SAVE THE DATE

Greet the early days of spring with woodwind chamber music by Beethoven, Mozart, and Nielsen. We invite you to join us at Winds of Spring featuring the 2020 Rembrandt Young Artists. Don’t miss this opportunity to see them deliver a thrilling encore performance of their winning piece as a part of our exciting spring program!

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 2020 | 7:30 PM
Cliff Dwellers, Chicago

SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2020 | 3:00 PM
Nichols Hall, Music Institute of Chicago, Evanston

Look for the 2020 Rembrandt Young Artists!
They will perform at several Chicago venues in the coming months

For tickets and more information about all of these events please call 872.395.1754
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THANK YOU
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Programming for the Rembrandt Young Artists is made possible by donations from the community. Please consider donating in order to continue our efforts with these young artists. If you would like to be involved in planning opportunities for Rembrandt Young Artists, please call 872-395-1754.
YOU BE THE JUDGE!

Our judges look at many different factors when rating the skills of each ensemble performing in today's competition. By listening, watching, and seeing the musical score, our judges can rate the ensembles on the following:

PLAYING TOGETHER
Engaged in eye contact with one another
Performed with a balanced sound so that no one instrument dominated the music
Played with a beautiful tone that blended with the other instruments
Played in tune
Maintained the same tempo throughout the ensemble

INTERPRETATION & MUSICIANSHP
Performed in the appropriate style and mood as dictated by the composer
Played clear musical phrases
Communicated their musical interpretation and the emotional expression to the audience

DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY ACHIEVED
Suitability of the musical selection in relationship to the ensemble's skill level
General competence of the chosen material

BONUS POINTS
The judges may award bonus points for outstanding performances that were well beyond the minimum requirements in any of the above categories. Bonus points may be awarded for the following:
Stage presence, poise, or dress
Emotional impact on the audience
Over-all preparedness or mastery of the material
Professionalism

Please note that the above list is not the official scoring rubric for the competition. It serves as an educational tool only.

MY FAVORITE ENSEMBLES
Rank your top three groups below and compare with the decision of our judges:

1. 

2. 

3. 

WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Families and friends of the musicians, audience members, ensembles and coaches are encouraged to remain in the auditorium for the announcement of the winners.
MASTER OF CEREMONIES: Mark Shuldiner

Welcome and Introductions

10:00  Piano Trio No. 2 in B minor, Op. 76  Joaquin TURINA
   I. Lento–Allegro molto moderato
   Trio Domino
   John Lee, Samuel Du, Myroslav Mykhailenko
   Midwest Young Artists Conservatory
   (Lyudmila Lakisova, Coach)

10:13  Three Pieces for Brass Quintet  Ludwig MAURER
   I. Maestoso alla marcia II. Andante con moto
   III. Allegro grazioso, un poco agitato
   Younnglings Brass Quintet
   Aidan Keefe, Bennett King, Ingrid Catalan, Padric Sullivan,
   Calleigh Riordan
   Merit School of Music (Timothy Riordan, Coach)

10:26  String Quartet No. 9 in E-flat major, Op. 117  Dmitri SHOSTAKOVICH
   V. Allegro
   Ardente String Quartet
   Ruth Kim, Ella Saputra, Julie Kim, Haoming Song
   Midwest Young Artists Conservatory (Allan Dennis, Coach)

10:39  Uptime  Heike BECKMANN
   Purple Hippopotami Flute Quartet
   Natalia Kozintseva, Nina Touboul, Emma Krause, Katherine Chen
   Merit School of Music (Betsy Ko, Coach)

10:52  Piano Trio Op. 1, No. 3 in C Minor  Ludwig BEETHOVEN
   Allegro con brio
   The Musical Offering Piano Trio
   Molly Ferguson, Darielle Wheeler, Rowan Kramer-Mann
   The Musical Offering (Rick Ferguson, Coach)
11:05  *Eine fidele Ouverture*  
The Musical Offering Woodwind Quartet  
Howard Godfrey, Ally Hurd, Emiko Brady, Jade Selch  
The Musical Offering (Rick Ferguson, Coach)

11:18  **String Quartet in E minor, Op. 59, No. 2**  
Ludwig BEETHOVEN  
4. Finale. Presto  
Dasani String Quartet  
Isabella Brown, Katya Moeller, Zechariah Mo, Brandon Cheng  
The Academy of the Music Institute of Chicago (Mathias Tacke, Coach)

11:31  *Andante et Scherzo*  
Eugene BOZZA  
I. Andante, II. Scherzo  
Precipice Saxophone Quartet  
Cole Moorhead, Emmett Connolly, Navdeep Natt, Christopher Li  
Merit School of Music (Thomas Snydacker, Coach)

11:45  **LUNCH BREAK**

12:15  **String Quartet No. 2 in A minor, Op. 13**  
Felix MENDELSSOHN  
I. Adagio-Allegro Vivace  
Apollo Quartet  
Clara Manzano Pashinian, Beatrice Park, Celia McDermott-Hinman, Diego Corrales-Lucuy  
Midwest Young Artists Conservatory (Mathias Tacke, Coach)

12:28  **City of Arts and Sciences**  
The Bone Rangers  
Owen Riordan, Jonah Blake, Christopher Tam, Rafael Noriega  
Merit School of Music (Timothy Riordan, Coach)

12:41  **Piano Trio in F# minor**  
Arno BABADJANIAN  
III. Allegro vivace  
Trio Reine  
Miriam Friedman, Grace Mockus, Eva Sharman  
Midwest Young Artists Conservatory (Tatyana Stepanova, Coach)