



You have been nominated for our 2026 European Performance Tour

France 🇫🇷 Switzerland 🇨🇭 Germany 🇩🇪 Austria 🇦🇹 Optional Prague Extension

June 14-16, 2026 Pre-Tour Rehearsal Camp 🇨🇭 June 17-30, 2026 International Performance Tour



Congratulations

You're on your way to becoming an International Performer!



Congratulations,

We're thrilled to inform you that you have been nominated to perform in the **HEARTLAND MUSICIANS ABROAD** concert tour of Europe in the summer of 2026! This outstanding group of musicians consisting of a concert band, chorus and string orchestra, will embark on a **14-day, 5-country** European tour—an incredible opportunity to showcase your talent on an international stage.

Enclosed, you'll find a detailed brochure outlining this once-in-a-lifetime musical adventure.

About HEARTLAND MUSICIANS ABROAD

HEARTLAND MUSICIANS ABROAD is composed of outstanding student musicians from Kansas and the Kansas City Missouri Metro area, selected through nominations by their directors and private teachers. A division of the highly regarded **Music Travel Consultants**, Indianapolis, **MUSICIANS ABROAD** has carefully crafted this exceptional performance tour of Europe.

An Unforgettable Experience

The 2026 tour offers a unique blend of **concert performances and cultural exploration** in France, Switzerland, Austria, Germany and Prague. Our dedicated musical staff is committed to ensuring that your experience is both memorable and exciting, as we proudly represent our Southern states through the universal language of music.

Important Meeting Information

Inside the **MUSICIANS ABROAD** brochure, you'll find a schedule of **informational meetings** held across Kansas and KC Missouri. We strongly encourage you and your parents to attend one of these sessions to gain a comprehensive understanding of the tour details, including:

- ✦ Tour itinerary and destinations
- ✦ Cost, payment schedule and fundraising opportunities
- ✦ Pre-tour rehearsal camp details
- ✦ Travel, accommodations and meals
- ✦ Trip protection insurance options

The meetings will also include an engaging presentation about the European tour experience. Please note that **trip specifics will only be shared at these meetings** to ensure all attendees receive complete and accurate information.

Your Nomination

Participation in this tour is **by invitation only**, based on nominations from music educators throughout Kansas and Missouri. Your selection is a testament to your dedication, talent and achievements in your school music program. We commend you on this well-earned recognition!

Contact and Next Steps

If you have any questions before attending a meeting, please contact the **HEARTLAND Coordinators** at heartland@musiciansabroad.com.



For additional details, scan the QR code or visit www.musiciansabroad.com/states/heartland/intro.html

For any tour-related inquiries, call **800.616.1112**, option **6**, then option **2** or email heartland@musiciansabroad.com

We look forward to meeting you and your family soon—congratulations once again!

Sincerely,

Dr. Frank Tracz
Coordinator
Heartland Musicians Abroad

Travel arrangements provided by

