

FROM OUR MASTERWORK SERIES AT CARNEGIE HALL  
**TIMOTHY TAKACH**  
*WE ARE PHOENIX*

Experience our celebrated **Masterwork Series** where qualified ensembles can collaborate on major choral works alongside a renowned guest conductor, the **New York City Chamber Orchestra**, and professional soloists, offering an immersive deep dive into major works with full orchestrations and comprehensive rehearsal schedules, perfect for maximizing your New York City experience. The Masterwork Series is ideal for choirs eager to showcase their talent and passion on a grand stage.



**Michael Hanawalt**  
GUEST CONDUCTOR

**ITINERARY**

**JUNE 12**

**WELCOME TO THE BIG APPLE!**

- Arrive in vibrant New York City.
- Check into your hotel and settle in.

**JUNE 13**

**DISCOVER AND PERFORM**

- Morning: Kick off with an energizing rehearsal.
- Afternoon: Explore NYC's iconic sights.
- Evening: Experience the magic of Broadway with a must-see show!

**JUNE 14**

**MORE ADVENTURES AWAIT**

- Morning: Continue your NYC exploration.
- Afternoon: Gather for another dynamic rehearsal session.
- Evening: Enjoy more free time in NYC.

**JUNE 15**

**THE BIG DAY!**

- Morning: Last chance to tour the city.
- Afternoon: Brush up rehearsal, then a sound check at legendary Carnegie Hall alongside the New York City Chamber orchestra.
- Evening: Shine on stage during your concert performance, followed by a celebratory post-concert buffet reception.

**JUNE 16**

**FAREWELL NYC**

- Depart from New York City, taking home memories that will last a lifetime!

**INCLUSIONS**

Classic Package    Event Package

**VENUE**

- legendary Carnegie Hall



**EXPERIENCE**

- festival chorus membership



**PREPARATION**

- chorus development
- part learning tracks
- preparation monitoring



**POST-CONCERT**

- recording & poster
- certificate of participation
- framed poster
- buffet reception



**CONCERT STAFF**

- production team
- advertising & audience
- venue management



**OPERATIONS STAFF**

- designated associate for personal attention



**LODGING**

- 4 nights Westin Times Square or similar



**MTA TRANSIT PASS**

- for subways and buses



**ENTERTAINMENT**

- Broadway show
- Top of the Rock observation



**FLIGHT ASSISTANCE**



**Michael Hanawalt** is the Director of Graduate Choral Studies at Florida State University, where he conducts the Chamber Choir, teaches graduate courses in conducting and choral literature, and serves as Artistic Director for the Tallahassee Community Chorus. Previous appointments include Director of Choral Activities at Wichita State University, Chorus Director at the Wichita Symphony Orchestra, and Visiting Instructor of Music at St. Olaf College.

Hanawalt is a founding member of the professional male vocal ensemble Cantus, based in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Throughout his eleven-year tenure with the organization, he recorded twelve CDs, participated in 200 educational outreach events, and performed in or oversaw the booking of over 500 concerts, including collaborations with the King's Singers, the Boston Pops, the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra, and the Minnesota Orchestra.

Hanawalt holds the B.M. in Vocal Performance from St. Olaf College, the M.M. in Choral Conducting from Michigan State University, and the PhD in Choral Music Education from Florida State University.

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