



KRONBERG
ACADEMY



Cello Festival

September 11-18, 2005

with

Julius Berger, Anner Bylsma, Young-Chang Cho, David Geringas, Natalia Gutman, Lynn Harrell,
Ralph Kirshbaum, Gidon Kremer, Mischa Maisky, Miklós Perényi, András Schiff, Heinrich Schiff, Giovanni Sollima,
Claudio Bohórquez, Danjulo Ishizaka, László Fenyő and various more

and

Beethoven Orchester Bonn, Kremerata Baltika, Südwestdeutsches Kammerorchester Pforzheim,
Die 12 Cellisten der Berliner Philharmoniker, Cellissimo, Kuss-Quartett

Patrons Marta Casals Istomin *and* Mstislav Rostropovich

Director Raimund Trenkler

'Bridging the generations'
in Frankfurt and Kronberg / Germany
Information and Registration

From 11 to 18 September 2005 the seventh Cello Festival under the patronage of Marta Casals Istomin and Mstislav Rostropovich will again draw cellists to the "world capital of the cello". This year not just for three days but for a whole week Kronberg im Taunus will be the meeting place for cello stars and cello students as well as for friends and devotees of the cello.

Luigi Boccherini (1743-1805) clearly numbers among those who have dedicated themselves to the cello. He was himself a gifted cellist and added the riches of many remarkable compositions to the cello literature. This year marks the 200th anniversary of his death. During the Cello Festival an exhibition and the performance of some of his works will pay tribute to the composer Luigi Boccherini. Eight cello days in Kronberg and in Frankfurt am Main mean top-quality concerts and public workshops with the best cellists in the world, interesting lectures, a large exhibition of internationally renowned luthiers and bowmakers – and many opportunities to meet like-minded people and exchange views and ideas with them.

What is particularly important for you as students of the cello is that, as usual, a Festival Pass will allow you to take part in all events. This year, however, you can decide whether you want to attend the whole of the Festival (Sunday - Sunday) or only the "finales" in the second half of the Cello Festival (Thursday - Sunday).

Kronberg Kronberg is a beautifully situated medieval town 16 km northwest of Frankfurt/Main. The airport is approx. 20 minutes away. Kronberg has a direct link to Frankfurt Main Station (subway S 4, 18 minutes).

All-inclusive Tickets This festival we offer two different all-inclusive tickets:

for students (all students age 30 or less are eligible to participate)

for festival visitors (and students older than 30)

All-inclusive A: Euro 195,- (all events from September 11 - 18)

All-inclusive A: Euro 295,- (all events from September 11 - 18)

All-inclusive B: Euro 165,- (all events from September 15 - 18)

With their application participants purchase an all-inclusive ticket which allows them access to all concerts, workshops and all other events. Single concert tickets may be ordered separately on the order form. There is a limited number of scholarships. Applicants for a scholarship must include recommendations from two different well known tutors and should also write us an informal letter, stating, why he/she needs the scholarship.

Single Tickets Tickets for the concerts, workshops and all other events can be ordered as of May 2005. If interested, please request the program flyer on the application form.

Workshops The following tutors will probably give lessons, which are open to the public:

Julius Berger, Anner Bylisma, Young-Chang Cho, David Geringas, Natalia Gutman, Ralph Kirshbaum, Miklós Perényi, Heinrich Schiff, Giovanni Sollima

All students who participate in the Cello Festival have the opportunity to apply for one of these lessons (about 45 minutes) with the tutor of his/her choice. If you are interested please send us a live recording (MC or CD) with two movements from a Bach Suite and the first movement from a romantic concerto of your choice. Also enclose a brief CV and send us your application until June 30, 2005. The selection of participants will be based on the submitted recordings in cooperation with the tutors. About 4 weeks before the beginning of the festival you will be informed of the results.

Registration Please send, fax or e-mail your application to Kronberg Academy, att. Mrs. Astrid Peisch, Friedrich-Ebert-Strasse 6, 61476 Kronberg, Germany, Fax +49 - 6173 - 78 33 79 , a.peisch@kronbergacademy.de

Closing date is June 30, 2005 for all applicants.

