

All-Star Orchestra
Gerard Schwarz
Music Director

Paul Schwendener
Executive Director

First Violins

Robert Chen - Concertmaster
Chicago Symphony Orchestra, Concertmaster

Jeffrey Multer
The Florida Orchestra, Concertmaster

Yuriy Bekker
Charleston Symphony Orchestra, Concertmaster

Jon Carney
Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, Concertmaster

Laura Park Chen

Scott Flavin
Symphony of the Americas, Concertmaster

Timothy Lees
Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, Concertmaster Emeritus

Matous Michal
Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Simon Michal
Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Evija Ozolins
Palm Beach Symphony, Concertmaster

Wen Qian
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Acting Assistant Concertmaster

Brian Reagin
North Carolina Symphony, Concertmaster

Leonid Sigal
Hartford Symphony Orchestra, Concertmaster

Nancy Wu
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Associate Concertmaster

Second Violins

Qianqian Li - Principal
New York Philharmonic, Principal Second Violin

Duoming Ba
New York Philharmonic

Laura Frautschi
Orpheus Chamber Orchestra

Amy Hiraga
San Francisco Symphony

Amy Kauffman
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

Qing Li
Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, Principal Second Violin

Valentin Mansurov
Palm Beach Symphony, Principal Second Violin

Avi Nagin
Amernet String Quartet

Julie Savignon
Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic

Marié Schwalbach
New York Philharmonic

Na Sun
New York Philharmonic

Alisa Wyrick
New York City Ballet Orchestra

Violas

Rebecca Young - Principal
New York Philharmonic, Associate Principal

William Bender
The Cleveland Orchestra

Cyrus Beroukhim
American Symphony Orchestra, Concertmaster

Vivek Kamath
New York Philharmonic

Milan Milisavljević
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Principal

Chauncey Patterson
Palm Beach Symphony, Principal

Daniel Reinker
Nashville Symphony Orchestra, Principal

Robert Rinehart
New York Philharmonic

Cong Wu
New York Philharmonic, Assistant Principal

Joanna Patterson Zakany
The Cleveland Orchestra

Cellos

Jerry Grossman - Principal
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Co-Principal

Neal Cary
Richmond Symphony, Principal

Steven Honigberg
National Symphony Orchestra

John Koen
The Philadelphia Orchestra

Julian Schwarz
All-Star Orchestra

Alex Veltman
The Philadelphia Orchestra

Nathan Vickery
New York Philharmonic

Peter Wyrick
San Francisco Symphony, Associate Principal

Basses

Maximilian Dimoff
The Cleveland Orchestra, Principal

Michael Chiarello
Toronto Symphony Orchestra, Associate Principal

Leonid Finkelshteyn
North Carolina Symphony, Principal

Jordan Frazier
Orpheus Chamber Orchestra

Blake Hinson
New York Philharmonic, Assistant Principal

Meredith Johnson
Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra, Principal

Owen Lee
Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, Principal

Harp

Nancy Allen - Principal
New York Philharmonic, Principal

Stacey Shames
New York Philharmonic

Flutes

Jake Fridkis - Principal
Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra, Principal

Chelsea Knox
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Principal

Stephanie Mortimore
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Principal Piccolo

Piccolo

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Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Principal Piccolo

Oboes

Nathan Hughes - Principal
The Minnesota Orchestra, Principal

Randall Ellis
Eastern Music Festival Orchestra, Principal

English Horn

Pedro Díaz
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

Clarinets

Jon Manasse - Principal
*Principal: Orchestra of Saint Luke's, Mostly Mozart Festival,
American Ballet Theater*

Anton Rist
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Principal

Dean LeBlanc
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

E-flat Clarinet

Jessica Phillips
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Acting Principal

Bass Clarinet

Dean Leblanc
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

Bassoons

Keith Buncke – Principal
Chicago Symphony, Principal

Daniel Shelly
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

Mark Romatz
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

Contra-bassoon

Mark Romatz
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

Horns

Erik Ralske - Principal
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Principal

Hugo Valverde
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

Brad Gemeinhardt
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, Principal

Roy Femenella
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

Kevin Reid
Jacksonville Symphony, Principal

Trumpets

Chris Martin - Principal
New York Philharmonic, Principal

Raymond Riccomini
Metropolitan Opera Orchestra

Neil Balm
New York City Ballet Orchestra, Co-Principal

Trombone

Colin Williams – Principal
New York Philharmonic, Associate Principal

Carlos Fernandez
New York City Ballet Orchestra, Principal

Bass Trombone

George Curran
New York Philharmonic

Tuba

Chris Olka
Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra

Timpani

Edward Stephan
San Francisco Symphony, Principal

Percussion

Chris Deviney - Principal
The Philadelphia Orchestra, Principal

Jonathan Haas
American Symphony Orchestra, Principal

Matthew Strauss
*Houston Symphony Orchestra, Associate Principal Timpanist,
Section Percussion*

David Fein
New Jersey Symphony Orchestra, Principal

Keyboard Instruments

Kimberly Russ
Kentucky Symphony Orchestra

Elizabeth DiFelice
New Jersey Symphony Orchestra

Librarian

Marc Facci
Tulsa Symphony Orchestra