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CHRONOLOGICAL LISTING
2008-09 SEASON

OPENING NIGHT GALA

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, September 17, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Live From Lincoln Center

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Sir James Galway, flute

BERLIOZ

Roman Carnival Overture

IBERT

Flute Concerto

TCHAIKOVSKY

Symphony No. 4

LORIN MAAZEL WITH YEFIM BRONFMAN

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, September 18, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, September 19, 2008, 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 20, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, September 23, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Yefim Bronfman, piano

Steven STUCKY

Rhapsodies (U.S. Premiere—
New York Philharmonic Commission)

RACHMANINOFF

Piano Concerto No. 3

RAVEL

Mother Goose Suite

BARTÓK

The Miraculous Mandarin Suite

**BERNSTEIN: THE BEST OF ALL POSSIBLE WORLDS
LORIN MAAZEL CONDUCTS WORKS BY
NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC MUSIC DIRECTORS**

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, September 25, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, September 26, 2008, 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, September 27, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Robert Langevin, flute

Kiera Duffy, soprano*

Joyce Yang, piano

MAHLER

Adagio from Symphony No. 10

Lorin MAAZEL

Music for Flute

Pierre BOULEZ

Pli selon pli: Improvisation II sur Mallarmé

BERNSTEIN

Symphony No. 2, *The Age of Anxiety*

**LORIN MAAZEL CONDUCTS WORLD PREMIERE—
NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC COMMISSION BY BERNARD RANDS**

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, October 1, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, October 2, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Soloists tba

J.S. BACH

Brandenburg Concerto No. 5

Bernard RANDS

CHAINS LIKE THE SEA (World Premiere—
New York Philharmonic Commission)

TCHAIKOVSKY

Suite No. 3

These performances are preceded by the *Hear & Now* lectures, hosted by Steven Stucky, one hour before each concert.

**LORIN MAAZEL AND THE NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC AT
THE KIMMEL CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS**

The Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Friday, October 3, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

TCHAIKOVSKY	Suite No. 3
TCHAIKOVSKY	Symphony No. 4

**LORIN MAAZEL AND THE NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC AT
THE KENNEDY CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS**

The Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts
Washington, D.C.

Saturday, October 4, 2008, 4:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

TCHAIKOVSKY	Suite No. 3
TCHAIKOVSKY	Symphony No. 4

MARIN ALSOP AND RAFAŁ BLECHACZ

Avery Fisher Hall

Tuesday, October 7, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 11, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Marin Alsop, conductor
Rafał Blechacz, piano*

BARTÓK	<i>The Wooden Prince Suite</i>
CHOPIN	Piano Concerto No. 2
DVOŘÁK	Symphony No. 9, <i>From the New World</i>

INSIDE THE MUSIC**An Introduction to Dvořák's Symphony No. 9, *From the New World***

Avery Fisher Hall

Friday, October 10, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Marin Alsop, conductor

Host tba

Joseph Horowitz, writer and producer

DVOŘÁK	Symphony No. 9, <i>From the New World</i> ,
	<i>Inside the Music</i> Presentation
DVOŘÁK	Symphony No. 9, <i>From the New World</i>

SATURDAY MATINEE CONCERT

Avery Fisher Hall

Saturday, October 11, 2008, 2:00 p.m.

Marin Alsop, conductor

BRAHMS	Piano Quintet No. 1
	Sheryl Staples, Lisa Kim, violin
	Rebecca Young, viola; Eileen Moon, cello
	Shai Wosner, piano [°]
DVOŘÁK	Symphony No. 9, <i>From the New World</i>

[°] denotes guest artist

RAFAEL FRÜHBECK DE BURGOS CONDUCTS SPANISH WORKS

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, October 16, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, October 17, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 18, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 21, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Rafael Frühbeck de Burgos, conductor

María Rodríguez, soprano* (Salud)

Vicente Ombuena, tenor* (Paco)

Marina Pardo, mezzo-soprano* (Abuela)

Gustavo Peña, tenor* (Voz de la fragua)

Josep Miquel Ramón, bass* (Tío Salvaor)

Pedro Sanz, tenor* (Cantaor)

Alfredo García, baritone* (Manuel)

Pablo Sáinz Villegas, guitar*

Nuria Pomares, Bailoara*

Coro Nacional de España*

Mireia Barrera, director

ALBÉNIZ

Suite española

FALLA

La vida breve

BERNSTEIN: THE BEST OF ALL POSSIBLE WORLDS

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERTS®

"The Capitals of Music: Leonard Bernstein's New York"

Avery Fisher Hall

Saturday, October 18, 2008, 2:00 p.m.

