



## Dear Alumni and Friends,

Join us on a voyage back in time to more elegant places and opulent times ... to Salzburg and Vienna ... where art, music and imperial extravagance flourished. The vast wealth of the Austro-Hungarian Empire and the lavish display of the Hapsburg fortunes endowed these cities with museums with fabulous collections, gilded palaces and ornate era and concert halls, attracting the world's greatest composers and performers. There is even a private palace just for horses.



We invite you to join University at Albany alumni and Findlay Cockrell, faculty escort, to visit showplaces of renowned composers, including Mozart, Schubert, Brahms and the master of the waltz, Johann Strauss. Come behind the scenes and explore the history, architecture, palaces, the facts and the extraordinary legends of these almost mythical people and places. Experience magnificent musical performances, some in their original venues. Relive "The Sound of Music" and much more as Findlay Cockrell provides insights and commentary to enhance your appreciation.

Please make your reservation as early as possible.

Sincerely,

Lee Serravillo  
Executive Director  
University at Albany  
Alumni Association



Melk Abbey

## Itinerary

- April 10** – Overnight flight to Austria with meals & amenities.
- April 11** – Transfer to Salzburg with city orientation en route to hotel.
- April 12** – Half-day escorted tour including Mozart's house & Hohensalzburg Fortress. Afternoon free. Evening performance at Mirabell Palace (Breakfast included).
- April 13** – Full-day "Sound of Music" tour including Mirabell & Hellbrunn Gardens, St. Michael's Church & Nonnberg Abbey and Lake Funschl. Dinner and concert at The Fortress (Breakfast and Dinner included).
- April 14** – Depart for Vienna with a stop to explore the Melk Abbey. After check-in, free time in Vienna. Mozart Orchestra Concert in the evening with transfer back to hotel (Breakfast and Lunch included).
- April 15** – Full-day tour of Vienna including St. Stephen's Cathedral, Museum of Ancient Instruments, Mozart's House and Schoenbrunn Palace. Hofburg Orchestra Concert in the evening with transfer back to hotel (Breakfast included).
- April 16** – Morning tour of the fabulous State Opera House. Afternoon free. Attend evening performance at The Volksoper with transfer back to hotel (Breakfast included).
- April 17** – Full day at leisure. Enjoy some of the famous museums and other features of this fabulous imperial city. Many optional tours are available, so enjoy Vienna. Farewell dinner in the evening in the Grinzing Wine District with transfer back to the hotel (Breakfast and Dinner included).
- April 18** – Transfer for return flight to USA filled with wondrous memories.



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## APRIL 10-18, 2009

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*\*Program based on 20 tour participants, airfares & exchange rates at the time of printing*

### Included Tour Features

#### Travel

- Round-trip air from JFK to Munich & Vienna to JFK via Lufthansa

#### Accommodations

- Seven nights hotel accommodations

#### Meals

- Enjoy eight breakfasts, one lunch and two dinners
- Join the group for optional dinners at recommended local restaurants

#### Entertainment

- Five musical performances included

#### Other Extras Included

- All transfers as per itinerary
- Escorted touring & entrance fees as per itinerary
- Local occupancy & related local taxes

#### NOT INCLUDED:

Gratuities to driver & local guides, airport & ticket taxes, security charges, fuel surcharges and items of a personal nature.

## REGISTRATION

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**FINDLAY COCKRELL,  
SPECIAL ESCORT  
UAlbany Professor Emeritus**

Founder of the Troy's Music at Noon series and Capital District performer extraordinaire, Findlay Cockrell attended Harvard College '57 and the Juilliard School of Music, where he received his bachelor's and master's degrees in piano. Retired for more than two years, he taught at the University at Albany for 40 years and has given numerous solo recital performances and Chamber music concerts. He has been guest soloist with the San Francisco, Albany, Schenectady, Jackson, Michigan and Plymouth symphonies, among others. He also has performed in Albany's sister city, Tula, Russia; the Barbados; St. Lucia; and the San Francisco Bay Area. A recipient of many distinctions and awards, including New York's Concert Artist Guild Debut prize and UAlbany's Collins Fellowship, Professor Cockrell enjoys sharing his enthusiasm and knowledge with tour participants to enrich their appreciation of the history and splendor of classical music.



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