

Callisto Quartet

**Graduate String Quartet in Residence at Rice University Shepherd School of Music
Escuela Superior de Música Reina Sofía - Class of Günter Pichler**

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Awards and Prizes

- 2019 Banff International String Quartet Competition: Second Prize
- 2019 Bordeaux International String Quartet Competition/Festival: Prix Adami
- 2018 Melbourne International Chamber Music Competition: Third Prize
- 2018 Fischhoff National Chamber Music Competition: Grand Prize and Gold Medal
- 2018 Wigmore Hall International String Quartet Competition: Special Prize

Festivals and Residencies

- 2022: St. Lawrence String Quartet Emerging String Quartet Program
- 2020-2021: Caramoor Ernst Stiefel String Quartet in Residence
- 2019-2021: Rice University Shepherd School of Music Graduate String Quartet in Residence
- 2019: La Jolla Chamber Music Festival SummerFest
- 2018-present: Selected to take part in the Le Dimore del Quartetto Project, Italy
- 2018, 2019: Shouse Institute of the Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival
- 2018: Jeunesses Musicales International Chamber Music Campus, Weikersheim, Germany
- 2018: Prussia Cove International Musicians Seminar, Cornwall, England
- 2018: Robert Mann String Quartet Institute
- 2017-present: Ensemble in residence at Carolina Music Museum
- 2017, 2018, 2021: McGill International String Quartet Academy, Montreal, Quebec
- 2017, 2018: Juilliard String Quartet Seminar
- 2017: Norfolk Chamber Music Festival

- 2017: CIM Apprentice Quartet
- 2016-2017: CIM Intensive Quartet Seminar

Performances and Collaborations

- 2020-2021: Caramoor Center for Music and Arts
- 2020: Heidelberg String Quartet Festival
- 2019: Ravinia Festival
- 2019: La Jolla Music Society SummerFest
- 2019: Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival with Lawrence Power, Paul Watkins, and John Novacek
- 2019: Chagrin Arts Series with Barrick Stees
- 2019: ChamberFest Cleveland with Franklin Cohen
- 2018, 2019: Schneider Concert Series
- 2018: Music Institute of Chicago Faculty/Guest Artist Series
- 2018: Dame Myra Hess Memorial Concert Series
- 2018: Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival with Gilles Vonsattel
- 2017: Cleveland Cello Society 20th Anniversary Concert with David Geringas
- 2017: Cleveland Chamber Music Society Young Artist Showcase

Coachings and Masterclasses

- Alban Berg Quartet
- Belcea Quartet
- Brentano Quartet
- Casals Quartet
- Cavani Quartet
- Emerson Quartet
- Escher Quartet
- Juilliard Quartet
- Miró Quartet
- Ying Quartet

Darrett Adkins, Elliott Antokoletz, Atar Arad, Shmuel Ashkenasi, Noah Bendix-Balgley, Colin Carr, Melvin Chen, James Dunham, Kenneth Goldsmith, David Finckel, Norman Fischer, David Geber, Mathieu Herzog, Kazuhide Isomura, Si-Yan Li, Nicholas Mann, Heime Mueller, Daniel Phillips, Harumi Rhodes, Samuel Rhodes, Peter Salaff, Laurie Smuckler, Mathias Tacke, Donald Weilerstein, Oliver Wille

Teaching Experience

- 2020, 2021: Caramoor Center for Music and Arts Residency (Online)

- 2020, 2021: Credo Chamber Music Faculty (Online)
- 2020: Online teaching at Kinder High School for the Performing and Visual Arts
- 2019: Masterclass at Fine Arts Center in Greenville, SC
- 2019: Masterclass at University of Central Florida
- 2019: Masterclass at Montverde Academy
- 2018, 2019, 2020: Chamber Music Faculty at Bravo Festival
- 2018, 2019: Masterclasses at Midwest Young Artists Conservatory
- 2018: Orchestral coaching at Culver Academies
- 2017, 2019: Masterclass at Western Reserve Chamber Festival
- 2017: Masterclass at Cleveland Institute of Music Preparatory Division