Delta David Gier, conductor

Jamie Bernstein, host

Tom Dulack, scriptwriter and director

Program tba

* denotes New York Philharmonic debut

ANNUAL ERICH LEINSDORF LECTURE

Walter Reade Theater
65th Street and Broadway

Monday, October 20, 2008, 6:00 p.m.

Marin Alsop, speaker

CHAMBER MUSIC ON STATEN ISLAND

College of Staten Island, The City University of New York

Monday, October 20, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Musicians From the New York Philharmonic

Program tba

DAVID ROBERTSON CONDUCTS MOZART, BARTÓK, AND BRAHMS

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, October 23, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, October 24, 2008, 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, October 25, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 28, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

David Robertson, conductor

Leonidas Kavakos, violin

MOZART

BARTÓK

BRAHMS

Symphony No. 34

Violin Concerto No. 2

Symphony No. 3

NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC ENSEMBLES AT MERKIN CONCERT HALL

Merkin Concert Hall at Kaufman Center
129 West 67th Street

Sunday, October 26, 2008, 3:00 p.m.

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| HERTEL | Concerto a cinque in D major
Sherry Sylar, Robert Botti, oboe
Roger Nye, Arlen Fast, bassoon
Matthew Muckey, trumpet |
| Margarita ZELENIAIA | <i>August. Sunset Bloom</i> (World Premiere)
Anna Rabinova, Duoming Ba, violin
Dawn Hannay, viola; Qiang Tu, cello |
| Osvaldo GOLIJOV | <i>Last Round</i>
Lisa Kim, Soohyun Kwon,
Yulia Ziskel, Fiona Simon, violin
Rebecca Young, Dawn Hannay, viola
Sumire Kudo, Ru-Pei Yeh, cello
David J. Grossman, bass |
| Richard CARRICK | <i>Duo Flow</i>
Charles Rex, violin; Eric Bartlett, cello |
| Vladimir TSYPIN | <i>Three Songs</i>
Vladimir Tsy-pin, violin; Irina Mozyleva, soprano [°] |
| BRAHMS | Piano Trio in C minor, Op. 101
Yulia Ziskel, violin; Elizabeth Dyson, cello
Ieva Jokubaviciute, piano [°] |
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[°] denotes guest artist

BERNSTEIN: THE BEST OF ALL POSSIBLE WORLDS
DAVID ROBERTSON CONDUCTS 20th-CENTURY AMERICAN WORKS

HEAR & NOW, HOSTED BY STEVEN STUCKY
ILLUMINATING ELLIOTT CARTER'S *Of Rewaking*

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, October 30, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, October 31, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 1, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

David Robertson, conductor

Michelle DeYoung, mezzo-soprano

COPLAND

Appalachian Spring

Elliott CARTER

Of Rewaking, a *Hear & Now* Presentation,

Hosted by Steven Stucky

Elliott CARTER

Of Rewaking

BERNSTEIN

Symphony No. 1, *Jeremiah*

Christopher ROUSE

Rapture

These performances are preceded by the *Hear & Now* talks one hour before each concert. A *Hear & Now* presentation will take place at the start of the concert.

CHRISTOPH ESCHENBACH AND LANG LANG

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, November 5, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 6, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, November 7, 2008, 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 8, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Christoph Eschenbach, conductor

Lang Lang, piano

BEETHOVEN

Piano Concerto No. 1

BRUCKNER

Symphony No. 9

ANDREY BOREYKO AND GIL SHAHAM

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, November 12, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 13, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, November 15, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Andrey Boreyko, conductor

Gil Shaham, violin

LYADOV

Kikimora

KHACHATURIAN

Violin Concerto

Giya KANCHELI

Abii ne viderem

STRAVINSKY

*The Firebird Suite (1919)***NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC ENSEMBLES AT MERKIN CONCERT HALL**

Merkin Concert Hall at Kaufman Center

129 West 67th Street

Sunday, November 16, 2008, 3:00 p.m.

