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Salina Symphony Classical Concert to Feature Guest Cellist

JANUARY 9, 2017, SALINA, KAN.— Cellist Steven Doane will be the featured guest artist at the Jan. 29 Classical Masterworks Concert. Doane will perform Dvorák's dramatic Cello Concerto, one of the best-loved masterpieces in the repertoire. The Symphony will also perform Beethoven's First Symphony and Kodály's *Dances of Galánta*.

Doane is known internationally as a soloist, recitalist, chamber musician, recording artist and pedagogue. Currently professor of cello at Eastman School of Music, he appears at festivals and on concert series throughout the United States and overseas.

Doane received Eastman's Eisenhart Award for Excellence in Teaching in 1993 and the Piatigorsky Prize in teaching at the New England Conservatory in 1986. As a member of the New Arts Trio, Doane was awarded the Naumburg Chamber Music Award in 1980. He made his Carnegie Hall and Kennedy Center debuts in *Don Quixote* with David Zinman and the Rochester Philharmonic in 1983. His Tully Hall recital debut occurred in 1990, and has been followed by numerous recital appearances, including programs in London's Wigmore Hall, Boston's Saunders Theater and many other venues. Doane currently holds the title of visiting professor at the Royal Academy of Music, London, where he has done several residencies.

This concert is presented in partnership with the Kansas Wesleyan University International Music Festival.

Tickets on Sale Now

Concert tickets may be purchased at the Stiefel Theatre Box Office, by calling 785-827-1998 or online at www.ticketmaster.com. Single admission is \$25 or \$35 and \$15 for students.

Children ages 5 and older are welcome. All admissions require purchase of a ticket.

The Salina Symphony is a regional orchestra dedicated to enriching lives through artistic music performance and education. Conducted by Maestro Ken Hakoda, the Symphony is one of the premiere musical ensembles of North Central Kansas. For more information, contact Adrienne Allen at (785) 823-8309 or visit salinasymphony.org.

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