CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
2023/24 Season

PERFORMERS	PROGRAM	CSO CLASSICAL CURATED SERIES*									
		THU 7:30 10 | 5 Concerts			FRI 1:30 16 | 8 Concerts	FRI 7:30 10 | 5 Concerts	SAT 7:30 10 | 5 Concerts			SUN 3:00 6 Concerts	TUE 7:30 10 | 5 Concerts
		A | A1-2	B | B1-2	C | C1-2	A | A1-2	B | B1-2	A | A1-2	B | B1-2	C | C1-2	A	A | A1-2
Riccardo Muti CONDUCTOR	**LIADOV** *The Enchanted Lake* **STRAVINSKY** Suite from *The Firebird* **BRAHMS** Symphony No. 2			C | C1 9/21		B | B1 9/22					A | A1 9/26
Riccardo Muti CONDUCTOR	**GLASS** *The Triumph of the Octagon* WORLD PREMIERE, CSO COMMISSION **MENDELSSOHN** Symphony No. 4 (*Italian*) **R. STRAUSS** *Aus Italien*		B | B1 9/28		A | A1 9/29			B | B1 9/30			
Jaap van Zweden CONDUCTOR Christian Gerhaher BARITONE	**SHEKHAR** *Lumina* **MAHLER** Songs from *Des Knaben Wunderhorn* **BEETHOVEN** Symphony No. 5	A | A2 10/12			A | A2 10/13		A | A1 10/14			A 10/15	
James Gaffigan CONDUCTOR Conrad Tao PIANO	**BARBER** *The School for Scandal* Overture **GERSHWIN** Piano Concerto in F **BERNSTEIN** Symphonic Dances from *West Side Story* **REVUELTAS** *Sensemayá*			C | C2 10/19		B | B2 10/20			C | C1 10/21		A | A2 10/24
Nikolaj Szeps-Znaider CONDUCTOR Jian Wang CELLO	**MAHLER** *Blumine* **BLOCH** *Schelomo* **MAHLER** Symphony No. 1	A | A1 10/26			A | A1 10/27			B | B2 10/28			
Daniel Harding CONDUCTOR Chicago Symphony Chorus	**SCHUMANN** Overture to *Manfred*, Op. 115 **BRAHMS** *Schicksalslied* **HOLST** *The Planets*		B | B2 11/2			B | B2 11/3	A | A2 11/4				A | A1 11/7
John Storgårds CONDUCTOR Stephen Williamson CLARINET	**SIBELIUS** *Pohjola's Daughter* **THEOFANIDIS** *Indigo Heaven* WORLD PREMIERE, CSO COMMISSION **RACHMANINOV** Symphony No. 3	A | A2 11/9			A | A2 11/10				C | C2 11/11		
Philippe Jordan CONDUCTOR Leonidas Kavakos VIOLIN	**MUSSORGSKY** *A Night on Bald Mountain* **SZYMANOWSKI** Violin Concerto No. 2 **STRAVINSKY** *The Rite of Spring*		B | B1 11/16				A | A1 11/18			A 11/19	
Michael Tilson Thomas CONDUCTOR Orion Weiss PIANO	**MOZART** Six German Dances, K. 509 **MOZART** Piano Concerto No. 12 in A Major, K. 414 **BRAHMS (ORCH. SCHOENBERG)** Piano Quartet No. 1			C | C1 11/30	A | A1 12/1			B | B1 12/2			A | A2 12/5
Mikko Franck CONDUCTOR Hilary Hahn VIOLIN	**BRAHMS** Violin Concerto **WAGNER** Prelude to *Tristan und Isolde* **SIBELIUS** Symphony No. 7		B | B2 12/7		A | A2 12/8				C | C1 12/9		
Semyon Bychkov CONDUCTOR Renaud Capuçon VIOLIN	**DVOŘÁK** *Carnival* Overture **SAINT-SAËNS** Violin Concerto No. 3 **BRAHMS** Symphony No. 4			C | C2 12/14	A | A1 12/15		A | A2 12/16				
Sir Andrew Davis CONDUCTOR Joélle Harvey SOPRANO Jennifer Johnson Cano MEZZO-SOPRANO Matthew Polenzani TENOR John Relyea BASS Chicago Symphony Chorus	**HANDEL (ORCH. DAVIS)** *Messiah*	A | A1 12/21			A | A2 12/22			B | B2 12/23			
Gemma New CONDUCTOR Seong-Jin Cho PIANO	**KERNIS** *Musica Celestis* **BEETHOVEN** Piano Concerto No. 3 **MENDELSSOHN** Symphony No. 3 (*Scottish*)			C | C1 2/8					C | C2 2/10		
Paavo Järvi CONDUCTOR Sheku Kanneh-Mason CELLO	**BEETHOVEN** *Leonore* Overture No. 3 **ELGAR** Cello Concerto **NIELSEN** Symphony No. 5	A | A2 2/15						B | B1 2/17		A 2/18	
Hannu Lintu CONDUCTOR Behzod Abduraimov PIANO	**SAARIAHO** *Ciel d'hiver* **TCHAIKOVSKY** Piano Concerto No. 1 **MUSSORGSKY (ORCH. SHOSTAKOVICH)** Prelude to *Khovanshchina* **SHOSTAKOVICH** Symphony No. 9					B | B1 2/23	A | A1 2/24				A | A1 2/27
Herbert Blomstedt CONDUCTOR	**SCHUBERT** Symphony No. 6 **BEETHOVEN** Symphony No. 7				A | A1 3/1				C | C1 3/2		A | A2 3/5
