

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2022 | 7 PM  
NEIDORFF-KARPATI HALL

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Felipe Tristán, Conductor

## PROGRAM

LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN     *Coriolan Overture*, Op. 62  
(1770–1827)

W. A. MOZART     Violin Concerto No. 3 in G Major, K. 216  
(1756–1791)     II. *Adagio*  
**Zehan Pan**, violin

EDVARD GRIEG     Selections from the *Peer Gynt* suites No. 1 and No. 2  
(1843–1907)     *Morning Mood*  
                              *Ase's Death*  
                              *Anitra's Dance*  
                              *Peer Gynt's Return*  
                              *In the Hall of the Mountain King*

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# ABOUT THE ARTISTS

## Milan Milisavljević, Conductor

Milan Milisavljevic is Principal Viola of the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra. He has performed as soloist, conductor and chamber musician all over the world, with artists such as Yannick Nezet-Seguin, Augustin Hadelich, Joseph Kalichstein, Cho-Liang Lin and many others. His most recent activities include chamber music at Carnegie Hall with members of the Met Orchestra, festivals such as Mainly Mozart and Classical Tahoe, and teaching masterclasses at Juilliard, the Manhattan School of Music, as well as working with talented students of the Interlochen Arts Academy.

As a conductor, Milan has been active as founder of Music for the People, an informal collective devoted to a fresh and innovative perspective on classical music, with an emphasis on underrepresented artists and juxtapositions of classic works with those highlighting social and cultural movements of the present and the past. He has conducted orchestras in Bulgaria, Poland, Wales, Mexico, the United States and his native Serbia. Active as an educator, he has extensively worked with orchestras at New York University to high acclaim. He has studied conducting with Jorma Panula, Alan Gilbert, Larry Rachleff, Johannes Schlaefli and at the Pierre Monteux School. Milan is on the faculty at the Mannes School of Music and NYU.

## Felipe Tristán, Conductor

Award-winning Mexican conductor and educator Felipe Tristán (UNCSA '11) is known for bringing lively musical prowess to the podium. He has worked with orchestras around the world and currently is a conductor with the Brooklyn Symphony Orchestra, Teatro Grattacielo, and Manhattan School of Music Precollege Division in New York. He also serves as the Creative Partnerships Manager of the GRAMMY®-award-winning Afro Latin Jazz Alliance, and is the founding Music Director of the Monterrey Summer Opera Academy, a successful program that gathers talented voice students from around the world.

Felipe is committed to promoting an inclusive performing arts industry and has collaborated with artists and producers on initiatives at Carnegie Hall (*Citywide*), the New York Philharmonic (*Bandwagon*), the Met Opera, Lincoln Center, and with the Afro Latin Jazz Orchestra (HBO's *Fandango at the Wall*) to create engaging programs for diverse audiences.

He won first prize at the Klangkraft Dirigierwettbewerbs Conducting Competition (Germany 2019), the International Conductors Workshop & Competition (Atlanta 2018), and the Shining Stars Concerto Competition of New York, and received an Excellence Award from the Mexican Music Awards in 2017.

In 2017, Felipe toured China as a guest conductor and presented a TEDx Talk in Beijing and Zhengzhou. Later that same year, he was honored to conduct at the Palacio de Bellas Artes—Mexico’s foremost stage—at the 40th Anniversary Gala of the Escuela Superior de Música y Danza de Monterrey.

He has conducted orchestras worldwide, including the Südwestdeutsche Philharmonie Konstanz, Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra, New Amsterdam Symphony, Gwinnett Symphony Chamber Orchestra, North Shore Symphony Orchestra, and Zhengzhou Symphony; in Mexico in particular, he has helmed the Aguascalientes, Querétaro, Chihuahua, Oaxaca, Monterrey, Baja California, and Michoacán Symphony Orchestras. His operatic repertoire includes *Falstaff* and *Il Trovatore* (Verdi), *La bohème* (Puccini), *Carmen* (Bizet), *L’Amico Fritz* (Mascagni), and *L’elisir d’amore* (Donizetti).

Recently, he produced an album with members of the Met Orchestra and flutist Krzysztof Kaczka with works by Schubert, to be released in 2023 under the label Hänssler Classic. Also, he guest conducted in a CD recording with the Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra with works by Reinecke and Penderecki.

## **Zehan Pan, violin**

Zehan Pan began studying the violin in China at the age of seven. Three years ago, he moved to the U.S. and is now a student in Stony Brook, New York. During his first year in the U.S., Zehan appeared as a soloist at Carnegie Hall in New York and the following year, he was admitted to Manhattan School of Music Precollege Program, studying under Julie Becker. In 2021, Zehan served as the concertmaster of the Manhattan School of Music Repertory Orchestra and was the winner of the MSM Precollege Division Concerto Competition. That year, he was also came in third place at the 7th Camerata Artists International Competition. Zehan studied with Ann Setzer at the Meadowmount School of Music and has participated in masterclasses with Ronald Copes, Quan Yuan, and others.

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