

JACOBS SCHOOL OF MUSIC

INDIANA UNIVERSITY Bloomington

Three Hundred Ninety-Third Program of the 2016-17 Season

Philharmonic Orchestra

Federico Cortese, Conductor

Sofia Kim, Violin

Concert românesc (Romanian Concerto)	
(1951, rev. 1996)	György Ligeti
Andantino –	(1923-2006)
Allegro vivace –	
Adagio ma non troppo –	
Molto vivace – Vivace	

Concerto in E Minor for Violin and	
Orchestra, Op. 64	Felix Mendelssohn
Allegro molto appassionato	(1809-1847)
Andante	
Allegretto, ma non troppo –	
Allegro molto vivace	

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Musical Arts Center Wednesday Evening December Seventh Eight O'Clock

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Miraculous Mandarin Suite, Sz.73a

(1927) Béla Bartók (1881-1945)

The music adopted for concert presentation contains approximately the first half of the music of the pantomime, virtually without abridgement, and it comprises the following sections attacca. – Béla Bartók

- i. Introduction (*street noises*); the command of the hoodlums directed at the girl.
- ii. The girl's first inviting gestures (*clarinet solo*), in response to which the old gentleman appears, who gets thrown out in the end by the hoodlums.
- iii. The girl's second inviting gestures, upon which appears the young lad who is also thrown out.
- iv. The girl's third inviting gestures; the mandarin appears (*tutti ff*).
- v. The girl's seductive dance before the mandarin (*at first slow, then increasingly faster waltz*).
- vi. The mandarin catches up with the girl after an ever wilder chase.



Artist Biographies



From his debut in 1998, stepping in at short notice to conduct Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 in place of an ailing Seiji Ozawa, **Federico Cortese**'s work as assistant conductor of the Boston Symphony Orchestra (1998-2003) has been widely praised. He has led the Boston Symphony several times in Symphony Hall and at Tanglewood Music Center. He has served as music director of the Boston Youth Symphony Orchestra since 1999

and is currently music director of the New England String Ensemble and associate conductor of the Asian Youth Symphony Orchestra. Other appointments have included music coordinator and associate conductor of the Spoleto Festival in Italy, assistant conductor to Daniele Gatti at the Orchestra dell'Accademia Nazionale di Santa Cecilia in Rome, and assistant conductor to Robert Spano at the Brooklyn Philharmonic. Cortese has led operatic and symphonic performances throughout the United States, Australia, and Europe. Recent engagements in the United States include with the Dallas, Atlanta, San Antonio, New World, and Louisville symphonies, as well as many operatic productions, including with the Boston Lyric Opera, Opera Theatre of Saint Louis, and Washington Opera. In Europe, his opera experience includes conducting productions for the Verdi Centennial Festival, Spoleto Festival, Teatro Comunale in Florence, and Finnish National Opera in Helsinki. Recent guest appearances include with Britain's Opera North, the BBC Scottish Symphony, Slovenian Philharmonic, Oslo Philharmonic, Zagreb Philharmonic, and Goettingen Symphony, among others. In Australia, he has helmed performances with the Sydney, Tasmania, Queensland, and West Australia symphony orchestras, Australian Youth Orchestra, and Opera Australia in Melbourne. Cortese studied composition and conducting at the Conservatorio di Santa Cecilia in Rome and subsequently studied at the Hochschule fur Musik in Vienna. He has been a conducting fellow at the Tanglewood Music Center. In addition to music, he has studied literature, humanities, and law, earning a law degree from La Sapienza University in Rome.



Sofia Kim, a native of Los Angeles, Calif., is currently pursuing her master's degree with Simin Ganatra. Before attending the Jacobs School of Music, Kim attended Northwestern University on full scholarship and graduated with high honors. She has received top awards from numerous competitions and foundations, including the Dorothy Starling Foundation, National Society of Arts and Letters Competition,

Indianapolis Matinee Musicale Competition, and Leni Fe Bland Foundation, as well as the Los Angeles Rotary Club Music Award. She has attended Encore School for Strings, Aspen Music Festival, Chautauqua Music Festival, and Banff Music Centre's Master Class Program. Kim has participated in many master classes, including with Vadim Gluzman, Robert Lipsett, Joel Smirnoff, Ilya Kaler, Joshua Bell, and Ani Kavafian, among others. Previous teachers include Almita and Roland Vamos. Her Stefan-Peter Greiner violin is on loan from a private donor and her Giovanni Lucchi Cremona bow is on generous loan from the Maestro Foundation in Santa Monica, Calif.

Philharmonic Orchestra

Violin I Jonathan Yi Rose Brown Tristan Siegel Evan De Long Yuhong Sun Sujin Lim Fahad Awan Jeongwon Kim Henry Allison Abigail Peterson Liam Mansfield Christopher Leonard Nathan Bomans Miranda Bernard Josephine Hu Grace Carney

Violin II Kathryn Chamberlain Leo Kowalski William Ronning Rebekah Heckler Hannah Price Khelsey Zarraga Yuri Uchida Shaina Pan Elisa Ramírez Anya Brumfield Kristian Brusubardis Queenie Edwards Eunbee Lee Nikita Haduong

Viola Haojian Wang Katelyn Hoag Kathryn Lowman Guanliang Zong Yonsung Lee Yi-Ting Tseng Ke Zhang Adam Schechter Yuxuan Zhang Quinn Robinson Yuanmu Yang

Cello SeungAh Hong Sara Page Keeon Guzman *Cello (cont.)* Claire Solomon Meghan Lyda Christopher DeFazio Crystal Kim Marta Guðmundsdóttir Sohyeon Park Bailey Holbrook So-Jung Yoon Kara Cheng Edward Cho

Bass Daniel Carson Samuel Miller Isac Ryu Nick Scholefield Cassidy Morgan Emily Krajewski John Bunck Logan Brown

Flute Marco Núñez Lei Lei, *Piccolo* Megan Pan, *Piccolo*

Oboe Gabriel Young Megan Weimer, English Horn Kathleen Carter, English Horn

Clarinet Thomas Wilson Laura Chalmers, *E-Flat* Ho-Lun Yeung, *Bass*

Bassoon Benjamin Bradshaw Stanley Howard, *Contra* Yu Ping Wang Rachel Parker

Horn Olivier Huebscher Breanne Jamieson Orlando Medrano Emily Farmer Lauren Patin *Trumpet* Eli Ross Anne Lueck Jens Jacobsen

Trombone Jonathan Kraft Kenneth Johnson Austin Pancner, *Bass*

Tuba Andrew Licko

Timpani Kathryn Yuill

Percussion Keegan Sheehy Nichada Jirawattanaphan Michael Metz Dakota Smith Stephen Karukas

Harp Danielle Cordray

Celesta William Chiang

Piano Joseph Vaz

Orchestra Manager Lindy Tsai Nathan Bomans, *Asst.*

Orchestra Set-Up Nathan Bomans Anya Brumfeld Yuri Uchida Nick Scholefield Ye Rin Hong

Librarian Alizabeth Nowland