SERAFIN SUMMER MUSIC

"Remarkable personalities and talent shine throughout the entire festival...there's plenty of charisma in this artist lineup!"

– Kate Ransom, Artistic Director

FESTIVAL ARTISTS

- David Coucheron, Violin
- Amos Fayette, Violin
- Hal Grossman, Violin
- Helen Hwaya Kim, Violin
- Kate Ransom, Violin
- Julianne Lee, Violin & Viola
- Luke Fleming, Viola
- Mary Harris, Viola
- Charae Krueger, Cello
- Jacques-Pierre Malan, Cello
- Miles Brown, Double Bass
- Augustine Mercante, Countertenor

- Gina Perregrino, Mezzo Soprano
- Eileen Grycky, Flute
- John Dee, Oboe
- Mitchell Kuhn, Oboe
- Elizabeth Starr Masoudnia, English Horn
- John David Smith, Horn
- Victor Asuncion Piano
- Julie Coucheron, Piano
- Michael Kim, Piano
- William Ransom, Piano

Festival Week I: June 4-6, 2021

FEATURED ARTISTS:

- David Coucheron, violin
- Helen Hwaya Kim, violin
- Kate Ransom, violin
- Julianne Lee, violin and viola
- Charae Krueger, cello

- Julie Coucheron, piano
- Michael Kim, piano
- William Ransom, piano
- Augustine Mercante, countertenor

Thursday, 6/3/21, 5:30pm • Serafins Backstage (patrons only) • Via ZOOM

A meet-the-artists interactive session hosted by Music School Board member, Witt Godden and Tina Betz, Centennial Council member. Offering a peek behind the scenes into the backgrounds and professional lives of the festival artists for the week. Open exclusively to SSM ticket holders.

Friday, 6/4/21, 7:00pm • GERSHWIN – BY GEORGE! (all-Gershwin program)

- Cuban Overture for Piano Four Hands
- Lullaby for String Quartet
- Favorite Songs by George!
- Porgy and Bess Suite transcribed by J. Heifitz
- Rhapsody in Blue

Saturday, 6/5/21. 5:00pm • SIBLING RIVALRY!

- G.F. Handel, Sonata in D Major for Violin and Keyboard
- de Falla, Suite Populaire Espagnole
- Bizet, trans. Waxman Carmen Fantasie
- Rachmaninoff, Valse and Romance for piano six hands
- W.F. Bach, Das Dreyblatt
- Hermann, Capriccio for three violins, op. 2
- Moszkowski, Suite in G Minor, op. 71

Sunday, 6/6/21, 5:00pm • SONGS of NORWAY

- Sinding, Suite in the Olden Style, Op. 14
- Lalo, arr. Bussler Norwegian Rhapsody for Piano Four Hands
- Halvorsen, Concert Caprice for Two Violins
- Grieg, Two Songs: Våren; En Drøm
- G.F. Handel, arr. Halvorsen Passacaglia for Violin and Cello
- Grieg, String Quartet in G Minor, Op. 27

Festival Week II: June 11-12, 2021

FEATURED ARTISTS:

- Amos Fayette, violin
- Kate Ransom, violin
- Mary Harris, viola
- JP Malan, cello
- Eileen Grycky, flute
- John Dee, oboe

- Mitchell Kuhn, oboe
- Elizabeth Starr Masoudnia, English Horn
- John David Smith, horn
- Gina Perregrino, mezzo soprano
- Victor Asuncion, piano

Thursday, 6/10/21, 5:30pm • Serafins Backstage (patrons only) • Via ZOOM

A meet-the-artists interactive session hosted by Music School Board Chair, John du Pont and Wilmington Community Orchestra principle oboist, Gary Walter. Offering a peek behind the scenes into the backgrounds and professional lives of the festival artists for the week. Open exclusively to SSM ticket holders.

Friday, 6/11/21, 7:00pm • WINDS of TIME

- Mozart, Quartet for Flute and Strings in A Major, K. 298
- Britten, Phantasy Quartet for Oboe, Violin, Viola, and Cello, Op. 2
- Beethoven, Serenade in D Major for Flute, Violin, and Viola, Op. 25
- Liebermann, Trio for Violin, Horn, and Piano, Op. 101 (2007)
- Beethoven, Trio in C Major for Two Oboes and English Horn, Op. 87

Saturday, 6/12/21, 5:00pm • LOVERS, FRIENDS, MENTORS

- Dvořák, Romance in F Minor for Violin and Piano, Op. 11
- Brahms, Two Songs, Op. 91 for Alto, Viola, and Piano
- C. Schumann, Three Romances for Oboe and Piano, Op. 22
- R. Schumann, Quintet in Eb Major for Piano and Strings, Op. 44

Festival Week III: June 18-19, 2021

FEATURED ARTISTS:

- Hal Grossman, violin
- Kate Ransom, violin
- Mary Harris, viola
- Luke Fleming, viola

- Charae Krueger, cello
- Jacques-Pierre Malan, cello
- Miles Brown, double bass
- Victor Asuncion, piano

Thursday, 6/17/21, 5:30pm • Serafins Backstage (patrons only) • Via ZOOM

A meet-the-artists interactive session hosted by Music School of Delaware board members Marie Stewart and Bruce Dittmar. Offering a peek behind the scenes into the backgrounds and professional lives of the festival artists for the week. Open exclusively to SSM ticket holders.

Friday, 6/18/21, 7:00pm • STRING SPLENDOR

- W.A. Mozart, Duo for Violin and Viola in G Major, K. 423
- Dvořák, Quintet in Eb Major, Op. 77 for Two Violins, Viola, Cello, and Double Bass
- Beethoven, String Quartet in Eb Major, Op. 74 (The Harp)

Saturday, 6/19/21, 5:00pm • FINALE FIREWORKS

- Gade, String Sextet in Eb Major for Two Violins, Two Violas, Two Cellos, Op. 44
- Dvořák, Quintet for Piano and Strings in A Major, Op. 81