

*Friends of Chamber Music invites you to join this exciting trip!*

**Attend the Finals Weekend of the  
Tenth Banff International  
String Quartet Competition  
September 2-September 6, 2010  
Alberta, Canada**

Your tour price of \$1,750 double occupancy, or \$2,100 single occupancy includes a \$250 contribution to Friends of Chamber Music, and

- Round trip coach airfare from Portland to Calgary, Canada
- Shuttle service to and from the Calgary airport to the Banff Centre
- Deluxe accommodations for 4 nights in the Banff Centre
- Reserved seating to the 5 concerts in the final round of the competition
- Reserved seating to the Alumni Gala concert on September 3
- Tickets to 2 lecture/panel discussions
- All meals from Friday breakfast through Monday breakfast
- Welcoming reception on September 2
- Opportunity to experience the thrill of this prestigious competition with other fellow chamber music lovers from Portland!

The triennial Banff International String Quartet Competition is one of the most important and highly regarded events of its kind in the world. Situated in the bustling resort town of Banff in the Canadian Rocky Mountains, the Banff Centre is the perfect setting to enjoy music, mountains, and magic.

The Banff Competition brings together 10 of the world's best young string quartets to perform for a distinguished jury and enthusiastic audiences. Previous winners include the St. Lawrence String Quartet, the Daedalus Quartet, the Colorado Quartet, and the Miró Quartet. The role the audience plays in creating an environment of encouragement and excitement is at the heart of the Banff experience. Join us as we discover the next generation of musicians.

**Banff Competition concerts sell out early. Group size will be limited, so get your reservation in early! A non-refundable deposit of \$350 will secure your reservation. Balance is due by April 15, 2010.**

For more information or to make your reservation, call 503.224.9842.

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