American Celebration of Music in the

# Baltics

An exclusive concert series for ensembles





Located in the heart of coastal Northeastern Europe are the three Baltic States of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania. Though their cultures and languages are all different, the three nations share common artistic origins, especially in vocal and instrumental folk music and dance that are still vibrant parts of the regional culture today. The respective capital cities of Tallinn, Riga, and Vilnius all boast breathtaking scenery and artistic traditions that performing groups are sure to enjoy.

Imagine walking in the footsteps of famous Baltic composers, such as Estonian Rudolf Tobias, Latvian Jāzeps Vītols, and Lithuanian Mikalojus Konstantinas Čiurlionis, all prolific, conservatory-trained musical pioneers in their own countries. Ensembles will be exposed to the region's vast musical history and many performance opportunities, all amidst the celebrated artistic culture of the Baltic States.

"As far as the performance opportunities - I literally have no words to describe how wonderful they were...in all my years as a choral conductor I have NEVER performed in front of such appreciative, engaged and enthusiastic audiences as I did on this trip."

Joanne Ward, Director The Delaware Women's Chorus







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 Lithuania, Zurich, Prague, and Vienna
- Staff comprised of musicians, music educators, and travel industry experts
- FREE Director Preview Tours so you can experience the Baltics before you travel

"The Peninsula Youth Orchestra's recent tour to Helsinki, Tallinn, and Riga will be remembered as one of the best tour experiences we've had in our 20+ years of touring. The sightseeing was engaging, the hotels were topnotch, the food was incredible, and our local Tour Managers were exceptional. The final concert in Riga in the Great Guild Hall was the performance highlight. A near full-capacity audience which responded enthusiastically to our program.

Sara & Phil Salsbury Peninsula Youth Orchestra

"It was a fantastic adventure!
Thank you to Music Celebrations
International for a wonderful trip.
The meals, almost without exception, were delicious, fresh, and presented well. The [sightseeing] excursions were truly special. The concert audiences were a highlight -- really nice-sized audiences, especially in Latvia.

Kirsten Hedegaard, Director Chicago Festival Chorus







#### FREE DIRECTOR PREVIEW TOUR TO THE

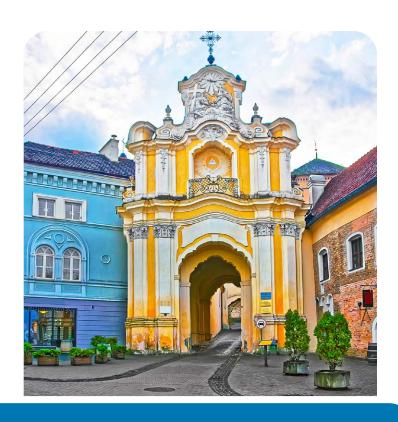
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#### **SUMMER 2023**

Though the cultures and languages of the Baltic States are different, these three nations share common artistic origins in music and dance that are still vibrant parts of their culture today. This is an incredible opportunity to become familiar with the highlights of a Baltics concert tour in advance of your group's participation. Participants will be exposed to the region's vast musical history and many performance opportunities, all amidst the celebrated artistic culture of the Baltic States.



## SEE MORE INFORMATION AND LEARN HOW TO REGISTER!



## SAMPLE PERFORMANCE ITINERARIES IN THE

## **Baltics**



Tour 1 - 6 Nights / 8 Days

3 nights in Riga





Tour 2 - 7 Nights / 9 Days

3 nights in Vilnius

3 nights in Riga

1 night in Tallinn



Tour 3 - 8 Nights / 10 Days

3 nights in Vilnius

2 nights in Riga

3 nights in Tallinn



Tour 4 - 8 Nights / 10 Days

3 nights in Riga

3 nights in Tallinn

2 nights in Helsinki



Tour 5 - 8 Nights / 10 Days

3 nights in Stockholm

2 nights in Riga

3 nights in Vilnius

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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