



International Violin Competition of Indianapolis

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Tues., Mar. 28, 9:05-9:15 AM
WICR 88.7 FM: Hear about our collaboration with the Indianapolis Chamber Orchestra on Mar. 31 and Apr. 1.

Thurs., Apr. 6, 9:05-9:30 AM
WICR 88.7 FM: Guest **Svetlin Roussev**, 1998 IVCI Laureate, talks with host Doug Housemeyer.

Thurs., Mar. 30, 7:00-8:00 PM
WFYI 90.1 FM: Tune in to *Classical Connections* to hear 1998 Laureate **Svetlin Roussev** for some music and conversation.

FOR CULTURAL TOURISTS—
Mihaela Martin, 1982 Gold Medalist:
March 5-19: On tour in Italy and Denmark with the Michelangelo String Quartet. Their March 5 concert at London's Wigmore Hall was SOLD OUT! Complete tour details at www.michelangelostringquartet.com.

Ida Kavafian, 1982 Silver Medalist:
On tour with Interlochen Arts Academy Orchestra in Daugherty's *Fire and Blood Concerto*. **FREE and open to the public.**
Apr. 6, 8:00 PM: North Shore Center for the Performing Arts, Skokie, IL; **Apr. 7, 8:00 PM:** Kulas Hall, Cleveland Institute of Music; **Apr. 9, 3:00 PM:** Orchestra Hall, Max Fischer Music Center, Detroit, MI.

Leonidas Kavakos, 1986 Silver Medalist:
Apr. 7, 10:30 AM; Apr. 8, 8:00 PM;
Apr. 9, 3:00 PM: Bartók 2nd Violin Concerto with the St. Louis Symphony. For tickets call 800-232-1880 or visit www.saintlouissymphony.org.

Judith Ingolfsson, 1998 Gold Medalist:
Mar. 25, 8:00 PM & Mar. 26, 2:00 PM: Barber Violin Concerto with the Dubuque Symphony Orchestra. Five Flags Theater, Dubuque, Iowa. Tickets - 866-803-9280.
Apr. 6, 10:30 AM & Apr. 8, 8:00 PM: Mozart Violin Concerto #5 with the Louisville Orchestra. Whitney Hall, The Kentucky Center. Tickets at www.louisvilleorchestra.org.

Sergey Khachatryan, 2002 Silver Medal:
March 8-27: U.S. tour with the London Philharmonic Orchestra. Khachaturian Concerto. Visit www.lpo.co.uk for complete schedule.
March 29, 8:00 PM: In recital at the Florence Gould Theatre in San Francisco. For tickets call 415-392-2545.
March 31, 7:30 PM: In recital at the Orange County Performing Arts Center Founders Hall in Costa Mesa, CA. For tickets call 714-556-2787 or online at www.ocpac.org.

Violin tales

Juliette Kang, 1994 IVCI Gold Medalist and Associate Concertmaster of the Philadelphia Orchestra, will perform Bach's E major Violin Concerto and Wieniawski's Polonaise Brillante with the Indianapolis Chamber Orchestra (ICO) on **March 31 at 8:00 p.m. and April 1 at 5:30 p.m.** at Indiana History Center's Basile Theater. This is a collaborative concert included on the subscription series of the 2005-2006 IVCI Chamber Music series. **Single tickets are available through the ICO by calling 317-940-9607.**



Prior to her appointment in Philadelphia, the Canadian violinist was Assistant Concertmaster of the Boston Symphony Orchestra. She had also played in the Kennedy Center and Metropolitan opera orchestras. Juliette has remained active as a chamber musician and soloist while pursuing a career on the orchestral track. She and her husband, cellist and composer Thomas Kraines, are expecting their first child.

