# Frank Salomon Associates

Your partner for the most exceptional musical experiences

**Itamar Zorman** has been called a "Violin Whisperer" for good reason. Not only does he command the virtuosity of a competition winner (2011 Tchaikovsky), but he also has the soul of a romantic and a rare musicality that touches the heart.

#### **SAMPLE PROGRAMS**

# Program 1 – Voices from Eastern Europe

Franz Schubert: Sonata for Violin and Piano in A, D.574

Sofia Gubaidulina: Dancer on a tightrope

Grazyna Bacewicz: Slavonic Dance, Witraj (Stained-Glass

Window), Oberek No. 1

Cesar Franck: Sonata for Violin and Piano in A Major

# Program 2 – Women's Voices from Eastern Europe

Vitezslava Kapralova: Legend

Dora Pejacevic: Slavonic Sonata in b-flat for Vln & Pno

Sofia Gubaidulina: Dancer on a tightrope

Grazyna Bacewicz: Slavonic Dance; Witraj (Stained-Glass

Window); Oberek No. 1

Lera Auerbach: Sonata No. 3 for Violin and Piano

### Program 3 - Hungarian Dances and Beyond

**Schubert**: Sonata in G minor, D.408 **Bartok**: Sonata no. 1 for violin and piano **Brahms**: Hungarian Dances Nos. 17 & 5

Brahms: Sonata No. 3 in D minor for Vln & Pno, op. 108

## Program 4 - From Bach to the Blues

Bach: Chaconne from Partita in D minor for solo violin

Ravel: Violin Sonata No. 2 in G Major

**Schubert**: Fantasy for Violin and Piano in C Major, D.934 **Gershwin/Heifetz**: Selections from *Porgy and Bess*: It Ain't Necessarily So; Bess, You Is My Woman Now; Tempo di Blues

# Program 5 - Music Out of Silence\*

Smetana: From My Homeland

Gabriela Lena Frank: Sueños de Chambi --

Snapshots for an Andean Album

Beethoven: Sonata in G Major, op. 96

\*All works written by composers with severe hearing loss. Can be paired with residency activities.

**Program 6 -** *Astronomy* (solo violin, no intermission, paired w/guest talk)

**Bach:** Gavotte en Rondeau from Partita in E Major

Ysaye: "L'Aurore" from Sonata No. 5

Philip Glass: Knee Play 2 from 'Einstein on the Beach'

Kaija Saariaho: Nocturne

Mazzoli: Vespers for amplified violin and soundtrack

Bach: Chaconne from Partita in D minor

Programs subject to change



### **HIGHLIGHTS & AWARDS**

- Carnegie Hall recital debut on the "Distinctive Debut" Series
- Library of Congress & Carnegie Hall concerts w. Richard Goode
- European performances w/Mitsuko Uchida
- Atlanta Symphony/Karina Canellakis;
   New World Symphony/Michael Tilson Thomas;
   Kremerata Baltica; IRIS Orchestra/Michael
   Stern; Classical Tahoe & Asheville Symphony
- Wigmore Hall recitals
- Sold-out Voices from Eastern Europe program in NC
- Partnership with NASA for *Music of the Spheres* Planetarium concerts
- Borletti-Buitoni Trust Award (2014)
- Avery Fisher Career Grant (2013)
- Winner of International Tchaikovsky
   Competition (2011)

#### **RECORDINGS**

- Violin Odyssey w. pianists leva Jokubaviciute and Kwan Yi (First Hand Records, 2022)
- "Evocation" w/BBC National Orchestra Wales
   & Philippe Bach (BIS; 2019) includes firstever commercial recording of Ben-Haim.
- Portrait w/Kwan Yi, piano (Profil Edition Gunter Hanssler; 2014)

"The young Israeli can also narrate, bathe in perfume and nostalgia... It looks like the succession to Itzhak Perlman,

Pinchas Zukerman and Shlomo Mintz is guaranteed."

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