MARTINŮ

Three Madrigals for violin and viola
Anna Rabinova, violin; Irene Breslaw, viola

SMETANA

String Quartet No. 1, *From My Life*
Lisa Kim, Minyoung Chang, violin
Vivek Kamath, viola; Eileen Moon, cello

JANÁČEK

Concertino
Pascual Martinez Forteza, clarinet
Roger Nye, bassoon; Thomas Jöstlein, horn
Na Sun, Duoming Ba, violin; Peter Kenote, viola
Gema Nieto-Forteza, piano[°]

Paul MORAVEC

Chamber Symphony
Robert Langevin, flute; Mark Nuccio, clarinet
Erik Ralske, horn; Sharon Yamada, violin;
Maria Kitsopoulos, cello; Daniel Druckman, percussion
Jeewon Han, piano[°][°] denotes guest artist

BERNSTEIN: THE BEST OF ALL POSSIBLE WORLDS
ALAN GILBERT AND THE NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC AT
CARNEGIE HALL, CELEBRATING THE 65TH ANNIVERSARY OF
BERNSTEIN'S PHILHARMONIC DEBUT

Carnegie Hall

Friday, November 14, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Alan Gilbert, conductor
 Glenn Dicterow, violin

Cast to include:
 Ana María Martínez, soprano
 Paul Groves, tenor

BERNSTEIN	<i>On the Waterfront</i> Symphonic Suite
BERNSTEIN	Serenade
BERNSTEIN	<i>West Side Story</i> , Suites No. 1 and No. 2

LORIN MAAZEL AND ALISA WEILERSTEIN

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, November 20, 2008, 7:30 p.m.
 Friday, November 21, 2008, 11:00 a.m.
 Saturday, November 22, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor
 Soloists tba
 Alisa Weilerstein, cello

J.S. BACH	<i>Brandenburg</i> Concerto No. 6
Krzysztof PENDERECKI	Cello Concerto No. 2
BEETHOVEN	Symphony No. 5

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERTS®
"The Capitals of Music: Ravel's Paris"

Avery Fisher Hall

Saturday, November 22, 2008, 2:00 p.m.

Delta David Gier, conductor and host
 Tom Dulack, scriptwriter and director

Program tba

BERNSTEIN: THE BEST OF ALL POSSIBLE WORLDS
NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC PRESENTS
THE JUILLIARD ORCHESTRA

Avery Fisher Hall

Monday, November 24, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Alan Gilbert, conductor
 The Juilliard Orchestra
 Soprano tba
 Speaker tba
 Oratorio Society of New York
 Kent Tritle, director
 Young People's Chorus of New York
 Francisco J. Núñez, director

BERNSTEIN	Symphony No. 3, <i>Kaddish</i>
BEETHOVEN	Symphony No. 3, <i>Eroica</i>

LORIN MAAZEL AND JULIA FISCHER

Tuesday, November 25, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, November 28, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 29, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Soloists tba

Julia Fischer, violin

J.S. BACH

MOZART

SCHUMANN

Brandenburg Concerto No. 1

Violin Concerto No. 5, *Turkish*

Symphony No. 4

SATURDAY MATINEE CONCERT

Avery Fisher Hall

Saturday, November 29, 2008, 2:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Soloists tba

Julia Fischer, violin

BRAHMS

Sextet for Strings

Glenn Dicterow, Marc Ginsberg, violin

Cynthia Phelps, Rebecca Young, viola

Carter Brey, Eileen Moon, cello

J.S. BACH

MOZART

Brandenburg Concerto No. 1

Violin Concerto No. 5, *Turkish*

LORIN MAAZEL CONDUCTS BACH, SCHUMANN, AND BEETHOVEN

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, December 3, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, December 5, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor
Soloists tba

J.S. BACH	<i>Brandenburg</i> Concerto No. 6
SCHUMANN	Symphony No. 4
BEETHOVEN	Symphony No. 5

LORIN MAAZEL CONDUCTS R. STRAUSS'S *ELEKTRA*

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, December 4, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, December 6, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, December 9, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, December 13, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Cast to include:

Deborah Polaski, soprano* (*Elektra*)

Anne Schwanewilms, soprano* (*Chrysothemus*)

Jane Henschel, soprano* (*Clytemnestra*)

Julian Tovey, baritone* (*Orestes*)

Ryan MacPherson, tenor* (*Young Servant*)

Helen Huse Ralston, soprano* (*Overseer*)

Janice Meyerson, mezzo-soprano (*Maid 1*)

Stephanie Chigas, mezzo-soprano* (*Maid 2*)

Linda Pavelka, mezzo-soprano* (*Maid 3*)

Priti Gandhi, soprano* (*Maid 4*)

Julianne Borg, soprano (*Maid 5*)

