

Quincy Symphony Orchestra Music Director and Conductor

*Yoichi Udagawa*



"Udagawa took the orchestra on an astonishing and fearless musical flight..." wrote one reviewer about the dynamic young conductor, Yoichi Udagawa. His performances have been hailed as "powerful and emotionally evocative," and his relaxed manner and ability to speak from the podium have helped new audiences and as well as enthusiasts gain a greater appreciation for symphonic music.

Music Director and Conductor of the Cape Ann Symphony Orchestra, the Melrose Symphony Orchestra, and the Quincy Symphony Orchestra, Mr. Udagawa is also on the faculty of the Boston Conservatory where he teaches conducting. In addition, he is a cover conductor at the Boston Pops Orchestra.

Frequently invited to guest conduct, Mr. Udagawa has worked with many different orchestras including the Boston Pops Esplanade Orchestra, Nobeoka Philharmonic Orchestra, the Pro Arte Chamber Orchestra of Boston, the University of Texas Symphony Orchestra, the Indian Hill Symphony, the Garden State Philharmonic, the Brown University Orchestra, the Syracuse Society for New Music, the Boston Conservatory Orchestra, the Midcoast Symphony Orchestra, the Newton Symphony, the Austin Civic Orchestra, and the Mid-Texas Symphony.

Mr. Udagawa is at home in popular and contemporary music as well as the standard symphonic repertoire. His programs for the 2011-12 season include Prokofiev's Piano Concerto No. 3, Dvorak's *New World* Symphony, Mahler's Symphony No. 1, Beethoven's Symphony No. 8, Brahms' Symphony No. 4, Mussorgsky's *Pictures at an Exhibition*, and several world premieres as well as special education, holiday, and pops programs.

Yoichi Udagawa, the son of a nuclear physicist father and singer/artist mother, was born in Tokyo, Japan in 1964. His family immigrated to the United States soon thereafter. He began playing the violin at age four and made his conducting debut at the age of fifteen. After receiving a music degree from the University of Texas at Austin, he continued advanced studies in conducting with Gunther Schuller, Seiji Ozawa, Morihiro Okabe, and Henry Charles Smith.

A fan of many different styles of music, Mr. Udagawa also enjoys performing gospel music in addition to his conducting activities. He is also an accomplished violinist and an avid fan of exercise and yoga.

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*Family Halloween Concert*  
October 30, 2011 • 2:00 PM

*'Tis the Season... Holiday Concert*  
December 6, 2011 • 7:30 PM

*Winter Concert*  
February 18, 2012 • 8:00 PM

*Spring Concert*  
April 14, 2012 • 8:00 PM

*Evening at the Pops*  
May 19, 2012 • 8:00 PM

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## Family Halloween Concert

October 30, 2011 • 2:00 p.m.

**Lloyd Hill Performing Arts Center • Quincy High School**

- Humperdinck: *The Witches Ride*
- Saint-Saens: *Danse Macabre*
- Mussorgsky: *Night on Bald Mountain*
- Liszt: *Mephisto Waltz No. 1*
- Williams: Selections from *Harry Potter*
- Berlioz: "Dreams of a Witches' Sabbath" from *Symphonie Fantastique*

## 'Tis the Season... Holiday Concert

December 6, 2011 • 7:30 p.m.

**Lloyd Hill Performing Arts Center • Quincy High School**

Join the Quincy Symphony orchestra and special musical guests for an evening of music celebrating the Holiday Season! Proceeds from this event will benefit the Quincy Public Schools Music Program.

**Tickets must be purchased separately from season tickets**

Single tickets: \$20 • For reservations call 617-984-8731

## Winter Concert

February 18, 2012 • 8:00 p.m.

**Lloyd Hill Performing Arts Center • Quincy High School**

- Nielsen: *Helios Overture*
- Sibelius: *Symphony No. 7*
- Dvorak: *Cello Concerto*  
*Owen Young, Cello*



Owen Young

## Spring Concert

### Young Artist Performs

April 14, 2012 • 8:00 p.m.

**Lloyd Hill Performing Arts Center • Quincy High School**

- Program to include winner of the Eleanor Nelson Concerto Competition and Brahms' *Symphony No. 2*

## Evening at the Pops

May 19, 2012 • 8:00 p.m.

**Lloyd Hill Performing Arts Center • Quincy High School**

Join us for an enchanting evening of lighter classical music while supporting the Quincy Symphony Orchestra.

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\* Please note: in the event one of the three subscription concerts is postponed due to weather, it will be held on the following Tuesday at 8:00 p.m. at the auditorium at North Quincy High School.

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### 'TIS THE SEASON ... Quincy Public Schools Fundraiser

Tuesday • December 6, 2011 • For ticket information and reservations call 617-984-8731

### EVENING AT THE POPS CONCERT Quincy Symphony Fundraiser

Saturday • May 19, 2012 \_\_\_\_\_ # of tickets x \$25 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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