Your application is only valid in connection with payment. Please pay by bank transfer (please enclose payment receipt) or by credit card (Visa or Mastercard). For bank transfer from a country other than Germany Euro 5,- for banking charges need to be added to your payment. The applications will be considered in the order of the payment arrival. Ticket cancellations have to be submitted by mail. Refunds can be made only if we receive the cancellation notice at least 4 weeks prior to the event. In any case there will be a cancellation charge of Euro 25,- to cover administrative costs. Bank charges will also be deducted. There are no refunds in case of no shows.

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Accommodation We will try to arrange private accommodation for *students* (contribution towards expenses Euro 10,- per night). Payment is requested directly to the host family, please do not include these charges in your payment now. Upon request we will send a list of hotels and guesthouses in Kronberg.

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Program

During the whole festival, an exhibition of luthiers and bowmakers will take place.

Sunday, September 11

- 11:00 - 16:00 *Registration*
Stadthalle
- 18:00 *Concert 1*
Stadthalle
Kremerata Baltika, Gidon Kremer,
Lynn Harrell, Ralph Kirshbaum, Li-Wei Qin
- 21:00 *Concert 2*
Stadthalle
Natalia Gutman, Kaori Joan Yamagami

Monday, September 12

- 16:00 *Workshop*
Natalia Gutman
- 19:00 *Concert 3*
Johanniskirche
Lynn Harrell, Kuss-Quartett
- 21:00 *Concert 4 - Special Concert*
Stadthalle
Miklós Perényi, András Schiff (Piano)

Tuesday, September 13

- 16:00 *Workshop*
Ralph Kirshbaum
- 16:00 *Concert 5*
Stadthalle
'Classic for Kids'
Cellissimo, Christoph Gotthardt (Moderator)
- 20:00 *Concert 6*
Alte Oper
Frankfurt
Die 12 Cellisten der Berliner Philharmoniker

Wednesday, September 14

- 16:00 *Workshop*
Heinrich Schiff
- 20:00 *Concert 7*
Stadthalle
Ralph Kirshbaum, Danjulo Ishizaka

Thursday, September 15

- 16:00 *Workshop*
David Geringas
- 19:00 *Concert 8*
Stadthalle
Heinrich Schiff, Natalie Clein
- 22:00 *Concert 9*
Zehntscheune
Ernst Reijseger (Cello) - Jazz

Friday, September 16

- Workshops in Frankfurt towers
around the Alte Oper*
Anner Bylsma, Young-Chang Cho,
Miklós Perényi, Giovanni Sollima
- 20:00 *Concert 10*
Alte Oper
Frankfurt
Mischa Maisky, David Geringas,
Heinrich Schiff, Laszlo Fenyő,
Boris Andrianov, Antoine Tamestit,
Hanna Weinmeister,
Beethoven Orchester Bonn,
Roman Kofmann (Conductor)

Saturday, September 17

- 11:00 *Concert 11*
Johanniskirche
Young-Chang Cho, Bong Ihn Koh
- 14:00 *Lecture 1*
Stadthalle
'Are we in the golden age of cello playing?'
Hans Heinrich Eggebrecht
- 16:00 *Workshops*
Julius Berger, Anner Bylsma
- 19:00 *Concert 12*
Stadthalle
Mischa Maisky, Claudio Bohórquez
- 22:00 *Concert 13*
St. Peter und Paul
Giovanni Sollima, Julian Steckel
- 22:00 *Concert 14*
Johanniskirche
David Geringas, Nicolas Altstaedt

Sunday, September 18

- 9:30 *Workshop*
Anner Bylsma
- 11:30 *Concert 15*
Stadthalle
Julius Berger, Giorgi Kharadze
- 14:00 *Lecture 2*
Stadthalle
'Luigi Boccherini'
Prof. Dr. Christian Speck, Julius Berger
- 18:00 *Concert 16*
Stadthalle
Mischa Maisky, Young-Chang Cho,
Giovanni Sollima, Miklós Pérenyi,
Julius Berger, Claudio Bohórquez,
László Fenyő, Danjulo Ishizaka,
Monika Leskovar, Jing Zhao,
Sol Gambetta, Inga Raab,
Südwestdeutsches Kammerorchester Pforzheim,
David Geringas and Sebastian Tewinkel
(Conductors)

