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Junior recital

Dana Wolpe, violin

With Gyuri Min, piano

Sunday, April 12, 2026, 2 p.m.

Ensemble Hall

PROGRAM

Violin Sonata in G Major K. 301

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)

- I. Allegro con spirito
- II. Allegro (Rondo)

Violin Partita No. 2 in D minor

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

- III. Sarabande
- IV. Gigue

Violin Concerto in E minor Op.64

Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

- I. Allegro molto appassionato

ABOUT THE PERFORMER

Dana Wolpe is a third-year Violin Performance major studying under Dr. Andrea Segar. She is also receiving an Entrepreneurship certificate and a Business minor through the ECM at CU. She began her musical studies on viola before transitioning to violin in her first year of college due to a playing-related injury. After this injury, Dana became a strong advocate for musicians' wellness and developed an interest in performing arts medicine as a way to help prevent playing-related injuries among musicians.

She has placed in multiple competitions, including receiving a Bronze Medal at the Fischhoff Chamber Music Competition as part of the Chasqui Quartet, as well as first place in the Advanced Viola category of the Feder Memorial String Competition. She has also participated in multiple music festivals, most recently the Green Mountain Chamber Music Festival and the Green Lake Music Festival. She also enjoys performing at volunteer events and has performed in nursing homes and hospitals.

Dana enjoys incorporating holistic wellness techniques into her musical life, including yoga and meditation, and hopes to attend the Performing Arts Medical Association conference this summer. She is grateful to all of the professors and teachers who have supported her musical journey thus far.

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