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Severance Music Center to host free Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration Concert on October 3



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CLEVELAND — Severance Music Center will celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with an unforgettable evening of Latin music and dance on October 3. This year's celebration presents **Fusión Latina**, featuring **Ale Almanza**, **Mai Zambrano**, and an extraordinary 12-piece ensemble.

Drawing on more than a decade of international stage experience, **Fusión Latina** will take the audience on a journey through the rich musical traditions of Latin America. The high-energy performance will showcase the infectious rhythms of salsa, cumbia, vallenato, and merengue, alongside the powerful sounds of traditional Venezuelan drums.

The celebration begins at 7 p.m. in the Grand Foyer, where guests can jumpstart the evening with pre-concert dancing and mingling to music by **DJ IamYulissa**. The evening is hosted by **Claudia DeLeon**, head of Spanish broadcast operations at Urban One.

The Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration Concert, now in its fourth consecutive year, offers a vibrant night out for the whole family and is part of The Cleveland Orchestra's ongoing commitment to community engagement through music.

Photos from the 2025 Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration Concert are available for [download here](#).

Ticket Information

Although the concert is free, tickets are required and available on a first-come, first-served basis beginning at 10 a.m. on September 1 through the Severance Ticket Office in person, by phone at 216-231-1111, or [online here](#).

Parking Information

Prepaid parking in the Case Western Reserve University Campus Center Garage (Lot 29, adjacent to Severance Music Center) for the Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration Concert will be available for \$15 in advance and \$20 the day of the event.

Recognition

KeyBank is the Community Access Partner for the 2026 Hispanic Heritage Concert.

The Cleveland Orchestra recognizes and thanks Jayne M. Zborowsky for her support of this concert.

Calendar Listing

Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration Concert

Severance Music Center

Saturday, October 3, 2026, at 8 p.m.

Ale Almanza, Mai Zambrano, and the Fusión Latina ensemble

Claudia DeLeon, *host*

DJ IamYulissa

All programs and artists are subject to change.

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