Jakub Hrůša CONDUCTOR Gil Shaham VIOLIN	**R. STRAUSS** *Death and Transfiguration* **MENDELSSOHN** Violin Concerto **LUTOSŁAWSKI** Concerto for Orchestra		B | B1 3/7		A | A2 3/8			B | B2 3/9			A | A1 3/12
Jakub Hrůša CONDUCTOR Josef Špaček VIOLIN	**R. STRAUSS** *Also sprach Zarathustra* **MARTINŮ** Violin Concerto No. 1 **BARTÓK** Suite from *The Miraculous Mandarin*	A | A1 3/14			A | A1 3/15				C | C2 3/16		
Susanna Mälkki CONDUCTOR Stefán Ragnar Höskuldsson FLUTE Ying Fang SOPRANO	**WAGNER** Prelude to Act I of *Lohengrin* **LIEBERMANN** Flute Concerto No. 2 WORLD PREMIERE, CSO COMMISSION **MAHLER** Symphony No. 4			C | C2 3/21			A | A2 3/23			A 3/24	
Robert Chen LEADER AND VIOLIN William Welter OBOE	**J.S. BACH** *Brandenburg* Concerto No. 3 **J.S. BACH** Violin Concerto in E Major **C.P.E. BACH** Sinfonia in E-flat Major **J.S. BACH** Concerto for Oboe and Violin in C Minor **J.S. BACH** Orchestral Suite No. 1		B | B2 3/28		A | A1 3/29						A | A2 4/2
Klaus Mäkelä CONDUCTOR Yuja Wang PIANO	**ZINOVJEV** *Batteria* **BARTÓK** Piano Concerto No. 2 **SHOSTAKOVICH** Symphony No. 10	A | A1 4/4				B | B2 4/5			C | C2 4/6		
James Conlon CONDUCTOR Masabane Cecilia Rangwanasha SOPRANO Ashley Dixon MEZZO-SOPRANO Issachah Savage TENOR Lucas Meachem BARITONE Chicago Symphony Chorus	**MENDELSSOHN** *Elijah*			C | C2 4/11		B | B1 4/12	A | A1 4/13				
Tugan Sokhiev CONDUCTOR Yulianna Avdeeva PIANO	**PANUFNIK** *Heroic* Overture **CHOPIN** Piano Concerto No. 1 **TCHAIKOVSKY** Symphony No. 1 (*Winter Dreams*)		B | B1 4/18					B | B2 4/20		A 4/21	
Giancarlo Guerrero CONDUCTOR Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra Wynton Marsalis TRUMPET	**JOHN ADAMS** *The Chairman Dances* **SHOSTAKOVICH** Suite for Variety Orchestra No. 1 **MARSALIS** All-American Pep from *Swing* Symphony **PROKOFIEV** Selections from *Romeo and Juliet*	A | A2 4/25				B | B1 4/26	A | A2 4/27				
Elim Chan CONDUCTOR Paul Jacobs PIANO	**WEBER** Overture to *Der Freischütz* **BARBER** *Toccata festiva* **RIMSKY-KORSAKOV** *Sheherazade*		B | B2 5/2					B | B1 5/4			
Nikolaj Szeps-Znaider CONDUCTOR AND VIOLIN	**MOZART** Violin Concerto No. 2 **KREISLER** *Liebesleid* **STRAVINSKY** Suite from *Pulcinella* **MOZART** Symphony No. 38 (*Prague*)			C | C1 5/9		B | B2 5/10			C | C1 5/11		
Kazuki Yamada CONDUCTOR Martin Helmchen PIANO	**TAKEMITSU** *How slow the Wind* **BEETHOVEN** Piano Concerto No. 1 **FRANCK** Symphony in D Minor	A | A1 5/16			A | A2 5/17		A | A1 5/18				A | A1 5/21
Esa-Pekka Salonen CONDUCTOR Mari Eriksmoen SOPRANO Karen Cargill MEZZO-SOPRANO Chicago Symphony Chorus	**MAHLER** Symphony No. 2 (*Resurrection*)		B | B1 5/23			B | B2 5/24			C | C2 5/25		
Manfred Honeck CONDUCTOR Cynthia Yeh PERCUSSION	**MONTGOMERY** Percussion Concerto WORLD PREMIERE, CSO COMMISSION **BRUCKNER** Symphony No. 7			C | C1 5/30	A | A2 5/31			B | B2 6/1			
Stéphane Denève CONDUCTOR Jean-Yves Thibaudet PIANO	**BOULANGER** *D'un matin de printemps* **SAINT-SAËNS** Piano Concerto No. 5 (*Egyptian*) **DEBUSSY** *Ibéria* **RAVEL** *Boléro*	A | A2 6/6				B | B1 6/7	A | A2 6/8				A | A2 6/11
Juraj Valčuha CONDUCTOR Joshua Bell VIOLIN	**WEBER** Overture to *Oberon* **PUTS, HEGGIE, HIGDON, MONTGOMERY, MEYER** *The Elements* **SHOSTAKOVICH** Symphony No. 1			C | C2 6/13	A | A2 6/14				C | C1 6/15		
Lahav Shani CONDUCTOR Daniil Trifonov PIANO	**RACHMANINOV (ORCH. STOKOWSKI)** Prelude in C-sharp Minor **BATES** Piano Concerto **TCHAIKOVSKY** Symphony No. 6 (*Pathétique*)		B | B2 6/20		A | A1 6/21			B | B1 6/22		A 6/23	

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