**Encounter with Stradivari**

2018

Saturday 16 June 2018 at 18:30

Gate opens from 16:00 to 18:15

Assembly Hall Building A
Palais des Nations 8-14, Avenue de la Paix Geneva
Access via Pregny Gate Visitors’ Entrance
(Across from the ICRC - International Committee of the Red Cross)

Leclair: Sonata for Two Violins No. 2 in A major, Op. 3-2
1st: Arabella Steinbacher 2nd: Svetlin Roussev

Beethoven: String Quartet No.8 in E minor Op.59, No.2 (excerpt)
Quartetto di Cremona

Saint-Saëns: Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso for Violin and Piano
Arabella Steinbacher & Yumiko Urabe

Moszkowski: Suite for Two Violins and Piano in G minor (excerpt)
1st: Svetlin Roussev 2nd: Akiko Suwanai & Yumiko Urabe

Vladigerov: Song for Violin and Piano
Svetlin Roussev & Yumiko Urabe

Sarasate: Navarra for Two Violins and Piano, Op.33
1st: Akiko Suwanai 2nd: Arabella Steinbacher & Yumiko Urabe

Chausson: Concert for Violin, Piano and String Quartet
Akiko Suwanai, Quartetto di Cremona & Yumiko Urabe (excerpt)

Lénard: Sérénade Humoresque à l’espagnole
1st: Akiko Suwanai 2nd: Arabella Steinbacher 3rd: Svetlin Roussev & Yumiko Urabe

The instruments are owned by the Nippon Music Foundation, which has a total of 19 Stradivarius and two Guarneri del Gesu, and they are loaned gratis to promising musicians around the world.

In Commemoration of The 70th Anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights

*Note: Children under 5 will not be admitted. Entering the hall during the concert may be prohibited. Musicians and programs are subject to change. Taking photos and recording are prohibited during the concert. Food and drinks will not be served before or during the concert.*

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