra Concerto Competition Junior Division