EARN YOUR GRADUATE DEGREE
The CSO/CCM Diversity Fellowship program will accept up to five qualifying Fellows per year, who will receive full tuition scholarship support while enrolled in a two-year Master of Music (MM) or Artist Diploma (AD) program at CCM. Scholarship support totals $27,500 per year. Each Fellow will also receive a $10,000 per year graduate stipend, a one-time Graduate School Dean’s Excellence Award of $3,000 and $8,000 compensation per season for performances with the CSO, along with possible additional paid summer services.

PERFORM WITH A PROFESSIONAL ORCHESTRA
Fellows will perform the equivalent of five weeks with the CSO each season, experiencing a variety of concerts. Fellows are paired with CSO coaches/mentors and receive intensive guidance in preparation and performance for their fellowship weeks with the CSO, as well as overall mentorship throughout the two-year experience. Fellows will also receive orchestral audition and professional development travel stipends.

PARTicipate in additional opportunities
Through a partnership with the Chautauqua Institution, as many as five CSO/CCM Diversity Fellows can be selected annually to participate in an eight-week summer residency with the Chautauqua Symphony Orchestra, with frequent performance opportunities, coaching and mock auditions. Chautauqua Diversity Fellows receive free housing, meals and a summer stipend of over $5,000.

PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY
The CSO/CCM Diversity Fellowship is open to exceptional string players from underrepresented populations, which might include:

• Members of historically underrepresented groups in both American orchestras and professional music conservatories (African Americans, Hispanics, Native Americans, Alaska Natives (Inuit), Native Hawaiians, or other Pacific islanders), and/or
• U.S. citizens or permanent legal residents representing the first generation to attend college and graduate school, and/or
• U.S. citizens or permanent legal residents who have followed non-traditional pathways to college, and/or
• U.S. citizens or permanent legal residents with a demonstrated commitment to including and to applying diverse backgrounds and perspectives to learning, scholarship, service, and civic leadership.

Applicants must meet the admissions and audition standards for CCM’s MM and AD programs. View eligibility and audition requirements at ccm.uc.edu/chance2perform.

Questions? Email us at ccmadmis@uc.edu.

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