



Kate Ransom and Lisa Vaupel, *violins*

Esme Allen-Creighton, *viola* and Lawrence Stomberg, *'cello*

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Serafin String Quartet February Concerts in Delaware

(Wilmington, Del.) February 1, 2016 – [Serafin String Quartet](#) will perform two local concerts in February at the University of Delaware on Tuesday, February 16 at 8:00 p.m. and at The Music School of Delaware on Wednesday, February 17 at 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 16, 2016 at 8:00 p.m.

University of Delaware presents *Quartet-in-Residence*, Serafin String Quartet

Concert features *Veil of Leaves* and *Between the Accidental* by noted young composer [Julia Adolphe](#), along with Shostakovich String Quartet No. 3 and Borodin String Quartet #2 in D Major.

University of Delaware's Gore Recital Hall, Roselle Center for the Arts, 110 Orchard Rd, Newark, DE

Tickets: Adults, \$15; Seniors & Alumni, \$10; Students, \$5; cash or check at the door

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Wednesday, February 17, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

Music Masters Concert: Celebrating Women Composers

Serafin String Quartet performs *Veil of Leaves* and *Between the Accidental* by Julia Adolphe. Concert also features performances by other artists including Esme Allen-Creighton, *viola*; Jennifer Campbell, *piano*; and Dr. Holly Roadfeldt, *piano*.

All proceeds benefit the Anthony G. Simmons Scholarship Fund

The Music School of Delaware, Wilmington Concert Hall, 4101 Washington Street, Wilmington, DE

Tickets: \$10 adults / \$5 seniors & students

www.musicschoolofdelaware.org

Please visit www.serafinquartet.org for performance details and pricing information.

About Serafin String Quartet

Serafin String Quartet's world premiere recording featuring early chamber works by award-winning composer Jennifer Higdon will be released by Naxos on July 30, 2013. The Quartet's debut recording (Centaur Records 2010) was hailed by *The Strad Magazine* for "playing with style and sophistication" and the *American Record Guide* for "combining true rhythmic precision, beautiful intonation, and beautiful articulation with an excellent sense of balance and deeply satisfying musical phrasing." Serafin String Quartet has been applauded by audiences around the nation, including sellout crowds at repeat performances in New York City's Weill Recital Hall at Carnegie Hall. The Quartet serves as *Quartet in Residence* at the University of Delaware and takes its name from master violin maker, Sanctus Serafin, who in 1728 crafted the violin currently played by Kate Ransom. The other members of the Quartet play Testore instruments, thanks to the generosity of Dr. William J. Stegeman. For more information, please visit www.serafinquartet.org.

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