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May 2019 Calendar of Events

Symphony Center Presents
Chamber Music

Wednesday, May 1, 2019, 8:00 p.m.
Itzhak Perlman, violin
Evgeny Kissin, piano

MOZART   Violin Sonata in D Major, K. 306
BRAHMS  Violin Sonata No. 2 in A Major, Op. 100
BEETHOVEN  Violin Sonata in A Major, No. 9, Op. 47
(Kreutzer)

Tickets: $51-$203

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Thursday, May 2, 2019, 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 4, 2019, 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday, May 7, 2019, 7:30 p.m.

Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Riccardo Muti, conductor
Joyce DiDonato, mezzo-soprano

BIZET    Roma
BERLIOZ  The Death of Cleopatra, Lyric Scene for
         Mezzo-Soprano and Orchestra
RESPIGHI  Pines of Rome

Tickets: $37-$253

Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Wheaton College Series
Edman Memorial Chapel
401 E. Franklin St. Wheaton, IL

Friday, May 3, 2019, 7:30 p.m.

Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Riccardo Muti, conductor
Joyce DiDonato, mezzo-soprano

BIZET    Roma
BERLIOZ  The Death of Cleopatra, Lyric Scene for
         Mezzo-Soprano and Orchestra

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### Symphony Center Presents Jazz

**Friday, May 3, 2019, 8:00 p.m.**  
**Chick Corea and Béla Fleck**  
Chick Corea, piano  
Béla Fleck, banjo  

Tickets: $38-$135

### Art Institute Chamber Series

**Sunday, May 5, 2019, 2:00 p.m.**  
**Winter Quartet**  
Gina DiBello, violin  
So Young Bae, violin  
Danny Lai, viola  
Katinka Kleijn, cello

GINASTERA    String Quartet No. 2, Op. 26  
ALVAREZ       Metro Chabacano  
PIAZZOLLA     Four for Tango  
ZORN          Cat O’Nine Tails

Tickets: $33

### Chicago Symphony Orchestra

**Thursday, May 9, 2019, 8:00 p.m.**  
**Friday, May 10, 2019, 8:00 p.m.**  
**Saturday, May 11, 2019, 8:00 p.m.**  
**Chicago Symphony Orchestra**  
Riccardo Muti, conductor  
Mitsuko Uchida, piano

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MOZART       Overture to *The Marriage of Figaro*, K. 492  
MOZART       Piano Concerto No. 20 in D Minor, K. 466  
STRAVINSKY  *Apollon musagète*, Ballet in Two Scenes (1947 version)  
STRAVINSKY  Suite from *The Firebird* (1919 revision)

Tickets: $37-$253

### Chicago Symphony Orchestra Once Upon a Symphony

**Saturday, May 11, 2019, 10:00 a.m.**  
**Saturday, May 11, 2019, 11:45 a.m.**  

**Members of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra**

*The Boy and the Violin, a Brazilian folktale*

Tickets: $17
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| Symphony Center Presents Piano | Sunday, May 12, 2019, 3:00 p.m. | Evgeny Kissin, piano | CHOPIN Selected Nocturnes  
SCHUMANN Piano Sonata No. 3 in F Minor, Op. 14  
DEBUSSY Selections from Preludes, Book I  
SCRIABIN Piano Sonata No. 4 in F-sharp Major, Op. 30  
Tickets: $55-$209 |
| Civic Orchestra of Chicago | Sunday, May 12, 2019, 8:00 p.m. | Ken-David Masur, conductor  
Third Coast Percussion | CERRONE Untitled [World Premiere]  
R. STRAUSS An Alpine Symphony, Op. 64  
Free and open to the public; tickets are required. |
| Chicago Symphony Orchestra | Thursday, May 16, 2019, 8:00 p.m.  
Friday, May 17, 2019, 8:00 p.m.  
Saturday, May 18, 2019, 8:00 p.m.  
Tuesday, May 21, 2019, 7:30 p.m. | Mikko Franck, conductor  
Hilary Hahn, violin | RAUTAVAARA A Requiem in Our Time  
SIBELIUS Violin Concerto in D Minor, Op. 47  
RACHMANINOV Symphony No. 2 in E Minor, Op. 27  
Tickets: $35-$224 |
| Chicago Symphony Orchestra Family Concert | Saturday, May 18, 2019, 11:00 a.m.  
Saturday, May 18, 2019, 12:45 p.m. | Members of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra  
Thomas Wilkins, conductor | BRITTEN Four Sea Interludes and Passacaglia from Peter Grimes, Op. 33a and b  
MUSSORGSKY Pictures from an Exhibition  
Orch. RAVEL  
Tickets: $6-$57 |
Chicago Symphony Orchestra
MusicNOW
Harris Theater for Music and Dance
205 E. Randolph, Chicago

Monday, May 20, 2019, 7:00 p.m.

Musicians from the Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Missy Mazzoli, Mead Composer-in-Residence and piano

- EASTMAN, ARR. WOODS: Joy Boy
  [world premiere arrangement, CSO commission]
- MONK, ARR. MAZZOLI: Passage, What Does It Mean?
  [world premiere arrangement, CSO commission]
- MONTGOMERY: Break Away
- EASTMAN, ARR. WOODS: Gay Guerrilla
  [world premiere arrangement, CSO commission]

Tickets: $28, General Admission

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Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Thursday, May 23, 2019, 8:00 p.m.
Friday, May 24, 2019, 1:30 p.m.
Saturday, May 25, 2019, 8:00 p.m.
Sunday, May 26, 2019, 3:00 p.m.

Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Giancarlo Guerrero, conductor
Pablo Sáinz Villegas, guitar
Daniel Binelli, bandoneón

- GINASTERA: Four Dances from Estancia
- RODRIGO: Concierto de Aranjuez for Guitar and Orchestra
- CHABRIER: España
- PIAZZOLLA: Sinfonía Buenos Aires, Op. 15

Tickets: $35-$224

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Symphony Center Presents
Jazz

Friday, May 24, 2019, 8:00 p.m.

Two Wings: The Music of Black America in Migration
Jason Moran, piano
Alicia Hall Moran, mezzo-soprano
Pastor Smokie Norful, piano and vocals
Imani Winds
Kenwood Academy Jazz Band
Joseph Joubert, musical director

Tickets: $26-$83
Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Thursday, May 30, 2019, 8:00 p.m.
Friday, May 31, 2019, 8:00 p.m.

Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Matthias Pintscher, conductor
The Joffrey Ballet
Ashley Wheater, Artistic Director

ROSSINI
Overture to Il barbiere di Siviglia
(Italian edition)

RAVEL
Mother Goose

STRAVINSKY
Concerto in E-flat for Chamber Orchestra
(Dumbarton Oaks)

RAVEL
Pavane pour une infant défunte

STRAVINSKY
Suite from Pulcinella
Commedia
Choreography by Christopher Wheeldon

Tickets: $37-$252

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