American Celebration of Music in

France

An exclusive concert series for choirs





The American Celebration of Music in France includes destinations and musical experiences that remind participants of Franco-American ties and long friendships that date back to the American Revolution in 1776. Normandy (Omaha Beach and the American Cemetery) and Eastern France provide opportunities to pay musical tribute to thousands of Americans who never returned to America, having given their all for the present freedom of Europe and our country.

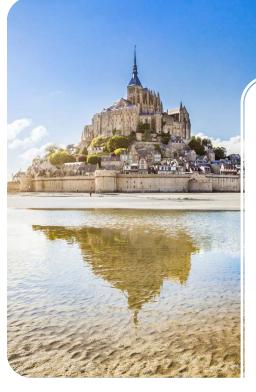
In Paris on any given day, there are possible as many as 300 difference concerts. The French love and support both traditional and contemporary musical performances. Paris was "second Vienna" for French musicians and composers including Berlioz, Auger, Gounod, Saint-Saens, Franck, Faure, Ravel, Debussy, and many others. France boasts many music festivals throughout the country, particularly in the summer months. The potential availability of prestigious and gorgeous venues in Paris alone is staggering. Imagine a performance by your musicians in Notre-Dame Cathedral, Les Invalides, La Madeleine, La Trinite, Jardins du Luxembourg, St. Roch, the American Cathedral, St. Severin, or a French château! Your concert tour is truly enriched with your surroundings of art history, architecture, and beauty that is best experienced "first hand."

"We have never experienced such turnouts anywhere in Europe and did not expect it in France for sure. I need at least 10 hours face-to-face to tell you what was fantastic about this tour."

Alan Heatherington, Director Chicago Master Singers







The MCI Difference

Music Celebrations International (MCI) provides customized tours (stateside & abroad), festivals, collaborations, world-class clinicians, premier venues, and so many exciting possibilities to explore for your ensemble!

Partnering with MCI will provide you and your ensemble with:

- 30+ years of experience
- The best trained and most knowledgeable staff in the industry who have produced over 2,000 concert tours to Europe
- Dedicated Concert Managers who coordinate all the venues and promotion so you can focus on the music!
- Offices and personnel in London, Zurich, Prague, and Vienna
- Staff comprised of musicians, music educators, and travel industry experts

"Thank you for allowing my students to have these memories. I can't even imagine how big their world became because of this tour. You absolutely changed their futures. You gave all of us (myself included) some once-in-alifetime moments that will energize our choir and music program until our next international trip. We sang in Notre Dame in Paris! I mean, how many people can ever say that!?"

Dr. Christopher Larsen, Director Ohio Northern University Choir

"Wow! I don't even know where to begin!! What a great time we all had in France - truly an incredible trip, amazing performance venues, memories to last a lifetime!!"

Linda Streck, Tour Coordinator Valley High School Choir









sample performance itineraries in France



Tour 1 - 5 Nights / 7 Days 2 nights in Caen, 3 nights in Paris



Tour 4 - 8 Nights / 10 Days 3 nights in Paris, 2 nights in Brussels, 3 nights in Amsterdam



Tour 2 - 6 Nights / 8 Days 2 nights in Caen, 4 nights in Paris



Tour 5 - 8 Nights / 10 Days 5 nights in Arles, 3 nights in Aix-en-Provence



Tour 3 - 7 Nights / 9 Days 2 nights in Tours, 1 night in Mont St. Michel, 1 night in Caen, 3 nights in Paris

These and all other tours may be viewed on our website at www.musiccelebrations.com. Fully-customized tours may also be created to meet your specific needs and interests.

Contact one of our trained and experienced Tour Consultants to explore itinerary ideas and cost estimates.

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