



# YOUNG MUSICIANS INNOVATION CHALLENGE FINAL ROUND

TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 2021 7:30 PM ET  
Zoom Event

## **PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMS:**

JUILLIARD PRE-COLLEGE, THE JUILLIARD SCHOOL  
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## **PANELISTS:**

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Resident Lecturer and Director of Family Programs, CMS

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Director of Artistic Planning and Administration, CMS

### **MATTHEW TOMMASINI**

Director of Education, CMS

### **JOSEPH CONYERS**

Founder and Executive Director, Project 440

### **GLORIA CHIEN**

Artistic Director, Chamber Music Northwest

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### **GLOBAL CULTURAL REPRESENTATION INITIATIVE**

**KEVIN ZHU, XIAOZHOU XU**

JUILLIARD PRE-COLLEGE, THE JUILLIARD  
SCHOOL

Teacher: Deirdre DeStefano

Dean of the Preparatory Division: Weston Sprott

Mentor: Enid Beal (Member of the CMS Global Council)

### **PROJECT CONNECT**

**EUGENE YOO, CYNTHIA TAN, SOPHIA  
BRODSKY**

STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL

Teacher: Joseph Tamosaitis

Principal: Seung Yu

### **ESTABLISHING A CHAMBER MUSIC EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION**

**SAHAR TARTAK, SARA RAFAELI, ASHLEY  
SHLUSSELBERG, MAVERICK WILLIAMS,  
CHRISTOPHER YANG**

JOHN L. MILLER GREAT NECK NORTH  
HIGH SCHOOL

Teacher: Pamela Levy

Principal: Dr. Daniel Holtzman

Mentors: Kathe Williamson (Member of the CMS

Board of Directors), Fred Jacobson (Member of the CMS  
Global Council)

### **MUSICAL DIVERSITY: PROMOTING THE CHAMBER MUSIC OF HISTORICALLY UNDERREPRESENTED COMPOSERS AND THEIR CULTURAL HERITAGE**

**DAVID VALLEJO, GIAH BUSH, ISABELLA ORTIZ,  
RICARDO MENDEZ**

MIAMI MUSIC PROJECT

Teachers: Liber Cuervos, Daniela Padron

Principal: Dr. Daniel Holtzman

Mentor: Carole Donlin (Co-chair, CMS Global Council)

**LOBBY MUSIC  
PROJECT**

**NINA PHILLIPS, SCOTT LEVY, KEVIN  
KHADAVI, STEPHANY BARBU, JASON MEI**  
JOHN L. MILLER GREAT NECK NORTH  
HIGH SCHOOL

Teacher: Joseph Rutkowski

John L. Miller Great Neck North High School

Principal: Dr. Daniel Holtzman

Mentors: Linda Keen, Howard Dillon (Members of the  
CMS Global Council)

**THE WHOLE NOTE  
PODCAST: VOICES OF  
CHAMBER**

**AMY BASKURT, HEATHER WANG**  
JUILLIARD PRE-COLLEGE, THE JUILLIARD  
SCHOOL

Teacher: Deirdre DeStefano

Dean of the Preparatory Division: Weston Sprott

Mentor: Morris Rossabi (Member of the CMS Global  
Council)

**CHAMBER CONNECT**

**ROSANNA GAO, ARIANNA ALVAREZ, NANCY  
SCHOEN, ELI NEWMAN, YONATAN EILON**  
WILLIAM A. SHINE GREAT NECK SOUTH  
HIGH SCHOOL

Teachers: Michael Schwartz, Department Head of  
Performing Arts; Janine Robinson

Principal: Christopher Gitz

Mentor: Brett Bachman (Co-chair, CMS Global Council)

# ABOUT THE CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY

**The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center** (CMS) is known for the extraordinary quality of its performances, its inspired programming, and for setting the benchmark for chamber music worldwide: no other chamber music organization does more to promote, to educate, and to foster a love of and appreciation for the art form. Whether at its home in Alice Tully Hall at Lincoln Center in New York, on leading stages throughout North America, or at prestigious venues in Europe and Asia, CMS brings together the very best international artists from an ever-expanding roster of more than 120 artists per season to provide audiences with the kind of exhilarating concert experiences that have led to critics calling CMS “an exploding star in the musical firmament” (*Wall Street Journal*). Many of these extraordinary performances are live-streamed on the CMS website, broadcast on radio and television, or made available on CD and DVD, reaching thousands of listeners around the globe each season.

Education remains at the heart of CMS’s mission. Demonstrating the belief that the future of chamber music lies in engaging and expanding the audience, CMS has created multi-faceted education and audience development programs to bring chamber music to people from a wide range of backgrounds, ages, and levels of musical knowledge. CMS also believes in fostering and supporting the careers of young artists through The Bowers Program, which provides ongoing performance opportunities to a select number of highly gifted young instrumentalists and ensembles.

## UPCOMING EVENTS AT CMS

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### **FRONT ROW MAINSTAGE: BARTÓK AND BEETHOVEN**

THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 7:30 PM ▶ STREAMING AT [CHAMBERMUSICSOCIETY.ORG](http://CHAMBERMUSICSOCIETY.ORG)

### **THE ART OF INTERPRETATION: MOZART, SCHUMANN, AND DEBUSSY**

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 7:30 PM ▶ STREAMING AT [CHAMBERMUSICSOCIETY.ORG](http://CHAMBERMUSICSOCIETY.ORG)

*Violinist Chad Hoopes and pianist Anne-Marie McDermott celebrate a new duo collaboration with this recital and discussion of wide-ranging music by masters from three ages.*

### **INTERNATIONAL QUARTETS SERIES: SCHUMANN QUARTET**

THURSDAY, MARCH 25, 7:30 PM ▶ STREAMING AT [CHAMBERMUSICSOCIETY.ORG](http://CHAMBERMUSICSOCIETY.ORG)

*Works by Tchaikovsky and Beethoven*

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