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GUEST JUDGES: MELISSA PHELPS & MARK KASHPER

## PROGRAM

Schwab Summer Orchestra  
Ashley Walters, conductor

*Violin Concerto No. 3 in B minor* (1880).....Camille Saint-Saëns  
Op. 61 (1835–1921)

I. *Allegro non troppo*

II. *Andantino quasi allegretto*

III. *Molto moderato e maestoso – Allegro non troppo*

Karl Baumgartner, violin

*Concerto in A minor* (1879).....Antonín Dvořák  
Op. 53, B 108 (1841–1904)

I. *Allegro ma non troppo*

II. *Adagio ma non troppo*

III. *Finale: Allegro giocoso ma non troppo*

Skyler Lee, violin

## INTERMISSION

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Beatrice Jiang, violin

**SUPPORT:** Miriam Schwab's passion for music and her generous support of student musicians made the The Schwab Academy of Music possible. If you would like to help us strengthen and grow Miriam's vision for the Academy, please consider making a donation through the Ventura College Foundation.

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## PERSONNEL

### VIOLIN I

Carlos Ozuna  
(concertmaster)  
Eric Clark\*  
Cosima Luther^  
Mona Tian^  
Carolyn Osborn^

### VIOLIN II

Alex Fager  
Julissa Bozman\*  
Michael Sarmiento  
Dianne Rammon^  
Xaman Kryger^

### VIOLA

Diane Gilbert\*  
Hunter Klotz  
Karen Long^  
Jonathan Morgan^  
Jorge Moraga^

### CELLO

David Mason\*  
Kell Kingsmith  
Alanm Magana Gonzalez  
Anna Rowlands  
Nathan Gallardo  
Erika Duke Kirkpatrick^

### BASS

Mattie Rowlands  
Gail Turner-Graham  
Barry Newton\*

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MAILING LIST!**



### FLUTE

Rachel Beetz\*  
Dylan Gruber  
Dori Riggs

### OBOE

Kimaree Gilad\*  
Paula Dublinski^

### CLARINET

Phil O'Connor^  
Brian Walsh\*

### BASSOON

Nicholas Akdag\*  
Eric Johnson-Tamai^

### TRUMPET

David Pittel\*  
Michael Andrews  
Marla Ascension  
Cameron Wilkins^

### HORN

Jon Titmus\*  
Karissa Yoo  
Joseph Fong  
Hayden Amendola  
Beau Lockhart

### TROMBONE

Gwang Kim\*  
Cole Kately

### BASS TROMBONE

Callan Milani^

### PERCUSSION

Dustin Donahue\*

\* Denotes Faculty

^ Denotes Guest



**KARL BAUMGARTNER:** Karl Baumgartner (16), is a 5th generation Ventura County native and a 10th grade honor student at West Ranch High School. He currently studies violin with Alexander Treger. He is a member of the California Young Artists Symphony and West Ranch High School Orchestra. Karl holds a second-degree black belt in Taekwondo and Hapkido. He practices Brazilian Jiu Jitsu and trains in Ono-Ha Itto-Ryu, a 16th century classical Samurai swordsmanship. Karl is fascinated by history, archaeology and philosophy. He enjoys horseback riding, scuba diving, skiing, and computer games.



**SKYLER LEE:** Skyler Lee is a senior at Newbury Park High School. He is a concertmaster of the Conejo Valley Youth Orchestra (CVYO) and a member of the California Young Artists Symphony. He has served as a co-concertmaster at California All State Junior High Orchestra. Skyler has won 1st place Conejo Valley branch MTAC VOCE violin competition from 2017-2019 and 3rd place ENKOR International Music Competition in 2020. He was selected as a Channel Islands Chamber Orchestra Young Artist in 2020, and he performed a full concerto at the 11th annual Henry Schwab violin competition and won 2nd prize in 2021, and won 1st prize in 2022. In February 2022, Skyler had a solo performance with Thousand Oaks Philharmonic in Opus 58 concert, and he was then chosen as a rising star of Ventura Music Festival. Skyler currently studies violin under Sam Fischer at Colburn School. Skyler likes reading, chess and computer games.



**BEATRICE JIANG:** Beatrice Jiang (15) is a 10th grader at Westlake High School. She is a student of Shuwei Liu. She has won the Gold Medal for the Advanced Contemporary Music Festival, Second Place in Pelican International Music Competition, the Grand Award of the United Stars Music Competition, and she won the Thousand Oaks Philharmonic Concerto Competition. Beatrice was invited to attend the Junior Chamber Music Honor Tour to Germany in 2022 and Italy in summer 2023. She performs with the LA Youth Philharmonic and the LA Youth Orchestra and has been a featured soloist with the Westlake Village Symphony Orchestra and was associate concertmaster of the Conejo Valley Youth Orchestra from 2017–2018. She is also interested in computer programming and scientific research; she just had her first international technical conference on engineering paper published.

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