Svetlin Roussev, 1998 Laureate, will be spending about two weeks in the Crossroads of America when he performs as acting Concertmaster of the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra during their Classical Series concerts on **March 31 at 8:00 p.m. and April 1 at 5:30 p.m.** This program includes Brahms Third Symphony, Jennifer Higdon's Percussion Concerto with soloist Colin Currie, and Richard Strauss' Suite from Der Rosenkavalier. **For tickets visit www.indianapolisymphony.org or call 317-639-4300.**

Svetlin remains in Indianapolis to perform the following week with his Argentine tango orchestra, **Tanguísimo**, on the IVCI's annual concert series. This concert will be held at Clowes Memorial Hall of Butler University on Saturday, **April 8 at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are available in person at the Clowes box office (4600 Sunset Avenue) and at Ticketmaster by phone (317) 239-1000 or online at www.ticketmaster.com.** The international ensemble and pair of dancers from Buenos Aires will also give a special preview of that performance at the IVCI fund raising event, *VIVA il Violino*, on Friday, April 7. For more information on either the concert or *VIVA*, contact the IVCI offices at 317-637-4574.



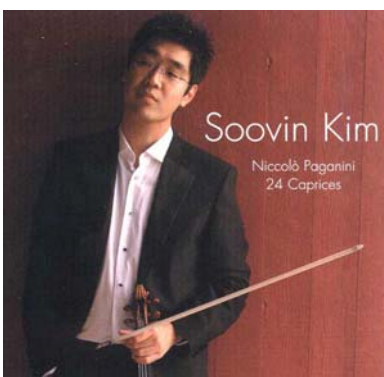
Chamber music

A six-member ensemble from *Musicians from Marlboro*, including **2002 IVCI Bronze Medalist Soovin Kim**, is performing six concerts on a national tour March 4 through March 12. They began in New York City in a performance presented by the Peoples' Symphony Concerts series. After two concerts in Florida they move on to California in La Jolla (Mar. 8 - www.ljms.org), Los Angeles (Mar. 11 - www.uclalive.org), and San Francisco (Mar. 12 - www.chambermusicssf.org). The program includes the Ravel Quartet, Brahms Horn Trio, and works by Schubert and Harbison. For tickets, visit the websites listed with each date.

Chamber Music America has awarded a grant to the Miami String Quartet, led by first violinist and **1990 IVCI Bronze Medalist Ivan Chan**. This award has allowed them to fund a commission by composer Robert Carl, head of the composition department at Hartt School of Music. The next two months are very busy for this highly regarded quartet. In addition to their faculty duties at the Hartt School of Music they will perform numerous concerts in the eastern half of the United States.
March 9 - The Hartt School, Hartford, CT; Tickets - 800-768-4228
March 11 - Duke University, Durham, NC; SOLD OUT
March 26 - Sunday Afternoons of Music, Coral Gables, FL; Tickets - 305-271-7150
March 28 - Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, Louisiana; Tickets - 318-257-3942
March 31 and April 1 - Columbus State University, Columbus, GA; Tickets - 706-649-7225
April 6 - The Hartt School, Hartford, CT; Tickets - 800-768-4228
April 9 - Town Hall, New York, NY; Tickets - www.pscny.org/tickets.htm
April 30 - Chamber Music Society of Wilmington, NC; Tickets - 910-649-7225
May 11-17 Resident Ensemble at the Virginia Arts Festival; Tickets - www.vafest.com

Insider news

Don't miss VIVA il Violino, the special event to benefit the International Violin Competition of Indianapolis on **April 7, 2006**. The event, with support from title sponsor McDonald Financial Group, is nearly sold out. This exciting evening, which features dinner, an auction and an exhibition of music and dance, will be held at the new **Conrad Indianapolis**. Contact the IVCI offices at 317-637-4574 to request an invitation.



With the aid of the Borletti-Buitoni Trust, **2002 IVCI Bronze Medalist Soovin Kim** has recorded the Paganini 24 Caprices, Op. 1 for Azica Records. This was released in late January 2006 and is available for sale through the IVCI or Azica. Call Azica at 888-349-3310. (Catalogue# ACD-71235)

In April the Interlochen Arts Academy Orchestra departs on a three-city Midwest tour, with performances in Chicago, Cleveland and Detroit. They will be joined on the tour by Interlochen alumna **Ida Kavafian**, the **1982 IVCI Silver Medalist**. Ms. Kavafian attended the camp and academy, and also served on the camp faculty during the summer of 1978.

Kavafian will perform Michael Daugherty's *Fire and Blood Concerto* for Violin and Orchestra. Daugherty based his work on the landmark "Detroit Industry" frescos at the Detroit Institute of Arts by the Mexican muralist Diego Rivera.

