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Past Programs

New York Philharmonic Young People's Concert: October 22nd, 2016 David Geffen Hall

W.A. Mozart: Overture from Le Nozze Di Figaro
W.A. Mozart: Symphony No. 31 in D Major "Paris", Mvt. 1
W.A. Mozart: Flute Concerto No. 2 in D Major, Mvt. 3
W.A. Mozart: Symphony No. 39 in Eb Major, Mvts. 3-4

New York Youth Symphony: November 22nd, 2016 Carnegie Hall

Viet Cuong: Neon (World Premiere)
Johannes Brahms: Symphony No. 3 in F Major
Max Bruch: Violin Concerto No. 1 in G Minor Simone Porter, Violin
Maurice Ravel: La Valse

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J.S. Bach: , Overture, Bouree, and Gigue from Orchestral Suite No. 3 in D Major
George Frideric Handel: Da tempeste il legno infranto from Giulio Cesare
J.S. Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 3, Mvt. 3

New York Youth Symphony: May 29th, 2016 Carnegie Hall

Brendan Faegre: Collective (World Premiere)
Gustav Mahler: Symphony No. 2 in C Minor "Resurrection" Sarah Shafer, Soprano; Jazimina MacNeil, Mezzo-Soprano

New York Philharmonic Film Series: May 20th-21st, 2016 David Geffen Hall

Selections from Fantasia including:

Ludwig van Beethoven: Symphony No. 5 in C Minor, Mvt. 1
Ludwig van Beethoven: Symphony No. 6 in F Major, Mvts. 3-5
P.I. Tchaikovsky: Selections from The Nutcracker Suite
Claude Debussy: Claire de Lune (arr. Stokowski)
Paul Dukas: The Sorcerer's Apprentice
Amilcare Ponchielli: Dance of the Hours
Edward Elgar: Selections from Pomp and Circumstance marches
Stravinsky: Excerpts from The Firebird Suite

New York Youth Symphony: March 6th, 2016 Carnegie Hall

Tonia Ko: Strange Sounds and Explosions Worldwide (World Premiere)
P.I. Tchaikovsky: Piano Concerto No. 1 Steven Lin, Piano
Sergei Rachmaninoff: Symphonic Dances

San Francisco Symphony Family Concert: February 6th, 2016 Davies Hall

Chris Rogerson: Luminosity
Edward Elgar: Salut D'amour
Johannes Brahms: Hungarian Dance No. 5
P.I. Tchaikovsky: Polonaise from Eugene Onegin
J.S. Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 3, Mvt. 3
Johannes Brahms: Symphony No. 2 in D Major, Mvt. 4

New York Philharmonic School Day Concerts: January 20th-22nd, 2016 David Geffen Hall

Jean Sibelius: Lemminkainen's Return
Jean Sibelius: En Saga
Jean Sibelius: Finlandia

New York Philharmonic Young People's Concert: December 12th, 2015 David Geffen Hall

Richard Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel's Merry Pranks
Rafael Mostel: Selections from Babar
Sergei Prokofiev: Peter and the Wolf

San Francisco Symphony Film Series: November 25th-28th, 2015 Davies Hall

Tim Burton: The Nightmare Before Christmas

New York Youth Symphony: November 22nd, 2015 Carnegie Hall

Richard Strauss: Till Eulenspiegel's Merry Pranks
Gabiella Smith: Lost Coast (World Premiere) Gabriel Cabezas, cello
Maurice Ravel: Suite from Mother Goose
George Gershwin: An American in Paris

New York Youth Symphony Tour of Argentina: June 30th-July 6th, 2015 (Various locations in Buenos Aires)

Molly Joyce: Fresh
Ludwig van Beethoven: Violin Concerto Elena Urioste, violin
Ludwig van Beethoven: Symphony No. 7

New York Youth Symphony: May 25th, 2015 Carnegie Hall

Gioachino Rossini: Overture to La Gazza Ladra
Molly Joyce: Fresh (World Premiere)
Beethoven Symphony No. 9

Alabama Symphony Classical Edge Series: April 17th, 2015 Jemison Concert Hall

Bela Bartok: Divertimento for Strings
Bryce Dessner: Lachyme
Bryce Dessner: Tenebre
Bryce Dessner: St Carolyn by the Sea

San Francisco Symphony Film Series: March 27th, 2015 Davies Hall

Gotta Dance! Show featuring excerpts from My Fair Lady, 2001 A Space Odyssey, Brigadoon, Singin in the Rain, Madame Bovary, and An American in Paris

