



GUILD GLOSSARY & OTHER INFORMATION

The Guild

- SGC – The Symphony Guild of Charlotte, Inc., a volunteer organization that provides financial and volunteer support to the CSO, CSYO, and youth music education in the community.
- Guild Board – President, President-Elect, Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, Vice President of Membership, Vice President of Education, Vice President of Fundraising, Vice President of Administration and Strategy, Directors-at-Large, Chair of Nominating Committee (non-voting) and SOVA Representative (non-voting).
- MPZ – Musical Petting Zoo, a collection of 40-plus instruments showcased at concerts and other events where children are allowed to play them with the help of Guild members and other volunteers.

The Charlotte Symphony

- CSO – Charlotte Symphony Orchestra, Charlotte’s professional orchestra
- CSYO – Charlotte Symphony Youth Orchestras (Grades 9-12)
- Family Series – Saturday Morning CSO Children’s Concerts
- Project Harmony – After-school program serving families by providing local area students with free instruments, music training and homework assistance

Volunteer Organizations

- AMSOV – Association of Major Symphony Orchestra Volunteers
- LAO – League of American Orchestras, The Gold Award of Excellence Database: Published annually by the League of American Orchestras, it contains a wealth of information on education, service and fundraising projects from symphony organizations around the country. Available at this website:
<http://airtable.comshr1WcrdVOF44df8X/tbIX8VYdSDJHuzmbF>
- SOVA – Southeastern Orchestra Volunteer Association

Venues

- Belk Theater – Blumenthal Performing Arts Center, 130 North Tryon St., Charlotte
- Knight Theater – 430 South Tryon Street, Charlotte

Key Charlotte Symphony Personnel

- David Fisk President and CEO
- Micah Cash Individual Giving Senior Manager and Symphony Guild Liaison
- Christopher Warren-Green Music Director
- Christopher James Lees Resident Conductor
- Aram Kim Bryan Director of Youth Orchestra Programs