

M Manhattan School of Music **PRECOLLEGE DIVISION**

Saturday, March 20, 2020 | 12:00 PM
VIRTUAL PERFORMANCE

Hansoree Scholarship Recital

Matthew Kang, Clarinet
Student of Pascal Archer

Minji Kim, Violin
Student of Bela Horvath

WOLFGANG AMADEUS MOZART
(1756–1791)

Concerto in A Major, K. 622
I. *Allegro*
II. *Adagio*

CARL MARIA VON WEBER
(1786–1826)

Concerto No. 1 in F Minor, Op. 73
I. *Allegro moderato*

Matthew Kang, Clarinet
Jiung Yoon, *Piano*

LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN
(1770–1827)

Sonata No. 7 in C Minor, Op. 30, No. 2
I. *Allegro con brio*

ANTONÍN DVOŘÁK
(1841–1904)

Concerto in A Minor, Op. 53
I. *Allegro ma non troppo*

Minji Kim, Violin

Hansoree was founded in 1997 as an organization dedicated to support musicians in the Precollege Division at Manhattan School of Music. In order to continue to encourage and reward the musical development of talented students, the members of Hansoree provide financial support for an annual Precollege Division scholarship.



Matthew Bumjoon Kang is currently a senior attending Northern Valley Regional High School in Demarest, New Jersey. Matthew has always possessed a keen interest in developing his musical talent within a community who share in his enthusiasm. He was incredibly pleased to find Manhattan School of Music Precollege – a perfect environment filled with music making, creativity, and learning with others.

During the summer of his junior year, Matthew played in the orchestra in the Luzerne Music Center. In his freshmen and sophomore year, he played in the Symphony Orchestra at MSM, and now currently plays in the Philharmonic Orchestra. Throughout his time in high school, Matthew continuously auditioned and was accepted into North Jersey Regional Band, and moved on to New Jersey All-State Band twice. Matthew treasures the many performances that he has been fortunate to participate in.

While studying at MSM, Matthew made the Dean's List for three years and received the opportunity to perform in an honors recital. He received a full scholarship at the Luzerne Music Center Summer Program in his sophomore year and was accepted to the Boston University Tanglewood Institute in his junior year. During his spare time,

Matthew enjoys creating music of his own and listening to music.



Minji Kim is a freshman at Ridge High School. She has served as the concertmaster of school orchestras since elementary school. Minji has attended Manhattan School of Music Precollege since 2017, where she was awarded the Kate Bamberger Memorial Scholarship in 2018-2019 and the Hansoree Scholarship in 2020-2021. She was the second prize winner of the MSM Precollege Repertory Strings Concerto Competition in 2018, and she performed in a master class with Grigory Kalinovsky in 2020.

Minji started the violin at the age of seven. She has won several competitions and performed at famous venues such as Carnegie Hall and Merkin Hall. Minji performed as a soloist with the Queensboro Symphony Orchestra in 2015 and 2017. She also performed in the Young Musician's Concert in 2015 and 2016 and the Hansoree benefit concert in 2019. She attended the Heifetz Institute PEG program during the summers of 2017-2019.

Outside of school, she has volunteered as a member of an ensemble and has performed for senior houses and nursing homes. She is the president of the Bernards Ensemble Junior group and continues to perform for people with special needs.

Minji studies the violin with Mr. Bela Horvath.