



SPOLETO FESTIVAL USA • MAY 30-JUNE 2, 2024 • CHARLESTON, SC

Spoleto Festival USA transforms Charleston, SC into a global arts epicenter. Drawing dynamic & accomplished artists from around the world and set against the backdrop of Charleston's shops, restaurants, and uniquely preserved historic downtown, Spoleto is a truly unique experience.

YO-YO MA IN CONCERT

Charleston Gaillard Center

In June 2023, **Yo-Yo Ma** played the final notes of Bach's *Cello Suites* in Nairobi--the end of a 5-year, 6-continent search for answers to the question that has defined his career: What is culture's role in society? Along the way, he met artists, scientists, & leaders imagining & building a better future. He also encountered a global pandemic, mounting human & environmental crises, new grandchildren, & began a project exploring our connections to nature.

As we continue to navigate an ever-changing world, Yo-Yo brings his artistry & perspective to Spoleto, inviting you to contemplate the great questions of life & art: What has brought us here? Where will we choose to go next?

"When we enlarge our view of the world, we deepen our understanding of our lives."

~ Yo-Yo Ma



CHAMBER MUSIC SERIES

Dock Street Theater



Enjoy two concerts in this beloved music series under the curation of **Paul Wiancko**, its new Director of Chamber Music, & performed by world renowned musicians presenting programs rich in revelry & fellowship.

MAHLER: 5th SYMPHONY

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The **Spoleto Festival Orchestra** presents Gustav Mahler's epic *Symphony No. 5*--a titanic work, virtually unmatched in expressive intensity. The concert also includes a world premiere by composer, **Nathalie Joachim**, performed by cellist, **Seth Parker Woods**.

FREE TIME TO EXPLORE

Experience Historic Charleston



Take in Charleston's sights & sounds: **Charleston City Market**, art in **Marion Square**, walking or carriage history tour, art galleries, museums, restaurants, & more.

PICCOLO SPOLETO



With your free time, enjoy some **Piccolo Spoleto Festival** events, which highlight local & regional artists with hundreds of performances throughout the city. With Piccolo still being planned, we'll send you events options once they are announced.

COSTS: ACMC Members: Double = \$1,885 Single = \$2,385 (Nonmembers add 15%)
(per person) Register with \$800 deposit by February 16, 2024. Final payment due March 25, 2024.

Cost Includes: Roundtrip transportation; 3 nights at **The Meeting Street Inn** in Charleston's historic district; 3 continental breakfasts; 1 dinner, complimentary wine & cheese each evening; Spoleto tickets & entry fees. **Not included:** Luggage handling, taxis as required, and meals not listed.

NOTE FOR ALL ARTTOURS: You should be in good physical condition to fully enjoy our tours. The Arts Council cannot provide individual assistance during the tours and therefore reserves the right to decline to accept anyone on a tour who has a physical condition that could create a hazard to him/herself or could impact the enjoyment of other travelers on the tour.

CANCELLATION POLICY: 35% of the total cost will be withheld for cancellation after registration deadline on **ALL ARTTOURS**. **NO** refunds after advertised full payment deadline unless substitute traveler is found—at which time transfer fees, if applicable, will be withheld. Trip cancellation insurance is available upon request and must be purchased at registration.

For additional information, contact the Arts Council at 910-692-ARTS (2787) or visit www.MooreArt.org