



## Maria Sanderson

2016 Sphinx Competition Junior Division winner

Maria performed the Mozart Violin Concert No. 4, Movement 1 with the BPO March 15, 2017

Maria Sanderson attended Indiana University's String Academy for nine years and was a member of the String Academy Violin Virtuosi. She studied with Mimi Zweig, and frequently performed in solo and ensemble recitals at IU. Maria was Concertmaster of SA Chamber Orchestra and Assistant Concertmaster

for Indianapolis Symphony's Side by Side Program. She has performed in masterclasses with Midori, Vadim Repin, Josh Bell and many others. Her solo work includes performances with the Moscow Ballet, the IU String Academy Chamber Orchestra, the SE Missouri State University Orchestra, the Bloomington Symphony Orchestra, and twice with the Sphinx Symphony Orchestra. She has toured the US with the Sphinx Virtuosi. In 2018, Maria was First Place winner of the Rising Star Competition, the Bloomington Symphony Competition and the Sphinx Competition.

