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2025 Season

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CANADA

1:00 PM

Sunday, April 12, 2026

To the 2025 RCM Certificate Program Gold Medalists

Please accept heartfelt congratulations from all of us at The Royal Conservatory.



Your outstanding achievements are a testament to your hard work, dedication, and passion for excellence. Each of you has reached the highest level of accomplishment within your discipline, demonstrating not only technical mastery but also a deep commitment to artistic growth.

We commend the teachers, parents, and mentors who have supported you on this journey, and we celebrate the perseverance and creativity that brought you here today.

Congratulations once again on this remarkable milestone. We look forward to seeing how your musical and artistic journeys continue to inspire others and enrich the cultural fabric of our communities.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Janet Lopinski". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Janet" being larger and more prominent than the last name "Lopinski".

Dr. Janet Lopinski

Vice President, Academics and Publishing
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VIRTUAL CELEBRATION OF EXCELLENCE RECITAL
SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2026
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Sonatina in F Major, Anh. 5, no. 2: I

Ludwig van Beethoven
Jean-Pierre Avoine – Piano
Teacher: Andrea Cochrane

Angelfish

Anne Crosby Gaudet
Nancy Takahashi – Piano
Teacher: Wan Ju Lee

Mélodie antique française

Pyotr Il'yich Tchaikovsky
Ellen Johnston – Violin
Teacher: Yu Ra Kim

Gavotte in G Major

Thomas Dunhill
Anton Flores – Piano
Teacher: Leona Stebner

Andantino

Shinichi Suzuki, in *Suzuki Violin School, International Edition*, 1
Colton Lau – Violin
Amanda Steinemann – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Amanda Steinemann

Angelfish

Anne Crosby Gaudet
Hallela Atoyebi – Piano
Teacher: Caron Hare

Chorus from Judas Maccabaeus

George Frideric Handel
Léa Voorhoeve – Violin
Jason Fung – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Ellen Kogut

Sea Chant

Peter Sculthorpe
Sena Yang – Flute
Teacher: Helia Azar

Polka

Dmitri Kabalevsky
Yucheng Wang – Violin
Tea Mamaladze – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Olena Vyhovska

Pussywillows, Cat-tails

Gordon Lightfoot, arr. Mark Mrozinski
Alexa Cellamare – Voice
Tiffany Wilson – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Tiffany Wilson

Windsurfer's Waltz

Adam Gorb
Nathan Yang – Flute
Teacher: Hye Jin Choo

Donkey Doodle

William Kroll
Sophia Fu – Violin
Alexis Poirier – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Rachelle Moore

No quiero casarme

Spanish folk song, arr. Frank Campbell-Watson
Emiliya Vasylyeva – Voice
Tiffany Wilson – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Tiffany Wilson

Aquatintes: III

Bernard Andres
Nicole Kukulka – Harp
Teacher: Kathleen Gahagan

The Moon

Stella ter Hart
Isla Aletta – Voice
Tiffany Wilson – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Tiffany Wilson

Divagando (Choro)

Domingo Semenzato
Song Luming – Guitar
Teacher: Nodar Odikadze

Different, from Honk!

George Stiles and Anthony Drew
Alexander H. Li – Voice
Mingli Sun – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Ke Mao

Concerto in A Minor, op. 3, no. 6: I

Antonio Vivaldi, arr. in *Suzuki Violin School, International Edition, 4*
Pascal Zikwan Han – Violin
Can Zhou – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Izabela Köenig

Television

Roald Dahl
Eric Guo – Speech Arts & Drama
Teacher: Russell Hirsch

O bellissimi capelli

Andrea Falconieri, arr. Kathleen Wood
Aubree Wang – Voice
Tiffany Wilson – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Tiffany Wilson

Courante

Silvius Leopold Weiss
Ira Shankar – Guitar
Teacher: Skender Sefa

Air varié on a Theme by Weigl, op. 89, no. 5

Charles Dancla
Erik Scarpino – Violin
Elizabeth Klassen – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Allison Bell

Élégie

Erik Satie
Chenci Sun – Voice
Tuesday Royko – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Tuesday Royko

Sonata in C Minor, op. 17, no. 2: III

Johann Christian Bach

Jodie Zhang – Piano

Teacher: Tatiana Dvorianskaya

Danse villageoise

Claude Champagne

Nanhao Allen Qi – Violin

Teacher: Ellen Kogut

Someday, from *The Hunchback of Notre Dame*

Alan Menken

Leah Elizabeth Hammond – Voice

Joan Vargo – Collaborative Pianist

Teacher: Andrea McCulloch

Prelude, from *Cello Suite No. 1 in G Major, BWV 1007*

Johann Sebastian Bach

Lok Tung Kate Yuen – Percussion

Teacher: Caroline Bucher

New Blues

Deborah Henson-Conant

Emma Wong – Harp

Teacher: Rosanna Chiu

Sakura for Solo Violin

Traditional, arr. Maria Kaneko Millar

Linus Sen Hein Liu – Violin

Teacher: Domanie Billingham-Schadek

Variazioni sul tema della Follia di Spagna, op. 45

Mauro Giuliani

Haoyue (Eileen) Tang – Guitar

Teacher: Galina Jitlina

Fantasia in C Minor, K 475

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Alex Xie – Piano

Teacher: Hong Lang

Bist du bei mir, BWV 508

Johann Sebastian Bach
Katherine Pereira – Voice
Maureen Nielsen – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Roberta Norman

La fille aux cheveux de lin

Claude Debussy, transc. Barbara Brundage
Shiyun (Cecilia) Zeng – Harp
Teacher: Andrew Chan

Concerto No. 9 in A Minor, op. 104: I

Charles-Auguste de Bériot
Jiaju Jiang – Violin
Teacher: Sylvie Allaire

Sonata in E flat Major

Gioacchino Rossini
Emma Lau – Harp
Teacher: Rosanna Chiu

Romanian Folk Dances

Béla Bartók, transc. Zoltán Székely
Sophie Wan Ying Jiao – Violin
Jenny Wan Yi Jiao – Collaborative Pianist
Teacher: Sylvie Allaire

La source, op. 44

Alphonse Hasselmans
Liv Makarenko – Harp
Teacher: Elizabeth Volpe-Bligh

Polonaise brillante, op.3

Frédéric Chopin
Carl Teng – Cello
Teacher: Harold Birston and Henry Shapard

THIS IS YOUR MOMENT.



It means you have reached an incredible milestone.
It means your hard work and dedication have paid off.
It means you are here – where we recognize your
extraordinary achievement.

Congratulations from all of us at
The Royal Conservatory of Music –
we are so proud to honor you today.

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