New York Choral Artists

Joseph Flummerfelt, director

R. STRAUSS	<i>Elektra</i> (in concert)
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* denotes New York Philharmonic debut

GILBERT KAPLAN CONDUCTS MAHLER'S SYMPHONY NO. 2, *RESURRECTION*

Avery Fisher Hall

Monday, December 8, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Gilbert Kaplan, conductor*
 Christiane Oelze, soprano*
 Janina Baechle, mezzo-soprano*
 Westminster Symphonic Choir
 Joe Miller, director

MAHLER

Symphony No. 2, *Resurrection*

LORIN MAAZEL CONDUCTS BACH, PROKOFIEV, MOZART, AND FALLA

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, December 11, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, December 12, 2008, 2:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor
 Soloists tba
 Leon Fleisher, piano
 Philip Myers, horn
 Mezzo-soprano tba

J.S. BACH
 PROKOFIEV
 MOZART
 FALLA

Brandenburg Concerto No. 3
 Piano Concerto No. 4
 Horn Concerto No. 2
El amor brujo

DAY OF CARTER

CELEBRATING ELLIOTT CARTER'S CENTENNIAL

The Stanley H. Kaplan Penthouse
 65th Street and Amsterdam Avenue

Saturday, December 13, 2008, 2:00 p.m.

Details to be announced

* denotes New York Philharmonic debut

HOLIDAY BRASS

Sunday, December 14, 2008, 3:00 p.m.

New York Philharmonic Principal Brass
The Canadian Brass

Program tba

TON KOOPMAN CONDUCTS HANDEL'S *MESSIAH*

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, December 17, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, December 18, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, December 19, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, December 20, 2008, 8:00 p.m.

Ton Koopman, conductor*

Sunhae Im, soprano*

Andreas Scholl, countertenor*

Jörg Dürmüller, tenor*

Detlef Roth, baritone*

Westminster Symphonic Choir

Joe Miller, director

HANDEL

Messiah

NEW YEAR'S EVE GALA CONCERT

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, December 31, 2008, 7:30 p.m.

Live From Lincoln Center

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Program tba

* denotes New York Philharmonic debut

LORIN MAAZEL AND EMANUEL AX

Avery Fisher Hall

Friday, January 2, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, January 3, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 6, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Soloists tba

Emanuel Ax, piano

J.S. BACH

Brandenburg Concerto No. 2

R. STRAUSS

Burleske for Piano and Orchestra

SZYMANOWSKI

Symphony No. 4 for Piano and Orchestra

MUSSORGSKY/Ravel

*Pictures at an Exhibition***SATURDAY MATINEE CONCERT**

Avery Fisher Hall

Saturday, January 3, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

MOZART

String Quintet in G minor

Sheryl Staples, Michelle Kim, violin

Cynthia Phelps, Rebecca Young, viola

Carter Brey, cello

MUSSORGSKY/Ravel

*Pictures at an Exhibition***CHAMBER MUSIC AT THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART**

The Metropolitan Museum of Art

1000 Fifth Avenue

Sunday, January 4, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Yefim Bronfman, piano

Musicians from the New York Philharmonic

Program to include:

MOZART

Clarinet Trio, *Kegelstatt*

SCHUMANN

Piano Quintet

LUDOVIC MORLOT AND OLLI MUSTONEN

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, January 8, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, January 9, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, January 10, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Ludovic Morlot, conductor

Olli Mustonen, piano

Tristan MURAIL

MOZART

MESSIAEN

DEBUSSY

Gondwana (U.S. Premiere)

Piano Concerto No. 11

*Oiseaux exotiques**La Mer***CHAMBER MUSIC AT THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART**

The Metropolitan Museum of Art

1000 Fifth Avenue

Sunday, January 11, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Olli Mustonen, piano

Musicians from the New York Philharmonic

TCHAIKOVSKY

Olli MUSTONEN

SHOSKATOVICH

*The Seasons**Jehkin Iivana* (U.S. Premiere)

Piano Quintet

RUSH HOUR CONCERT

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, January 14, 2009, 6:45 p.m.

Gustavo Dudamel, conductor

MAHLER

Symphony No. 5

GUSTAVO DUDAMEL AND PINCHAS ZUKERMAN

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, January 15, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, January 16, 2009, 11:00 a.m.

Tuesday, January 20, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Gustavo Dudamel, conductor

Pinchas Zukerman, violin

Oliver KNUSSEN

Violin Concerto

MAHLER

Symphony No. 5

**GUSTAVO DUDAMEL AND THE NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC AT
THE TILLES CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS**

Tilles Center for the Performing Arts

Long Island University

Brookville, New York

Saturday, January 17, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Gustavo Dudamel, conductor

Pinchas Zukerman, violin

Oliver KNUSSEN

Violin Concerto

MAHLER

Symphony No. 5

RICCARDO MUTI AND THOMAS QUASTHOFF

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, January 22, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, January 24, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 27, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Riccardo Muti, conductor

Thomas Quasthoff, bass-baritone

HAYDN

Symphony No. 89

HAYDN

Selected Arias

BRAHMS

Serenade No. 1

INSIDE THE MUSIC
An Introduction to Brahms's Serenade No. 1

Avery Fisher Hall

Friday, January 23, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Riccardo Muti, conductor
 Host tba

BRAHMS	Serenade No. 1,
	<i>Inside the Music</i> Presentation
BRAHMS	Serenade No. 1

NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC ENSEMBLES AT MERKIN CONCERT HALL

Merkin Concert Hall at Kaufman Center
 129 West 67th Street

Sunday, January 25, 2009, 3:00 p.m.

Paul SCHOENFIELD	<i>Café Music</i> Soohyun Kwon, violin; Ru-Pei Yeh, cello Helen Huang, piano ^o
D'INDY	Clarinet Trio Stanley Drucker, clarinet Evangeline Benedetti, cello Kiyoshi Tamagawa, piano ^o
FAURÉ	Piano Quartet No. 1 Fiona Simon, violin; Judith Nelson, viola Eileen Moon, cello; Harriet Wingreen, piano

^o denotes guest artist

RICCARDO MUTI AND RADU LUPU

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, January 29, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, January 30, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, January 31, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Riccardo Muti, conductor

Radu Lupu, piano

BEETHOVEN

Piano Concerto No. 3

SCRIABIN

Symphony No. 2

**KURT MASUR AND ANNE-SOPHIE MUTTER
CELEBRATING MENDELSSOHN'S 200TH BIRTHDAY**

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, February 4, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 5, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, February 6, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 7, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Kurt Masur, conductor

Anne-Sophie Mutter, violin

Mezzo-soprano tba

Jorma Silvasti, tenor*

Albert Dohmen, bass-baritone**

Bass tba

Westminster Symphonic Choir

Joe Miller, director

MENDELSSOHN

Overture to *Ruy Blas*

MENDELSSOHN

Violin Concerto

MENDELSSOHN

Die erste Walpurgisnacht

* denotes New York Philharmonic debut

** denotes New York Philharmonic subscription debut

NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC ENSEMBLES AT MERKIN CONCERT HALL

Merkin Concert Hall at Kaufman Center
129 West 67th Street

Sunday, February 15, 2009, 3:00 p.m.

ROSSINI	Sonata No. 4 for Wind Quartet Mindy Kaufman, flute Pascual Martinez Forteza, clarinet Kim Laskowski, bassoon; Howard Wall, horn
KRÁSA	Passacaglia and Fugue Hanna Lachert, violin; Irene Breslaw, viola Qiang Tu, cello
ZEMLINSKY	Clarinet Trio, Op. 3 Mark Nuccio, clarinet; Carter Brey, cello Benjamin Pasternack, piano [°]
DEVIENNE	Duo for Flute and Viola Mindy Kaufman, flute; Rebecca Young, viola
KORNGOLD	Piano Trio Lisa Kim, violin; Ru-Pei Yeh, cello Helen Huang, piano [°]

[°] denotes guest artist

**LORIN MAAZEL AND THE NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC AT
CARNEGIE HALL**

Carnegie Hall

Tuesday, February 17, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor
 Susanne Mentzer, mezzo-soprano (Child)
 Celena Shafer, soprano (Fire/Nightingale/Princess)
 Jessica Jones, soprano (Shepherdess/Bat/Owl/Bergère chair)
 Kate Lindsey, mezzo-soprano* (Female Cat/Squirrel)
 Kelley O'Connor, mezzo-soprano (Mother/Chinese Teacup/Dragonfly/Shepherd)
 Philippe Castagner, tenor (Teapot/Little Old Man/Tree Frog)
 Ian Greenlaw, baritone (Grandfather Clock/Cat)
 Kevin Deas, bass (Armchair/Tree)
 New York Choral Artists
 Joseph Flummerfelt, director
 Westminster Symphonic Choir
 Joe Miller, director
 Brooklyn Youth Chorus
 Dianne Berkun, director

