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**“SHELDON CLASSICS” SERIES CLOSURES WITH ASSISTANT SYMPHONY CONCERTMASTER, ERIN SCHREIBER
- Multimedia celebration of music and wildlife presented in collaboration with the Forest Park Living Lab project -**

ST. LOUIS – The Sheldon presents **Erin Schreiber, violin** on The Sheldon Classics series, Wednesday, May 17, 2023 at 8 p.m. in the perfect acoustics of the Sheldon Concert Hall. Violinist and St. Louis Symphony Orchestra assistant concertmaster Erin Schreiber leads a multimedia celebration of music and wildlife in collaboration with the Forest Park Living Lab project. The evening will feature photographs, artwork and a video presentation of Forest Park scenes set to music. Selections will include music for violin and piano by Dvorak, Kreisler, Messiaen and Ysaye in this program perfect for music and nature lovers alike.

The program will also include a world premiere piece by a student from the Mizzou New Music Initiative, commissioned by The Sheldon.

Erin Schreiber joined the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra (SLSO) as Assistant Concertmaster in September 2008, at the age of 20. She has appeared in recital throughout the U.S., as well as in London, Sweden, Italy and Germany, and has toured with jazz legend Chris Botti in the United States as well as Shanghai, Mexico City, Canada and Eastern Europe. She has also performed for Colin Powell and former President Jimmy Carter.

Schreiber made her SLSO solo debut with a performance of Berio's *Corale* (on Sequenza VIII) in 2011 and played Vaughan Williams's *The Lark Ascending* for the opening weekend concerts of the 2014/2015 season, both programs conducted by former Music Director David Robertson. She attended the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia from 2005 to 2008, studying with Joseph Silverstein, Pamela Frank and Jaime Laredo.

Tickets are \$30 orchestra / \$25 balcony 1 / \$20 balcony 2 / \$10 students and teachers, and are on sale now through MetroTix at 314-534-1111, through The Sheldon's website at TheSheldon.org, or in person at The Fox Theatre Box Office, 534 N. Grand Blvd. For more information, call The Sheldon at 314-533-9900 or visit TheSheldon.org.

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