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**2015-16 IVCI Laureate Series presents the
Michelangelo String Quartet
with 1982 Gold Medalist Mihaela Martin**



1982 IVCI Gold Medalist Mihaela Martin and the Michelangelo String Quartet with pianist Chih-Yi Chen will perform on the Laureate Series on Tuesday, November 10 at 7:30 p.m. at the Indiana History Center, 450 W. Ohio Street in Indianapolis. Formed in 2002 by musicians who shared an irresistible desire to perform the world's greatest repertoire, the Quartet consistently enjoys critical acclaim. "The Michelangelos are one of the great string quartets of the era...(their) playing was out of this world... mesmerizing in perspicacity and emotional depth," proclaimed *The Herald*. *The Manchester Evening News* said, "...their virtuosity and experience showed throughout... playing of fire, luminosity and purity...There are clearly no limitations in the sympathies of this brilliant ensemble."

Taiwanese pianist Chih-Yi Chen's versatile qualities as a collaborative pianist, chamber musician, and soloist have distinguished her as a rarity amongst pianists. Ms. Chen will join the quartet for Schumann's Piano Quintet in E-flat major, Op. 44. The program will also include Haydn's String Quartet No. 1 in G major, Op. 77, "Lobkowitz," and Beethoven's String Quartet in E minor, Op. 59, No. 2, "Razumovsky."

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Tickets for the concert are \$25 for general admission, \$20 for seniors and \$10 for students. They can be purchased online by [clicking here](#), or by calling the IVCI offices at 317.637.4574.



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