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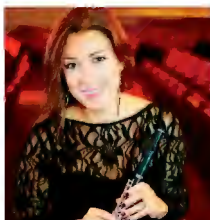
DANIEL MATSUKAWA
Conductor and Music Director

2018-2019 SEASON

featuring soloists from the Philadelphia Orchestra



JENNIFER MONTONE
Horn



ERICA PEEL
Piccolo



DAVID KIM
Violin

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THE INDEPENDENCE SINFONIA was founded in 1995 by musicians from throughout the Philadelphia area. Our members include talented players from all walks of life, including professional musicians, music teachers, professors, lawyers, accountants and scientists, all of whom are united in their love of music. Our mission is to support and enhance the musical life of our communities through the presentation of an annual program series, both for our own enjoyment and for the enjoyment of our audiences. We are a volunteer organization made up of serious instrumental musicians who seek to develop and grow as an ensemble through regular rehearsal and performance of the orchestral repertoire.



OUR CONDUCTOR AND MUSIC DIRECTOR, DANIEL MATSUKAWA, is also the Principal Bassoonist of the Philadelphia Orchestra. Born in Argentina to Japanese parents, he moved with his family to New York City at age three and began studying the bassoon at age 13. Mr. Matsukawa studied at Juilliard for two years before attending the Curtis Institute of Music.

Daniel Matsukawa studied conducting privately with Otto Werner Mueller, former head of the Conducting Department at Curtis. His orchestral conducting debut took place in Japan in 2009 at the Pacific Music Festival's 20th anniversary concert, garnering Maestro Christoph Eschenbach's appraisal of Mr. Matsukawa as a "new conducting star".

Since then, he has been invited back to conduct in Japan every year including a tour of concerts in Sapporo, Hamamatsu and Tokyo receiving glowing reviews. He regularly conducts the PMF Link Up Concerts, based on the partnership program with Carnegie Hall and has also conducted concerts at the Curtis Institute of Music. Mr. Matsukawa made his American professional conducting debut with the Virginia Symphony Orchestra in the 2016-17 season.

JOIN US FOR OUR 23RD SEASON!

2018-2019 PROGRAM

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2018, 3:00 PM

Mozart: Overture to Don Giovanni

Mozart: Horn Concerto No. 4,

SOLOIST JENNIFER MONTONE
(Principal Horn, Philadelphia Orchestra)

Dvorak: Symphony No. 7

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2019, 3:00 PM

Mozart: Symphony No. 25

Vivaldi: Piccolo Concerto

SOLOIST ERICA PEEL
(Piccolo, Philadelphia Orchestra)

Brahms: Symphony No. 4

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SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2019, 3:00 PM

Tchaikovsky: Violin Concerto

SOLOIST DAVID KIM
(Concertmaster, Philadelphia Orchestra)

Elgar: Enigma Variations

GERMANTOWN ACADEMY, ARTS CENTER THEATER

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We seek talented, serious players to join our orchestral roster, and depending on openings we may have a place for you to play with us. Invitation to become a member starts with a visit to our website or an e-mail to our main address.

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