

# DAVID KATZ

Instrument: Violin and Viola  
Orchestral Performance, Weddings and Private Events, and Teaching

## Selected Highlights

Chamber recital with Yo-Yo Ma and Anthony McGill	2011
“Final Fantasy” national tour in Chicago	2011
Television: Oprah!	2010, 2006
Chicago Center for Tourism video	2010
Weddings/Private events	ongoing
Teaching:	ongoing
Several students admitted to college in Violin Performance	
Several students accepted at the Music Institute of Chicago	
Several students in primary chair positions in youth orchestras	
Adjudicator: Chicago Youth Symphony Orchestra & McHenry Youth Orchestra	
Coaching for youth orchestras	
Private, Suzuki Music School of Barrington, McHenry County Music School	

## Professional Experience

Lake Forest Symphony - Assistant Concert Master	2008 – present
Lake Forest Symphony – Associate Concert Master	1995 – 2004
Lake Forest Symphony – Concert Master	1999 – 2000
ARS Viva!	1997 - present
American Concerto Orchestra/Fulcrum Point	1997 – present
Joffrey Ballet	1997 – present
Chicago Philharmonic/Symphony II Orchestra of Illinois	1990 – present
Chicago Opera Theatre – Assistant Concert Master	1987 – present
Chicago Sinfonietta (including several European tours)	1987 – present
Music of the Baroque	2006 - 2008
Chicagoland Pops	2000 - 2006
Grant Park Symphony – Substitute	1998 – 2002
Lyric Opera of Chicago – Substitute	1998 – 2002
L’Opera Piccoloa – Concert Master	1999 – 2002
Orquestra Sinfonica de Galicia (La Coruna, Spain)	1999
Chicago String Ensemble – Concert Master	1995 - 1997
Chicago Chamber Orchestra – Concert Master	1988 - 1997
Metropolis Symphony – Principal 2 <sup>nd</sup> (formerly Symphony of the Shores)	1988 – 1995
Princeton Chamber Symphony (Egypt and Jordan tour)	1988
Ruth Page <i>Nutcracker</i>	1987 - 1997
Acanthus Chamber Orchestra	1987 – 1990
Philadelphia Orchestra – Substitute	1984 – 1987
Philadelphia Opera Company	1983 – 1987
Pennsylvania Ballet Company	1983 – 1987
Delaware Symphony	1983 – 1987
Trenton Symphony	1983 – 1987
Philadelphia Pops Orchestra	1980 – 1987

Caracas (Venezuela) Philharmonic – Principal 2 <sup>nd</sup>	1981 – 1983
Concerto Soloists of Philadelphia	1980 – 1981
Colorado Music Festival	1981
Spoletto (Italy) Music Festival – Alternating Concert Master	1978 - 1980

Northwest Indiana Symphony – Associate Concert Master	1987 - 1989
Illinois Philharmonic Orchestra – Principal 2 <sup>nd</sup>	1987 - 1988
West Suburban Symphony – Concert Master	1987 - 1988
Da Cornetto Opera Company – Concert Master	

### Chamber Music

Chamber recital with Yo-Yo Ma and Anthony McGill	2011
Paganini String Quartet	1987 – 2000
Bach Society	1996 – 1999
Chicago Ensemble	1993 – 1995
Ambrosia String Quartet	1987 – 1992

### Solo Orchestral Experience

Jewish Arts Center Orchestra	
Beethoven Triple Concerto	
Brahms Double Concerto	
Bruch Concerto	
Mendelssohn Concerto	
Zigewnerweisen	
Chicago Chamber Orchestra	
Vivaldi Four Seasons	
Symphony of the Shores	
Vivaldi Four Seasons	
National Louis University	
Mendelssohn Concerto	
Delaware Symphony	
Vivaldi Four Seasons	
Orchestra Society of Philadelphia	
Mozart Concerto #5 In A Major, K.219	
New School String Ensemble	
Saint-Saens Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso, Op. 28	
Corelli Christmas Concerto	
Springfield Symphony	
Mozart Concert #3 in G Major, K.211	

### Shows

Broadway National Tours	ongoing
American Girl	1998 – 2000
Candlelight Theatre (Summit)	1989 – 1993
Chicago Theater (several Broadway shows)	
Marriott Lincolnshire	

### **Weddings and Private Events**

Wedding contractor for solo, duos, trios or quartets	1985 – present
Work with David Rothstein Music, Inc.; Style Matters DJs	ongoing
Bobby Benson Jazz	1990 – present

### **Teaching Experience**

Suzuki Certified	
Adjudicator: Chicago Youth Symphony Orchestra & McHenry Youth Orchestra	
Suzuki Music School of Barrington	2004 – present
McHenry County Suzuki Music	2004 – present
Willowbrook High School, Villa Park, IL	1988 – 2008
Loyola Academy	1994 – 1996
Moody Bible Institute	2000 – 2003
Ravinia Outreach Program at Lincoln High School	2002
Elmhurst College	1995 – 1999
Music Institute of Lake Forest	1996
Private lessons	1980 - present

### **Education**

The New School of Music, Philadelphia, PA
Temple University, Philadelphia, PA
Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA

### **Major Teachers**

Linda Cerone	The New School of Music	1980
Jascha Brodsky	The New School of Music	1976 – 1980
Paul Windt	The New School of Music	1975 – 1976
David Booth	The New School of Music	1978 – 1979
Herbert Light	The New School of Music	1977 – 1978
Robert Page	Pennsylvania State University	1970 – 1974
Jerry Wigler	Philadelphia Orchestra	1970 – 1974
Edgar Ortenberg	Settlement Music School	1966 – 1968
Ronald Shapey	Settlement Music School	1964 - 1966

### **Chamber Music Coaches**

Norbert Brainin	Amadeus String Quartet	
Jascha Brodsky	The Curtis String Quartet	1975 – 1980
Max Aronoff	The Curtis String Quartet	1976 – 1980
Orlando Cole	The Curtis String Quartet	1975 – 1980
Yumi Ninomiya	The Curtis String Quartet	1975 – 1980
Vladimir Sokoloff,	The New School of Music	1975 – 1980
Geoffrey Michaels	The New School of Music	1975 – 1980
Andrew Willis	The New School of Music	1975 – 1980
Joseph de Pasquale	Philadelphia Orchestra	1979 - 1980