New York Youth Symphony: March 8th, 2015 Carnegie Hall

Ludwig van Beethoven: Violin Concerto Elena Urioste, violin
Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov: Scheherazade

San Francisco Symphony Subscription Series January 14th-16th, 2015 Davies Hall

Cynthia Wong: Carnival Fever (In Relief for Michael Tilson Thomas)

San Francisco Symphony Soundbox Series: January 8th, 9th, 2015 Soundbox at Davies Hall

John Adams: Shaker Loops
Mark Volpert: Serenade
Heinrich Biber: Battalia
Benjamin Britten: Les Illuminations Nick Phan, tenor
Darius Milhaud: Le Beouf sur le Toit

New York Youth Symphony: November 23rd, 2014 Carnegie Hall

Ludwig van Beethoven: Overture to Egmont
Sergei Rachmaninoff: Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini Conrad Tao, piano
Cindy Giron: Nelumbo (World Premiere)
Igor Stravinsky: Suite from the Firebird (1919 version)

New World Symphony Family Concert: September 30th, 2014 New World Center

P.I. Tchaikovsky: Waltz from Sleeping Beauty
Sergei Prokofiev: Waltz and Midnight from Cinderella
Maurice Ravel: Beauty and the Beast from Mother Goose Suite
Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov: Selections from Scheherazade
Aaron Copland: Selections from Billy the Kid
Igor Stravinsky: Berceuse and Finale from The Firebird Suite

Colorado Music Festival: July 24th-25th Chautauqua Auditorium

Hector Berlioz: Roman Carnival Overture
Robert Schumann: Cello Concerto Brook Speltz, cello
Aaron Copland: Symphony No. 3

New York Youth Symphony: May 25th, 2014 Carnegie Hall

Leonard Bernstein: Overture to Candide
Conrad Winslow: All Decays (World Premiere)
Samuel Barber: Violin Concerto Benjamin Beilman, violin
Aaron Copland: Symphony No. 3

**New World Symphony Subscription Concert: March 28th-29th, 2014 New World Center,
and Knight Concert Hall**

Mikhail Glinka: Overture to Ruslan and Ludmilla
Sergei Rachmaninoff: Piano Concerto No. 2 Garrick Ohlsson, Piano
Maurice Ravel: Suite from Mother Goose
Ottorino Respighi: Pines of Rome

New World Symphony Mini-Concert: March 14th-15th, 2014 New World Center

Richard Wagner: Overture to Tannhauser
Maurice Ravel: Bolero

New World Symphony Encounters Concert: March 7th-8th, 2014 New World Center

Describing the Indescribable
Jaime Bernstein, Narrator

Richard Strauss: Death and Transfiguration

New York Youth Symphony: March 2nd, 2014 Carnegie Hall

Loren Loiacono: Against the Shrieking City Air (World Premiere)
Olivier Messiaen: Concert a Quatre Nadine Asin, Flute; Elaine Douvas, Oboe;
Darrett Adkins, Cello; Steven Beck, Piano
Johannes Brahms: Symphony No. 4 in E Minor

New World Symphony Pulse Concert: February 24th, 2014 New World Center

Igor Stravinsky: Infernal Dance from Firebird
Leonard Bernstein: "Glitter and be Gay" from Candide Dru Rutledge, Soprano
Igor Stravinsky: Sacrificial Dance from The Rite of Spring
Michael Gandolfi: The Willowtwist from The Garden of Cosmic Speculation
John Harbison: "I Went to the Market" from Miribai Songs Dru Rutledge, Soprano
John Adams: Lollapalooza

Indianapolis Symphony Happy Hour Concert: January 20th, 2014 Hilbert Circle Theater

Program included selections from Edward Elgar's Enigma Variations, Leonard Bernstein's West Side Story, as well as other arrangements of many other popular songs.

