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MUSIC DIRECTOR JAAP VAN ZWEDEN AND THE NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC

DANIIL TRIFONOV

**To Make First Appearance as The Mary and James G. Wallach Artist-in-Residence
Performing SCRIBIN's Piano Concerto
Program Also To Include TCHAIKOVSKY's Symphony No. 5
November 27 and 29–30 and December 3, 2019**

**DANIIL TRIFONOV and the NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC STRING QUARTET
To Perform New York Premiere of Mr. Trifonov's *Quintetto concertante*
92nd Street Y
December 1, 2019**

Daniil Trifonov will make his first appearance as the New York Philharmonic's 2019–20 season Mary and James G. Wallach Artist-in-Residence, performing Scriabin's Piano Concerto led by Music Director Jaap van Zweden. The program will also include Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 5 and will take place Wednesday, November 27, 2019, at 7:30 p.m.; Friday, November 29 at 8:00 p.m.; Saturday, November 30 at 8:00 p.m.; and Tuesday, December 3 at 7:30 p.m.

Daniil Trifonov says of Scriabin's Piano Concerto: "The piece is a hidden gem, filled with so much poetry and atmosphere. It is very organic, using thematic elements that sprout from the piano's opening. Scriabin does not always write everything in the score, especially when it comes to timing."

The New York Philharmonic and 92nd Street Y will co-present a chamber program featuring Mr. Trifonov and the New York Philharmonic String Quartet on Sunday, December 1 at 3:00 p.m. at 92nd Street Y. The program will feature the New York Premiere of Mr. Trifonov's *Quintetto concertante* as well as Mozart's String Quartet in G major, K.387, and Ravel's String Quartet. The pianist / composer explains that in his new work, "themes transform from one moment to another."

The Philharmonic's relationship with Daniil Trifonov, *Musical America's* 2019 Artist of the Year, began with his critically acclaimed Philharmonic debut in 2012 at the age of 21. In November 2015 he was the featured soloist in *Rachmaninoff: A Philharmonic Festival* and subsequently joined the Philharmonic Board of Directors. He was the soloist in Jaap van Zweden's first week as Music Director, performing Ravel's Piano Concerto in G major on the Opening Gala Concert and Beethoven's *Emperor* Concerto in the opening subscription program. Maestro van Zweden describes collaborating with Mr. Trifonov as "an exploration of what is possible in music, making each experience a musical journey."

Daniil Trifonov's Philharmonic residency will continue in spring 2020 with performances of Mozart's Piano Concerto No. 25 led by Jaap van Zweden — both in New York (April 2020) and

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on the Orchestra's European tour (April–May 2020) — and an all–J.S. Bach recital at Alice Tully Hall (March 2020) presented in association with Lincoln Center's *Great Performers* series.

The Saturday Matinee Concert on Saturday, November 30 at 2:00 p.m. will open with Mozart's Wind Serenade in E-flat major, K.375b, performed by guest oboist Eugene Izotov, Philharmonic oboist Robert Botti, Principal Clarinet Anthony McGill, guest clarinetist Pavel Vinnitsky, Principal Bassoon Judith LeClair, Philharmonic bassoonist Roger Nye, Acting Associate Principal Horn Leelanee Sterrett, and Philharmonic hornist R. Allen Spanjer. The program also features Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 5, led by Music Director Jaap van Zweden, and will be followed by a Q&A with Philharmonic musicians.

The New York Philharmonic will offer an allotment of free tickets to young people ages 13–26 for the concert on Friday, November 29 as part of Philharmonic Free Fridays.

Biographies

Subscription program: [Jaap van Zweden](#), [Daniil Trifonov](#), [New York Philharmonic](#)
Chamber music: [Daniil Trifonov](#), [New York Philharmonic String Quartet](#)

Tickets

Single tickets for the **subscription program** start at \$34. A limited number of \$18 tickets for select concerts may be available to **students** within 10 days of the performance at [nyphil.org/rush](#), or in person the day of (valid identification required). Tickets for **Open Rehearsals** are \$22. The New York Philharmonic is offering an allotment of free tickets to young people ages 13–26 for the concert Friday, November 29 as part of Philharmonic Free Fridays; learn more at [nyphil.org/freefridays](#).

Tickets to the **92nd Street Y** concert may be purchased at [92y.org/event/new-york-philharmonic-and-daniil-trifonov](#) or by calling (212) 415-5500. (Ticket prices subject to change.)

Tickets to New York Philharmonic performances may be purchased online at [nyphil.org](#) or by calling **(212) 875-5656**, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday; 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Saturday; and noon to 5:00 p.m. Sunday. Tickets may also be purchased at the **David Geffen Hall Box Office**. The Box Office opens at 10:00 a.m. Monday through Saturday, and at noon on Sunday. On performance evenings, the Box Office closes one-half hour after performance time; other evenings it closes at 6:00 p.m.

For press tickets, contact Lanore Carr at (212) 875-5714 or carrl@nyphil.org.

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Event Listing

New York Philharmonic

David Geffen Hall at Lincoln Center

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Open Rehearsal — 9:45 a.m.

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Jaap van Zweden, conductor

Daniil Trifonov, piano

SCRIABIN

Piano Concerto

TCHAIKOVSKY

Symphony No. 5

Saturday Matinee Concert

David Geffen Hall at Lincoln Center

Saturday, November 30, 2019, 2:00 p.m.

Jaap van Zweden, conductor

Eugene Izotov§, Robert Botti, oboe

Anthony McGill, Pavel Vinnitsky§, clarinet

Judith LeClair, Roger Nye, bassoon

Leelanee Sterrett, R. Allen Spanjer, horn

MOZART

Wind Serenade in E-flat major, K.375b

TCHAIKOVSKY

Symphony No. 5

Chamber Music

A Co-Presentation of the New York Philharmonic and 92nd Street Y

92nd Street Y

1395 Lexington Avenue

Sunday, December 1, 2019, 3:00 p.m.

New York Philharmonic String Quartet

Daniil Trifonov, piano

MOZART

String Quartet in G major, K.387

RAVEL

String Quartet

Daniil TRIFONOV

Quintetto concertante (New York Premiere)

§ *New York Philharmonic guest artist*

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