RAVEL	<i>L'Enfant et les sortilèges</i>
RAVEL	<i>Daphnis et Chloé</i> (complete ballet)

**LORIN MAAZEL AND THE NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC AT
CARNEGIE HALL**

Carnegie Hall

Wednesday, February 18, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor
 Jean-Yves Thibaudet, piano

BARBER	<i>The School for Scandal Overture</i>
GERSHWIN	Concerto in F
STRAVINSKY	<i>The Rite of Spring</i>

* denotes New York Philharmonic debut

LORIN MAAZEL WITH GLENN DICTEROW AND THOMAS STACY

Avery Fisher Hall

Friday, March 13, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 14, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Thomas Stacy, oboe d'amore

Glenn Dicterow, violin

MENDELSSOHN

Overture to *A Midsummer Night's Dream*

TELEMANN

Concerto for Oboe d'amore in A major

BRUCH

Violin Concerto No. 1

MUSSORGSKY/Ravel

*Pictures at an Exhibition***NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC ENSEMBLES AT MERKIN CONCERT HALL**

Merkin Concert Hall at Kaufman Center

129 West 67th Street

Sunday, March 15, 2009, 3:00 p.m.

BEETHOVEN

Serenade, Op. 8

Kuan-Cheng Lu, violin; Peter Kenote, viola

Wei Yu, cello

BEETHOVEN

Wind Quintet, H. 19

Robert Botti, oboe; Kim Laskowski, bassoon

Philip Myers, Erik Ralske, R. Allen Spanjer, horn

BEETHOVEN

Piano Trio, Op. 71, No. 1, *Ghost*

Na Sun, violin; Eileen Moon, cello

Sandra Lau Martins, piano[°][°] denotes guest artist

ZUBIN MEHTA AND PERCADU**HEAR & NOW, HOSTED BY STEVEN STUCKY**
Illuminating Avner Dorman's *Spices, Perfumes, Toxins!*

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, March 18, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, March 19, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, March 20, 2009, 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, March 21, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Zubin Mehta, conductor

PercaDu, percussion*

Avner DORMAN

Spices, Perfumes, Toxins!, Hear & Now Presentation,
Hosted by Steven Stucky

Avner DORMAN

Spices, Perfumes, Toxins!

BARTÓK

Concerto for Orchestra

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CHAMBER MUSIC AT THE 92ND STREET Y

Theresa L. Kaufman Concert Hall

92nd Street Y's Tisch Center for the Arts

Sunday, March 22, 2009, 3:00 p.m.

Nikolaj Znaider, violin

Saleem Abboud Ashkar, piano

Musicians from the New York Philharmonic

MENDELSSOHN

Piano Trio No. 1

J.S. BACH

Sonata for Piano and Violin tba

MENDELSSOHN

Octet

* denotes New York Philharmonic debut

NICHOLAS McGEGAN CONDUCTS A HANDEL CELEBRATION

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, March 26, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, March 27, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 28, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Nicholas McGegan, conductor

Christine Schäfer, soprano

HANDEL	Concerto a due cori, No. 2
HANDEL	“Care mura,” from <i>Partenope</i>
HANDEL	“Voglio amare,” from <i>Partenope</i>
HANDEL	“Qual farfalletta,” from <i>Partenope</i>
HANDEL	Concerto Grosso in C major (<i>Alexander’s Feast</i>)
HANDEL	“Dì, cor mio,” from <i>Alcina</i>
HANDEL	“Che sento? ... Se pieta,” from <i>Giulio Cesare</i>
HANDEL	“Ah Ruggiero, crudel ... Ombre pallide,” from <i>Alcina</i>
HANDEL	<i>Music for the Royal Fireworks</i>

YOUNG PEOPLE’S CONCERTS®

“The Capitals of Music: Mozart’s Vienna”

Avery Fisher Hall

Saturday, March 28, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

Delta David Gier, conductor and host

Tom Dulack, scriptwriter and director

Program tba

RUSH HOUR CONCERT

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, April 1, 2009, 6:45 p.m.

Charles Dutoit, conductor

STRAVINSKY	<i>Dumbarton Oaks</i>
TCHAIKOVSKY	Symphony No. 5

CHARLES DUTOIT AND LISA BATIASHVILI

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, April 2, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, April 3, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 4, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Charles Dutoit, conductor

Lisa Batiashvili, violin

STRAVINSKY

Dumbarton Oaks

PROKOFIEV

Violin Concerto No. 2

TCHAIKOVSKY

Symphony No. 5

SATURDAY MATINEE CONCERT

Avery Fisher Hall

Saturday, April 4, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

Charles Dutoit, conductor

MOZART

Clarinet Quintet

Stanley Drucker, clarinet

Michelle Kim, Lisa Kim, violin

Robert Rinehart, viola; Eileen Moon, cello

TCHAIKOVSKY

Symphony No. 5

RICCARDO MUTI AND MITSUKO UCHIDA

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, April 15, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 16, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, April 17, 2009, 11:00 a.m.

Saturday, April 18, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Riccardo Muti, conductor

Mitsuko Uchida, piano

RAVEL

Piano Concerto in G major

SCHUBERT

Symphony in C major, *Great*

NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC ENSEMBLES AT MERKIN CONCERT HALL

Merkin Concert Hall at Kaufman Center
129 West 67th Street

Sunday, April 19, 2009, 3:00 p.m.

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| Roger KELLAWAY | <i>Dance of the Ocean Breeze</i>
Philip Myers, horn; Alan Baer, tuba
Virginia Perry Lamb, piano ^o |
| MENDELSSOHN | String Quartet No. 2, Op. 13
Kuan-Cheng Lu, Minyoung Chang, violin
Robert Rinehart, viola; Wei Yu, cello |
| ROSSINI | Sonata a quattro No. 4
Lisa GiHae Kim, Duoming Ba, violin
Ru-Pei Yeh, cello; David J. Grossman, bass |
| R. STRAUSS | <i>Metamorphosen</i> (chamber version)
Soohyun Kwon, Lisa GiHae Kim, violin
Vivek Kamath, Dawn Hannay, viola
Elizabeth Dyson, Wei Yu, cello
Satoshi Okamoto, bass |

RICCARDO MUTI CONDUCTS VERDI, PUCCINI, AND RESPIGHI

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, April 22, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 23, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, April 24, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 25, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Riccardo Muti, conductor

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| VERDI | Overture to <i>Giovanna d'Arco</i> |
| VERDI | Ballet of the Four Seasons from <i>I vespri siciliani</i> |
| PUCCINI | Preludio sinfonico |
| RESPIGHI | <i>Pines of Rome</i> |

^o denotes guest artist

VERY YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERTS
"Allegro and Adagio"

Merkin Concert Hall at Kaufman Center
 129 West 67th Street

Sunday, April 26, 2009, 12:30 and 3:00 p.m.
 Monday, April 27, 2009, 10:30 a.m.

Program and artists tba

ALAN GILBERT AND JOSHUA BELL

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, April 30, 2009, 7:30 p.m.
 Friday, May 1, 2009, 8:00 p.m.
 Saturday, May 2, 2009, 8:00 p.m.
 Tuesday, May 5, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Alan Gilbert, conductor
 Joshua Bell, violin

DVOŘÁK	<i>The Golden Spinning Wheel</i>
SAINT-SAËNS	Violin Concerto No. 3
MARTINŮ	Symphony No. 4

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERTS®
"The Capitals of Music: Mussorgsky's St. Petersburg"

Avery Fisher Hall

Saturday, May 2, 2009, 2:00 p.m.

Delta David Gier, conductor and host
 Tom Dulack, scriptwriter and director

Program tba

**ALAN GILBERT CONDUCTS WORLD PREMIERE–
NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC COMMISSION BY PETER LIEBERSON**

HEAR & NOW, HOSTED BY STEVEN STUCKY
illuminating Peter Lieberson's *The World in Flower*

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, May 7, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, May 8, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 9, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Alan Gilbert, conductor
Joyce DiDonato, mezzo-soprano
Russell Braun, baritone*
New York Choral Artists
Joseph Flummerfelt, director

Peter LIEBERSON	<i>The World in Flower, Hear & Now</i> Presentation Hosted by Steven Stucky
Peter LIEBERSON	<i>The World in Flower</i> (World Premiere– New York Philharmonic Commission)
MAHLER	Symphony No. 1

These performances are preceded by the *Hear & Now* talks one hour before each concert. A *Hear & Now* presentation will take place at the concert start time.

VERY YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERTS
"Forte and Piano"

Merkin Concert Hall at Kaufman Center
129 West 67th Street

Sunday, May 10, 2009, 12:30 and 3:00 p.m.

Monday, May 11, 2009, 10:30 a.m.

Program and artists tba

RUSH HOUR CONCERT

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, May 13, 2009, 6:45 p.m.