New York Youth Symphony: November 24th, 2013, Carnegie Hall

Richard Wagner: Overture to the Flying Dutchman
W. A. Mozart: Piano Concerto No. 21 in C Major K. 467, Michael Brown, Piano
Katherine Balch: Epiphyte (World Premiere)
Richard Strauss: Suite from Der Rosenkavalier

New World Symphony Education Concert: November 12th-13th New World Center

Antonin Dvorak: Slavonic Dance No. 1 in C Major
Edvard Grieg: Holberg Suite (Mvt. 1)
Charles Gounod: Petite Symphony (Mvt. 3)
Aaron Copland: Fanfare for a Common Man
Astor Piazzolla: Spring from The Four Seasons, Ade Williams, violin
Britten: A Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra

New World Symphony: November 5th, 2013 New World Center

P. I. Tchaikovsky: Waltz from Sleeping Beauty
Igor Stravinsky: Circus Polka
Benjamin Britten: Four Sea Interludes from Peter Grimes
Modest Mussorgsky (arr. Ravel): The Great Gate of Kiev from Pictures at an Exhibition

San Francisco Symphony: October 30th, Nov. 1st, 2nd Davies Hall

Bernard Hermann: Psycho (Complete Score)
Vertigo (Complete Score)

Bernard Hermann, Dimitri Tiomkin, Lyn Murray: Selections from To Catch a Thief, Dial M for Murder, Strangers on a Train, North by Northwest

New World Symphony Family Concert: September 29th, 2013 New World Center

W. A. Mozart: Overture to the Marriage of Figaro
Gioachino Rossini: Overture to William Tell
Series of Original Compositions written by Project Trio
Johannes Brahms: Hungarian Dance No. 5
Sergei Prokofiev/Arr. Hyken: Peter and the Wolf
Leonard Bernstein: Mambo from West Side Story

Ojai Music Festival: MMDG Ensemble, June 6th-9th, Libbey Bowl, Ojai, CA

Lou Harrison: Suite for Symphonic Strings
Concerto for Organ and Percussion
Henry Cowell: Heroic Dance
Atlantis
John Luther Adams: For Lou Harrison

New York Youth Symphony: May 26th, 2013 Carnegie Hall

Ludwig van Beethoven: Overture to the Creatures of Prometheus
John Glover: Natural Systems (World Premiere) Evan Hughes, Baritone
Gustav Mahler: Symphony No. 1 in D Major

New World Symphony: April 12th, 2013 New World Center

Johannes Brahms: Academic Festival Overture
Sergei Prokofiev: Piano Concerto No. 1 Zachary Davis, Piano
P. I. Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5 in E Minor

Pittsburgh Symphony: April 2nd, Mission Nightclub, Pittsburgh, PA

Igor Stravinsky: Concertino
Mason Bates: The Rise of Exotic Computing (World Premiere)

New York Youth Symphony: March 24th, 2013 Carnegie Hall

Paul Dooley: Run for the Sun (World Premiere)

Maurice Ravel: Concerto for Left Hand Piano and Orchestra, Louis Schiwgebel, Piano (Late Substitution for Gary Graffman)

Sergei Prokofiev: Selections from Romeo and Juliet (taken from Suites No. 1 and 2)

New World Symphony: March 22nd, 2013 New World Center

New World Symphony Pulse Concert

John Adams: Short Ride in a Fast Machine

Leonard Bernstein: "Somewhere" from *West Side Story*

Irene Roberts, Mezzo-Soprano

Steve Reich: Three Movements

Ottorino Respighi: War Dance from "Belkis"

Joseph Canteloube: "Oi Ayai" from Songs from the Auvergne

Irene Roberts, Mezzo-Soprano

Dimitri Shostakovich: Symphony No. 10 in E Minor, Mvt. 2

New World Symphony: February 17th-18th, 2013 New World Center

W. A. Mozart: Zaide, Act I (Complete)

New World Symphony: February 8th, 2013 New World Center

John Cage: 16 Dances

New World Symphony Family Concert: January 22nd, 2013 New World Center

Dimitri Shostakovich: Ballet Suite No. 1, Galop

F. J. Haydn: Symphony No. 94 in G Major, Mvt. 2

Ludwig van Beethoven: Symphony No. 1 in C Major, Mvt. 3

Amilcare Ponchielli: Dance of the Hours

Camille Saint-Saens: Carnival of the Animals

Bedrich Smetana: The Bartered Bride: Dance of the Comedians

New World Symphony Pulse Concert: January 20th, 2013 New World Center

Michael Daugherty: Lex from Metropolis Symphony

George Gershwin: Summertime from Porgy and Bess Elaine Alvarez, Soprano

Hector Villa-Lobos: Bachianas Brasileiras No. 5 Elaine Alvarez, Soprano

Barber: Medea's Meditation and Dance of Vengeance

Ginestera: Four Dances from Estancia

New World Symphony: January 14th-15th, 2013 New World Center

Carl Maria von Weber: Overture to Der Freischutz
Gioacchino Rossini: Overture to The Barber of Seville
Aaron Copland: Four Dance Episodes from Rodeo

