

## 2007-2008 UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS SCHOOL OF MUSIC STRING EVENTS

On behalf of the University of Illinois School of Music Office of Outreach and Public Engagement, the following events are being offered for school orchestras and string students.

### ***JUNIOR HIGH/MIDDLE SCHOOL STRING AND ORCHESTRA CLINIC: THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15***

- Held at Niles West High School in Skokie, IL.
- For additional information contact Steven Katz, Niles West High School, 847.626.262, [stekat@niles-hs.k12.il.us](mailto:stekat@niles-hs.k12.il.us).

### ***SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL STRING AND ORCHESTRA CLINIC: SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23***

- Held on the University of Illinois campus.
- Each participating orchestra presents a twenty-minute concert in the Great Hall of the Krannert Center for the Performing Arts.
- Following the performance, a forty-minute clinic is given by one of the consortium clinicians. A maximum of twenty orchestras will be accepted for the consortium.
- **Orchestras are accepted in order of applications AND fee received!**

### ***ALLERTON STRING CHAMBER MUSIC SYMPOSIUM: FRIDAY, APRIL 18 & SATURDAY, APRIL 19***

- Held at the beautiful Allerton Park in Monticello, Illinois.
- Pre-formed student string ensembles are selected from a prerecorded audition.
- Each visiting ensemble rehearses under the supervision of a University faculty member or graduate student and participates in a recital.
- Activities begin around 3:00 p.m. on Friday and end around 2:00 p.m. on Saturday.
- Cost per individual is \$135 for housing and meals.

### ***ILLINOIS SUMMER YOUTH MUSIC: SUMMER 2008***

- Offers outstanding musical training for string players
- Session I - Senior Orchestra and Senior Strings June 15 (Sun) -- June 21 (Sat) open to grades 9-12
- Session II - Junior String and Junior Orchestra June 22 (Sun) – June 28 (Sat) for grades 6-9.
- Download an complete the application at: [www.music.uiuc.edu/isym](http://www.music.uiuc.edu/isym) or request one by calling the ISYM office at 217.244.3404. Apply early for maximum consideration.

### ***SCHOOL OF MUSIC STRING ENSEMBLES AND FACULTY MEMBER SCHOOL VISITS***

Our faculty members are available to visit schools to perform, clinic your orchestra, provide small group masterclasses, and interact with your students.

- **Pacifica Quartet** [www.pacificaquartet.com](http://www.pacificaquartet.com) (Sibbi Bernhardsson, violin, Simin Ganatra, violin, Masumi Per Rostad, viola and Brandon Vamos, cello).
- **Additional School of Music string faculty:**
  - Sherban Lupu, violin
  - Stefan Milenkovich, violin
  - Rudolf Haken, viola
  - Ani Aznavoorian, cello
  - Michael Cameron, double bass
- **Orchestra Directors:** Professor Donald Schleicher and Dr. Louis Bergonzi

If you are interested in scheduling a visit by chamber ensemble, faculty members, or wish to have a School of Music Admissions representative visit your school, please contact the Office of Outreach and Public Engagement by Phone: 217.333.1580 or E-mail: [ope@music.uiuc.edu](mailto:ope@music.uiuc.edu). We look forward to seeing you at the Midwest Clinic, IMEA All-State Conference, or at your school. Best wishes to you and your students for a successful and rewarding year!

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