

# Colorado Music Festival

June 25–August 1 | 2020

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

SUNDAY

TUESDAY

June 25 & 26 | 7:30 PM

## Opening Night Beethoven 7 and Absolute Jest

Peter Oundjian, Conductor  
Takács Quartet  
Hannah Lash, Composer

Hannah Lash: World premiere  
John Adams: *Absolute Jest*  
Beethoven: Symphony No. 7



June 28 | 7:30 PM

## Mozart: Symphony No. 36 "Linz"

Peter Oundjian, Conductor  
Christina and Michelle  
Naughton, Piano Duo

Mozart: *Così fan tutte* Overture;  
Concerto for Two Pianos No. 10;  
*Magic Flute* Overture; Symphony  
No. 36 "Linz"



June 30 | 7:30 PM

## Beethoven and the Juilliard String Quartet

Beethoven: String Quartet,  
Op. 18, No. 1  
Britten: String Quartet No. 3  
Brahms: String Quartet No. 2

July 2 & 3 | 7:30 PM

## Guitar Masters: Isbin, Brubeck, and Rodrigo

Andrew Grams, Conductor  
Sharon Isbin, Guitar

Ravel: *Alborada del gracioso*; Rodrigo:  
*Concierto de Aranjuez*; Chris Brubeck:  
*Affinity*; Copland: *Buckaroo Holiday*; *Our  
Town Suite*; *Party Scene* and *The Promise of  
Living* from *The Tender Land Suite*; *Hoe-Down*  
from *Rodeo*



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July 5 | 7:30 PM

## Conrad Tao Performs Mozart

Gemma New, Conductor  
Conrad Tao, Piano

Mozart: *Chaconne* and *Pas seul*  
from *Idomeneo*; Piano Concerto  
No. 23; Symphony No. 40



July 7 | 7:30 PM

## St. Lawrence String Quartet: Debussy, Haydn, and John Adams

Haydn: Quartet Op. 20, No. 4  
John Adams: String Quartet  
No. 2  
Debussy: String Quartet

July 9 & 10 | 7:30 PM

## Russian Masters: Tchaikovsky and Prokofiev

Jean-Marie Zeitouni, Conductor  
Nareh Arghamanyan, Piano

Mussorgsky: *Night on Bald  
Mountain*  
Tchaikovsky: Piano Concerto  
No. 1  
Prokofiev: Symphony No. 5



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July 11 | 11:00 AM

## Family Concert: The Story of Babar

Christopher Dragon, Conductor  
Really Inventive Stuff

Bizet: *Les Toreadors* from  
*Carmen Suite* No. 1  
Leopold Mozart: *Toy Symphony*  
(formerly attributed to Haydn)  
Poulenc: *The Story of Babar, the  
Little Elephant*



SENSORY FRIENDLY

July 12 | 7:30 PM

## A Midsummer Night's Dream

Jean-Marie Zeitouni, Conductor  
Angelo Xiang Yu, Violin

György Ligeti: *Concert Românesc*;  
Ravel: *Tzigane*; Brahms: *Hungarian  
Dances* No. 1 & 6; Sarasate:  
*Zigeunerweisen*; Mendelssohn:  
*A Midsummer Night's Dream*

July 14 | 7:30 PM

## Brooklyn Rider String Quartet

Caroline Shaw: *Schisma*;  
Gabriela Lena Frank: *Kanto  
Kechua* No. 2; Du Yun: *I am my  
own achilles' heel, a form that  
would never shape*; Matana  
Roberts: *borderlands...*;  
Reena Esmail: *Zeher (Poison)*;  
Beethoven: Quartet No. 15

July 16 | 7:30 PM

## John Adams' *City Noir*

Peter Oundjian, Conductor  
Tessa Lark, Violin  
Wang Jie, Composer  
Samuel Adams, Composer  
Timothy McAllister, Saxophone  
Wang Jie: World Premiere  
Samuel Adams: Chamber Concerto  
John Adams: *City Noir*



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July 17 | 7:30 PM

## Kaleidoscope: Muhly, Tower, and Jarrett

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Christopher Taylor, Piano; Jisu Jung, Marimba

Joan Tower: *Fanfare for the Uncommon Woman* No. 5;  
Nico Muhly: *Big Time* for String Quartet and Percussion;  
Eric Ewazen: *Northern Lights*; Derek Bermel: *Turning*;  
Nebojsa Zivkovic: *Trio per Uno*; William Bolcom: Piano  
Quintet No. 2; Keith Jarrett: *The Köln Concert* (Part IIC);  
Leigh Howard Stevens: *Rhythmic Caprice*

July 19 | 7:30 PM

## John Adams and Christopher Rouse

Peter Oundjian, Conductor  
John Adams, Conductor  
Jeremy Denk, Piano

Gabriella Smith: *Tumblebird  
Contrails*  
John Adams: *Must the Devil Have  
All the Good Tunes?*  
Christopher Rouse: Symphony  
No. 6

July 21 | 7:30 PM

## String Quintets: Mozart and Brahms

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Mozart: String Quintet in G  
Minor No. 4  
Brahms: String Quintet in G  
Major No. 2

July 23 | 7:30 PM

## Beethoven's Piano Concertos 1 & 2

Peter Oundjian, Conductor  
Jan Lisiecki, Piano

Beethoven: *Fidelio* Overture;  
Piano Concerto No. 2; Piano  
Concerto No. 1

July 24 | 7:30 PM

## Beethoven's Piano Concertos 3 & 4

Peter Oundjian, Conductor  
Jan Lisiecki, Piano

Beethoven: *Coriolan* Overture;  
Piano Concerto No. 3; Piano  
Concerto No. 4



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July 26 | 7:30 PM

## Beethoven's Piano Concerto 5 "Emperor"

Peter Oundjian, Conductor  
Jan Lisiecki, Piano

Beethoven: String Quartet  
No. 14, Op. 131 (arr. Peter  
Oundjian); Piano Concerto  
No. 5

July 28 | 7:30 PM

## Beethoven Quintet and Septet

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Beethoven: Quintet for Piano  
and Winds; Septet

July 30 | 7:30 PM

## Hadelich Plays Beethoven's Violin Concerto

Peter Oundjian, Conductor  
Augustin Hadelich, Violin

Beethoven: Violin Concerto;  
Symphony No. 5



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August 1 | 7:30 PM

## Festival Finale Mahler Symphony No. 5

Peter Oundjian, Conductor  
Mahler: Symphony No. 5

