



**HARTFORD  
SYMPHONY  
ORCHESTRA**

## **Bravo! 2025: HOMECOMING**

Hold onto your hats, because Bravo! is just around the corner, and it's going to be an unforgettable night of music, celebration, and community spirit!

Join us on Thursday, May 22nd, 2025, at the fabulous Parkville Market for an evening that shines a spotlight on our amazing musicians, our vibrant education and community programs, and of course, all of you—our loyal and generous supporters!

This year's Bravo! is not just an event; it's a spectacular celebration of the heart and soul of Hartford, CT! Get ready to sip on delicious cocktails, indulge in a 5-star dinner, and bid on exciting treasures during our live auction. And that's just the beginning! The night will crescendo to a breathtaking performance from our orchestra, complete with our signature audience participation piece—because where's the fun without you joining in?

As we embark on our 81st season, we're all about honoring the place we call home. Bravo! promises to be a magical and immersive experience that will leave you buzzing with excitement long after the last note fades. Our entire HSO team, led by the incredible Music Director Carolyn Kuan, is hard at work crafting an event that's truly worthy of your applause. The success of Bravo! is a shining testament to YOUR unwavering support and commitment to the Hartford Symphony Orchestra.

Now, we invite you to play a pivotal role in our community's musical future by considering a sponsorship for Bravo! We've enclosed sponsorship information with various options to suit your preferences, ensuring your company gets the recognition it deserves on all promotional materials and beyond!

So, save the date—May 22, 2025—and get ready to join us for a night that promises to delight and inspire! We can't wait to celebrate with you!

Yours in Great Music,

Thea Montanez  
Bravo! Co-Chair

Mark Christopher  
Bravo! Co-Chair

## SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

### HARTFORD Sponsor - \$50,000 - City Celebration Benefactor - Limited to One

2 VIP tables of 10 (20 guests total) | Premium Seating during Gala Symphony Performance | Opportunity to make brief remarks during gala program | Recognition from the podium | Full-screen electronic ad looping during dinner—ad appears 5 times per loop | Premier logo placement on HSO social media, **Bravo!** webpage, invitation, Hartford Business Journal ads, and event signage | \$10 ticket discount for employees or company guests to HSO's 2025-2026 Masterworks concerts\*

### Presenting Sponsor - \$25,000

2 VIP tables of 8 (16 guests total) | Opportunity to make brief remarks during gala program | Premium Seating during Gala Symphony Performance | Recognition from the podium | Full-screen electronic ad looping during dinner—ad appears 5 times per loop | Prime logo placement on HSO social media, **Bravo!** webpage, invitation, Hartford Business Journal Ads, and other event signage | \$10 ticket discount for employees or company guests to HSO's 2025-2026 Masterworks concerts\*

### Orchestra Sponsor - \$20,000 Limited to One

1 Premier table of 10 | Recognition from the podium | Premium Seating during Gala Symphony Performance | Logo or name branded signage during orchestra performance | Full-screen electronic ad looping during dinner—ad appears 4 times per loop Logo recognition on HSO social media, **Bravo!** webpage, invitation, Hartford Business Journal Ad, and other event signage | \$10 ticket discount for employees or company guests to HSO's 2025-2026 Masterworks concerts\*

### Concerto Sponsor - \$15,000

1 Premier table of 10 | Recognition from the podium | Full-screen electronic ad looping during dinner— ad appears 3 times per loop Logo recognition on HSO social media, **Bravo!** webpage, invitation, Hartford Business Journal Ads, and other event signage | \$10 ticket discount for employees or company guests to HSO's 2025-2026 Masterworks concerts\*

### Overture Sponsor - \$10,000

1 Premier table of 8 | Recognition from the podium | Full-screen electronic ad looping during dinner— ad appears 3 times per loop Logo recognition on HSO social media, **Bravo!** webpage, invitation, Hartford Business Journal Ads, and other event signage | \$10 ticket discount for employees or company guests to HSO's 2025-2026 Masterworks concerts\*

### Reception Sponsor - \$10,000 Limited to One

1 table of 8 guests | Logo or name branded cocktail napkins during reception | Special signage with name/logo in reception area | Recognition from the podium Full-screen electronic ad looping during dinner— ad appears 1 time per loop | Logo recognition on HSO social media, **Bravo!** webpage, invitation, and Hartford Business Journal Ads | \$10 ticket discount for employees or company guests to HSO's 2025-2026 Masterworks concerts\*

