CARNEGIE HALL

2021-2022 Season

Commissions and Premieres

In its 2021–2022 season, Carnegie Hall presents 15 commissioned works, as well as 15 world, 2 US, 9 New York, and 3 online premieres.

Carnegie Hall Commissions

Composer	Title	Performers
LEILA ADU	New Work (World Premiere, commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Asphalt Orchestra
JEFFREY BROOKS	New Work (World Premiere, commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Asphalt Orchestra
JON BATISTE	American Symphony (World Premiere, commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Jon Batiste , Piano Additional artists to be announced
LISA BIELAWA	Sanctuary (New York Premiere, co-commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	American Composers Orchestra Jennifer Koh, Violin
REENA ESMAIL	"Ram Tori Maya" (arr. for orchestra; World Premiere, commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Link Up Orchestra Daniel Bartholomew-Poyser, Conductor
NATHALIE JOACHIM	Note to Self (New York Premiere, co-commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Sō Percussion Nathalie Joachim, Vocalist
NATHALIE JOACHIM	"We Shall Not Be Moved" (arr. for orchestra; World Premiere, commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Link Up Orchestra Daniel Bartholomew-Poyser, Conductor
MOLLY JOYCE	Side by Side (Online Premiere, commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	NYO2
JESSIE MONTGOMERY	Divided (New York Premiere, co-commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Sphinx Virtuosi
KAIJA SAARIAHO	Semafor (World Premiere, co-commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Ensemble Connect
IGMAR THOMAS	New Work (Online Premiere, commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	NYO Jazz
ALEKSANDRA VREBALOV	New Work (World Premiere, co-commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Kronos Quartet
LOTTA WENNÄKOSKI	New Work (New York Premiere, co-commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Danish String Quartet
KENDALL WILLIAMS	New Work (World Premiere, commissioned by Carnegie Hall)	Asphalt Orchestra
VARIOUS COMPOSERS	Forgotten Voices (World Premiere, commissioned with support from Carnegie Hall)	Music Kitchen Kelly Hall-Tompkins, Producer

Additional World Premieres

Composer	Title	Performers
CARLOS BANDERA	"Materia Prima"	American Composers Orchestra Jennifer Koh, Violin
JON BATISTE	New Work	Gateways Music Festival Orchestra Michael Morgan, Music Director and Conductor Jon Batiste, Piano
GILAD COHEN	New Work	Decoda
FRED HERSCH	New Work	Igor Levit , Piano
MICHAEL HERSCH	New Work	Decoda Ah Young Hong, Soprano
SARAH KIRKLAND SNIDER	Forward Into Light	New York Philharmonic Jaap van Zweden, Music Director and Conductor

Additional US Premieres

Composer	Title	Performers
NICO MUHLY	In Certain Circles	New York Philharmonic Jaap van Zweden, Music Director and Conductor Katia and Marielle Labèque, Pianos
JÖRG WIDMANN	Study on Beethoven (6th String Quartet)	Anne-Sophie Mutter, Violin Ye-Eun Choi, Violin Vladimir Babeshko, Viola Pablo Ferrández, Cello

Additional New York Premieres

Composer	Title	Performers
UNSUK CHIN	Violin Concerto No. 2, "Scherben der Stille" ("Shards of Silence")	Boston Symphony Orchestra Andris Nelsons, Music Director and Conductor Leonidas Kavakos, Violin
VALERIE COLEMAN	New Work	The Philadelphia Orchestra Yannick Nézet-Séguin, Music Director and Conductor Angel Blue, Soprano
GABRIELA LENA FRANK	Pachamama Meets an Ode	The Philadelphia Orchestra Yannick Nézet-Séguin, Music Director and Conductor
OSVALDO GOLIJOV	Falling Out of Time	Various artists
PREVIN / TOM STOPPARD	Penelope	Renée Fleming, Soprano Uma Thurman, Narrator Emerson String Quartet Simone Dinnerstein, Piano

Additional Online Film Premiere

Composer	Title	Performers
JULIA WOLFE	Oxygen	Artists to be announced