Esa-Pekka Salonen, conductor

Christian Tetzlaff, violin

SZYMANOWSKI

Violin Concerto No. 1

LUTOSŁAWSKI

Concerto for Orchestra

ESA-PEKKA SALONEN AND CHRISTIAN TETZLAFF

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, May 14, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 16, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Esa-Pekka Salonen, conductor

Christian Tetzlaff, violin

LUTOSŁAWSKI

Concerto for Orchestra

SZYMANOWSKI

Violin Concerto No. 1

SIBELIUS

Symphony No. 5

INSIDE THE MUSIC**An Introduction to Sibelius's Symphony No. 5**

Avery Fisher Hall

Friday, May 15, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Esa-Pekka Salonen, conductor

Host tba

SIBELIUS

Symphony No. 5,

Inside the Music Presentation

SIBELIUS

Symphony No. 5

**LORIN MAAZEL CONDUCTS WORLD PREMIERE—
NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC COMMISSION BY AARON JAY KERNIS**

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, June 4, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 6, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 9, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Soloists tba

Philip Smith, trumpet

Stanley Drucker, clarinet

J.S. BACH

Aaron Jay KERNIS

Brandenburg Concerto No. 4

New Work for Trumpet and Orchestra

(World Premiere—New York Philharmonic
Commission)

COPLAND

RAVEL

Clarinet Concerto

Boléro

These performances are preceded by the *Hear & Now* lectures, hosted by Steven Stucky, one hour before each concert.

**LORIN MAAZEL AND THE NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC AT
THE NEW JERSEY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER**

The New Jersey Performing Arts Center

Newark, New Jersey

Friday, June 5, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Soloists tba

Stanley Drucker, clarinet

J.S. BACH

MUSSORGSKY/Ravel

COPLAND

RAVEL

Brandenburg Concerto No. 4

Pictures at an Exhibition

Clarinet Concerto

Boléro

LORIN MAAZEL CONDUCTS BRITTEN'S *WAR REQUIEM*

Avery Fisher Hall

Thursday, June 11, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, June 12, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 13, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Lionel Bringuier, conductor*

Nancy Gustafson, soprano

Vale Rideout, tenor*

Ian Greenlaw, baritone

New York Choral Artists

Joseph Flummerfelt, director

The Dessoff Symphonic Choir

James Bagwell, director

Brooklyn Youth Chorus

Dianne Berkun, director

BRITTEN

War Requiem

VERY YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERTS

"Treble and Bass"

Merkin Concert Hall at Kaufman Center

129 West 67th Street

Sunday, June 14, 2009, 12:30 and 3:00 p.m.

Monday, June 15, 2009, 10:30 a.m.

Program and artists tba

* denotes New York Philharmonic debut

LORIN MAAZEL CONDUCTS

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, June 17, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 18, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 20, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Lorin MAAZEL

Monaco Fanfares

Lorin MAAZEL

Farewells

SIBELIUS

Symphony No. 2

**LORIN MAAZEL AND THE NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC AT
THE TILLES CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS**

Tilles Center for the Performing Arts

Long Island University

Brookville, New York

Friday, June 19, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Soloists tba

Stanley Drucker, clarinet

J.S. BACH

Brandenburg Concerto No. 4

Lorin MAAZEL

Farewells

COPLAND

Clarinet Concerto

RAVEL

Boléro

**LORIN MAAZEL CONDUCTS MAHLER'S SYMPHONY NO. 8,
SYMPHONY OF A THOUSAND**

Avery Fisher Hall

Wednesday, June 24, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 25, 2009, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, June 26, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 27, 2009, 8:00 p.m.

Lorin Maazel, conductor

Christine Brewer, soprano (I. Magna Peccatrix)

Nancy Gustafson, soprano (II. Una poenitentium)

Jeanine De Bique, soprano* (Mater gloriosa)

Mary Phillips, mezzo-soprano (alto I. Mulier Samaritana)

Alto tba (alto II. Maria Aegyptiaca)

Anthony Dean Griffey, tenor (Doctor Marianus)

Wolfgang Schöne, bass (Pater ecstaticus)

Jason Grant, bass-baritone (Pater profundus)

New York Choral Artists

Joseph Flummerfelt, director

The Dessoff Symphonic Choir

James Bagwell, director

Brooklyn Youth Chorus

Dianne Berkun, director

MAHLER

Symphony No. 8, *Symphony of a Thousand*

TOURS

Dates and locations to be announced

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