### Sonata Sponsor - \$5,000

1 table of 4 guests | Full-screen electronic ad looping during dinner - ad appears 1 time per loop | Logo recognition on HSO social media, **Bravo!** webpage, invitation, and Hartford Business Journal Ad | \$10 ticket discount for employees or company guests to HSO's 2025-2026 Masterworks concerts\*

### Rhapsody Sponsor - \$2,500

Seating for 2 guests | Full-screen electronic ad looping during dinner— ad appears 1 time per loop | Logo recognition on HSO social media, **Bravo!** webpage, invitation, and Hartford Business Journal Ad | \$10 ticket discount for employees or company guests to HSO's 2025-2026 Masterworks concerts\*

**Custom sponsorships are available! Contact our team to discuss opportunities.**

**Please Note:** Deadline for logo inclusion in invitation is **January 17, 2025**. Sponsor benefits are dependent on date of confirmation. Logo size and prominence is based on sponsorship level. \*Discount offer not valid on previously purchased tickets. Fees apply. For tax purposes, the estimated fair market value is \$163 per attendee. Sponsorship donations are tax deductible to the full extent of the law. Donors will be furnished with an acknowledgment upon receipt of the gift.

# SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT

\_\_\_ \$50,000 HARTFORD Sponsor

\_\_\_ \$10,000 Reception Sponsor

\_\_\_ \$25,000 Presenting Sponsor

\_\_\_ \$5,000 Sonata Sponsor

\_\_\_ \$20,000 Orchestra Sponsor

\_\_\_ \$2,500 Rhapsody Sponsor

\_\_\_ \$15,000 Concerto Sponsor

\_\_\_ Specialty Sponsor:

\_\_\_ \$10,000 Overture Sponsor

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**Company Name** (as you wish to be listed in Bravo! materials)

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**Contact Name**

**Title**

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**Address**

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**City**

**State**

**Zip**

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**Phone**

**Email**

## Payment Information:

\_\_\_ Please send an invoice to the contact above

\_\_\_ Check enclosed

\_\_\_ Check to be sent (please make check payable to **The Hartford Symphony Orchestra**)

\_\_\_ Please charge my credit card:

AMEX

Discover

Mastercard

Visa

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Card Number

Exp. Date

Security Code

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Amount

Signature

I hereby commit to the above indicated sponsorship level for the HSO's 2025 Bravo! Gala.

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Signature of company representative

Date

*The Hartford Symphony Orchestra is a qualifying tax-exempt organization as described in section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code.  
Contributions and ads are deductible as provided by law.*

Please submit this form to Rob Beasley at [rbeasley@hartfordsymphony.org](mailto:rbeasley@hartfordsymphony.org) or by mail to:  
Hartford Symphony Orchestra, 166 Capitol Ave. Hartford, CT 06106

## EVENT INFORMATION

### Honoring

The City of Hartford

### Date

Thursday, May 22nd, 2025

### Location

Parkville Market

1400 Park Street, Hartford, CT

### Evening Program

6:00PM      Cocktail reception and silent auction

7:00PM      Dinner, live auction, and Gala program  
*includes the award presentation to the  
City of Hartford, and a performance by  
the Hartford Symphony Orchestra*

9:30PM      Auction check-out

10:00PM     Event concludes

### Co-Chairs

Thea Montanez and Mark Christopher

### Committee

Diane Cantello

Janice Castle

Donna Collins

Jennifer DiBella

Tony Falcetti

Marlene Ferreira

Tracy Flater

Shefali Thaker Grant

Angela Healey

Celena Knox

Karen Lawson

Kelly McDermott

Tiffany Morrissey

Beth Pacheco

Sharon Pope

Amanda Stanton

Lalitha Shivaswamy

## High Visibility for Your Company

- HSO's website received over 160,000 views last season.
- Over 425 local community and business leaders attend our Bravo! Gala.
- More than 2,000 people will receive the invitation with your logo on it.
- The HSO has a robust social media presence, reaching more than 20,000 social media users on Facebook, Instagram and LinkedIn.

**Your sponsorship will inspire creativity in virtual and in person classrooms across the region and will bring an appreciation of music into the lives of children.**