

Mariela Shaker

Violin

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Solo Performances

Canales Project – Between Two Worlds, Carnegie Hall	2017
Harvard University, Harvard Arab Weekend	2016
International Rescue Committee, guest of honor Queen Rania of Jordan	2016
United Nations, Geneva	2016
Aspen Ideas Festival	2016
Points of Light festival	2016
Syrian American Medical Society– Healing through Arts	2016
Asfari and Saied foundations fundraising gala, London	2016
Cate Blanchett- An evening of reading, music and conversation on the global refugee crisis	2016
Beyond Borders International Festival	2016
Newseum	2016
Arab American Institute	2016
George Washington University	2015
Georgetown University	2015
The Kennedy Center	2015
The Brooking Institute	2015
Solo recitals, Monmouth College	2013-2015
Southern Utah University	2014
Solo recitals, St. Ephrem Syriac Orthodox church in Aleppo, Syria	2007-2013
Mozart celebration concert on his 250th birthday, Syria	2006

Chamber Music and Orchestras

Galesburg Symphony Orchestra	2013-2015
Monmouth Chamber Orchestra – Concertmaster	2013-2015
Green Lake Music Festival	2014
Aleppo Chamber Orchestra	2008- 2013
Emirates Youth Symphony Orchestra	2012
Syrian- Lebanese Christian Youth Collaboration	2007

Recognitions and Awards

Creative Santa Fe Inaugural Award	2016
White House Champion of Change	2015
World Council of Arameans Peace Ambassador	2015
Music Department Academic Award, Monmouth College	2015
Colleges Against Cancer Talent Showcase, 2nd place, Monmouth College	2015
A full tuition scholarship for the Master of Music performance at DePaul University	2014
Green Lake Music Festival, Full scholarship	2014
Monmouth College, Full scholarship	2013
An offer for a Master of Music performance at Trinity Laban Conservatory for Music, London	2011

Education

DePaul University School of Music, Masters of Music, Violin Performance, Chicago, IL	2017
Monmouth College, Bachelor of Arts, Music Performance, Monmouth, IL	2015
University of Aleppo, Bachelor of Economics, Business Administration, Aleppo, Syria	2013
Arabic Institute of Music, Violin Teaching Certificate, Aleppo, Syria	2013
Arabic Institute of Music, Postgraduate Music Certificate, Aleppo, Syria	2011

Teaching:

Full time Violin teacher at Sabah Fakhri Music Institute – the Arabic Institute of Music in Aleppo	2008-2012
Full time Violin teacher at Comidas and Ganachian music schools in Aleppo	2012-2013