New World Symphony Holiday Concert: December 18th, 2012 New World Center

Sergei Prokofiev: Suite from Lieutenant Kije, Troika
P.I. Tchaikovsky: Suite No. 1 from The Nutcracker
Ralph Vaughn Williams: Fantasia on Greensleeves
Jeff Tyzik: Chanukah Festival
Alan Silvestri: Suite from The Polar Express
Leroy Anderson: A Christmas Festival

New World Symphony Education Concert: December 5th-6th, 2012 New World Center

John Philip Sousa: The Stars and Stripes Forever
Charles Ives: Variations on America
P. I. Tchaikovsky: Violin Concerto (Mvt. 3) Ade Williams, violin
George Gershwin: An American in Paris
Leonard Bernstein: Overture to Candide

New World Symphony: December 1st, 2012 New World Center

John Adams: Slonimsky's Earbox

New York Youth Symphony: November 25th, 2013 Carnegie Hall

Dimitri Shostakovich: Festive Overture
Ludwig Maurer: Concertante for Four Violins
Cho-Liang Lin, Michelle Kim, Samuel Katz, Alice Ivy-Pemberton, Violins
Gabriel Zucker: Universal by Midnight for Jazz Band and Orchestra (World Premiere)
Antonin Dvorak: Symphony No. 9 in E Minor "From the New World"

New World Symphony Encounters Concert: November 16th-17th, 2012 New World Center

Brahms vs. Wagner: Clash of the Romantics
Jamie Bernstein, Narrator

Richard Wagner: Ride of the Valkyries
Richard Wagner: Prelude and Liebestod from Tristan and Isolde
Johannes Brahms: Symphony No. 2 in D Major

New World Symphony: November 2nd-3rd, 2012 New World Center

Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov: Capriccio Espagnol
Ludwig van Beethoven (Arr. Mahler) String Quartet Op. 95 "Serioso"

New World Symphony: October 23rd, 2012 Arsht Center, Miami, FL

Steven Mackey: Lost and Found

New World Symphony Family Concert: September 30th, 2012 New World Center

G. F. Handel: Hornpipe from Water Music
W. A. Mozart: Symphony No. 36 (Mvt. 3)
Johann Strauss, Jr.: On the Beautiful Blue Danube
Antonin Dvorak: Slavonic Dance No. 8 in G Major
P. I. Tchaikovsky: Scene from Swan Lake
Bela Bartok: Suite from The Miraculous Mandarin (Excerpt)
Arturo Marquez: Danzon No. 2

Aspen Concert Orchestra: July 11th, 2012 Benedict Music Tent

Ludwig van Beethoven: Overture to Fidelio
Christopher Rouse: Flute Concerto Mark Sparks, Flute
Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov: Scheherazade

New World Symphony: April 24th, 2012 New World Center

Hector Berlioz: Hungarian March from Faust
Bedrich Smetana: The Moldau
Manuel de Falla: Suite No. 2 from The Three Cornered Hat

New World Symphony: April 15th, 2012 New World Center

Giuseppe Verdi: Overture to La Forza del Destino

New World Symphony: February 7th-8th, 2012 New World Center

Ralph Vaughn Williams: Fantasia on a Theme of Thomas Tallis
Ludwig van Beethoven: Leonore Overture No. 3

New World Symphony: January 24th, 2012 New World Center

Mikhail Glinka: Overture to Ruslan and Ludmilla
Igor Stravinsky: Suite from the Firebird
Modest Mussorgsky (arr. Ravel) Pictures at an Exhibition

New World Symphony Education Concert: December 16th-17th, 2011 New World Center

George Bizet: Selections from Carmen Suite No. 1
W. A. Mozart: Symphony No. 39 in Eb Major
Igor Stravinsky: Dance of the Augurs from The Rite of Spring
Henri Wieniawski: Polonaise Brillante in D Major
Ludwig van Beethoven: Symphony No. 5 in C Minor (Mvt. 1)

New World Symphony: November 8th-9th, 2011 New World Center

Johannes Brahms: Variations on a Theme by Haydn
Maurice Ravel: Le Tombeau de Couperin

New World Symphony: October 23rd, 2011 New World Center

Ludwig van Beethoven: Overture and Incidental Music to Egmont