

BOOKING INFORMATION

Ticket prices: listed as: FULL / CONCESSION
Families: under 18s admitted free in family groups.
Complimentary companion tickets are available for audience members who need a companion to attend our events.
Pre-concert talks are free to all concert ticket holders.

Booking: hullboxoffice.com / 0844 249 1000.
Tickets can also be bought on the door before each concert.

Season ticket: buy a season ticket and make a significant saving.
See our booking form or website for details.

Middleton Hall: University of Hull, Cottingham Rd, HU6 7RX

More info: for information on accessibility at our venues, for any updates on the programme, or to download a PDF of this brochure and booking forms, please visit our website:
www.hullchambermusic.org.uk.

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SUPPORTING HULL CHAMBER MUSIC

Our watchwords for Hull Chamber Music in this, our 71st year, are community, inclusivity and accessibility, and we believe this season's outstanding line up reflects these core commitments. However, as a vibrant arts society, we also know our supporters are the heart of this community. Whether you contribute by attending our events, donating time, money or expertise, we wouldn't be here without you.

There are many ways you can support us, which you can read about on the support section of our website, but in particular we would love to invite you to attend our upcoming **GALA DINNER** – whether you already know about us or would like to find out more, come along, bring a friend and enjoy some chamber music over dinner and a glass of wine. Details to be released soon – watch this space!

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Hull Chamber Music and Culture Tots present:



A Musical Journey Around the World

with Fenella Humphreys (violin)
and Nicola Eimer (piano)

FRIDAY 21 FEB 11AM, £10 (under 18s FREE)
Ferens Art Gallery, Queen Victoria Square, Carr Lane

An inclusive, relaxed performance, welcoming all audiences without the formality of the concert hall. For anyone young, old, with disabilities and more, you are warmly welcomed. Be spirited away by violinist Fenella Humphreys, winner of BBC Music Magazine's Instrumental Award, and acclaimed pianist Nicola Eimer, in a musical journey around the world, including Albeniz, Schubert and Fauré. BSL interpreted & wheelchair accessible. For full access information please see our website.

MARCH 2020

Mithras Piano Trio

THURSDAY 5 MAR 7.30PM, Middleton Hall, £14 / £5

Winners of the Royal Over-Seas League's Strings and Piano Ensemble section prize (2019), the trio brings together three Guildhall School of Music postgraduates: Ionel Manciu (violin), Leo Popplewell (cello) and Dominic Degavino (piano). Prepare to be transfixed by a beautiful programme including Rachmaninov, Lili Boulanger, Ravel, and Beethoven's 'Ghost' trio.

6.15PM: Pre-concert talk by Graziana Presicce.



APRIL 2020

Berkeley Ensemble

THURSDAY 23 APR 7.30PM, Middleton Hall, £14 / £5

We welcome back the Berkeley Ensemble, following their chamber music course earlier in the year. The programme will feature Beethoven's Trio in B-flat major for clarinet, cello and piano, which appears on the ensemble's Beethoven disc, released in early 2020, marking the 250th anniversary of Beethoven's birth, alongside Stravinsky's musical story *A Soldier's Tale* and Messiaen's moving, epic *Quartet for the End of Time*.

6.15PM: Pre-concert talk by Professor Alastair Borthwick.



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OCTOBER 2019

Isata Kanneh-Mason: Romance A portrait of the life and music of Clara Schumann

THURSDAY 3 OCT 7.30PM, Middleton Hall, £14 / £5

We are thrilled to open our season with rising talent Kanneh-Mason. In view of her upcoming Decca Classics debut album, Isata brings a portrait of Clara Schumann's life, in a celebration of the 200th anniversary of the composer's birth.

"Isata is an immensely talented pianist with remarkable musicality and a curious mind, always ready to explore new musical horizons"
– Dr. Alexander Buhr, MD of Decca Classics.

2.30-4.30PM: Grace Black Piano Masterclass for University of Hull music students. Observers welcome.

6.15PM: Pre-concert talk by Libby Burgess.



Chiaroscuro String Quartet

THURSDAY 31 OCT 7.30PM, Middleton Hall, £14 / £5

Dubbed "a trailblazer for the authentic performance of High Classical chamber music" in Gramophone, the highly acclaimed Chiaroscuro Quartet will enchant their audience in a Haydn, Mendelssohn and Beethoven recital performed on gut strings and with historical bows.

Friends and Patrons of HCM are invited to meet the artists for a glass of wine after the concert. For more information, or to join the Friends and Patrons, please see our website.



NOVEMBER 2019

Michael Matthews in Recital

THURSDAY 14 NOV 7.30PM, Middleton Hall, £14 / £5

Hull alumnus Michael Matthews brings an exciting classical guitar programme, ranging from the mesmerising sounds of the Renaissance to the vigorous rhythms of Spanish nationalism. Michael was chosen in 2018 by the Tillett Trust, a prestigious placement that includes performances at Wigmore Hall among other leading venues.

Hull Chamber Music's AGM will take place before this concert at 6pm in the Arts Café. All welcome.

2.30-4.30PM: masterclass for University of Hull Music students. Observers welcome.



FEBRUARY 2020

So Many Stars

THURSDAY 20 FEB 7.30PM, Middleton Hall, £14 / £5

We welcome BBC Music Magazine's Instrumental Award winner (2018) violinist Fenella Humphreys, with international pianist Nicola Eimer.

The programme highlights works from their new "absolutely exquisite album" (Record Review) *So Many Stars*, featuring sonatas by Schubert, Dvořák and Sibelius, amongst others. The title references Sibelius's diaries as he wrote his Sonata: "My childhood sky is full of stars - so many stars".



BOOKING & SUPPORT FORM

SAVE UP TO £28* WITH A SEASON TICKET!

To buy a season ticket, please fill in this form and post it to the address below, or visit our website to apply electronically.

Please supply season tickets (tickets for 7 concerts) for HCM's 2019-20 season as follows (under 18s free with a paying adult):

..... full price @ £66	= £
..... student/jobseeker/disabled @ £20	= £
Total	= £

*Saving on 7 concerts at full price. The saving for concessions is £20.

- Please send my tickets by email
- Please print my tickets. I'll collect them at the first concert

The deadline for season tickets is Thursday 27 September 2019.

SUPPORTERS OF HCM: HCM IN HARMONY

We could not do what we do without our supporters. If you would like to enclose a donation with your season ticket payment, we would be enormously grateful. We have a new scheme for supporters, which replaces our previous Friends and Patrons scheme, called **HCM in Harmony**; you can read about this on our website, or tick the box below and we will send you the details.

- I enclose a donation of £
- Please send me details of HCM in Harmony

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- Yes! I would like HCM to reclaim the tax on this and any other eligible donations or membership subscriptions that I may make. I understand that I need to pay enough Income Tax or Capital Gains Tax in each tax year to cover the Gift Aid claimed on all my donations otherwise it is my responsibility to pay any difference.

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Date: