

## YURI SANTOS – VIOLA

Distinguished for his versatility in solo, chamber, and orchestral repertoire, Brazilian native Yuri Santos has performed extensively across North America, Europe, and Brazil. He has received top prizes at the Beethoven-Haus Bonn String Quartet Competition, Macauley Chamber Music Competition, and the South Florida Young Artist Solo Competition, as well as the Music Society of Coral Lakes and Edward H. Benenson Awards. Yuri has collaborated with celebrated artists such as Jeremy Denk, Arnaud Sussmann, Louis Lortie, Clive Greensmith, Andrés Díaz, and the Calidore Quartet and has appeared as soloist with the Bachiana Filarmônica Sesi-São Paulo, Greeley Philharmonic Orchestra, and Orquestra Antunes Câmara. Artistic residencies include Aspen Music Festival and School, Bravo! Vail, Thy Chamber Music Festival, Britten Pears Arts, MacPhail Center for Music in Minneapolis, and Music in the Vineyards in Napa Valley.

Yuri earned a Bachelor of Music degree from Indiana University Bloomington and a Master of Music degree from the Colburn School. Mentors include Tatjana Masurenko, Kevork Mardirossian, Mauricio Fuks, the Takács and Pacifica Quartets, and his father Ênio Antunes.