Gingold Chamber Fellowship

Fellowship Overview:
The Gingold Chamber Fellowship is a newly launched initiative, with the inaugural fellows attending Meadowmount in summer 2026. The Fellowship was established in honor of longtime faculty member and internationally celebrated violinist Josef Gingold. The program will support exceptional students each summer through a residency at Meadowmount, providing expanded opportunities for advanced chamber music study, rehearsal, and performance.

Designed for advanced musicians in the early stages of their professional careers. The program offers an immersive environment focused on artistic growth, musical partnership, and the development of the collaborative skills essential to careers in music. Through expanded coaching, rehearsal, and performance opportunities, Fellows will deepen their experience in chamber music while contributing to the vibrant artistic community that defines Meadowmount.

"Josef Gingold embodied the highest ideals of musicianship, mentorship, and generosity. This initiative honors his extraordinary legacy by investing in young artists who are eager to grow both individually and collaboratively through chamber music." - Janet Sung, Artistic Director

The Opportunity:
Gingold Chamber Fellows (GCFs) will engage in intensive chamber music study, preparation, and performance alongside Meadowmount faculty and peer Fellows, as well as possible collaborations and performances with guest artists. Specific repertoire and extensive rehearsal time will be offered to allow for in-depth exploration and discovery of the music through collaboration. Fellows also have the option to be part of Meadowmount student ensembles and to enjoy a summer expanding their experience as a chamber musician. In addition to personal growth as a chamber musician, fellows have the opportunity to mentor younger chamber groups as recommended and guided by chamber music faculty. Fellows are exceptional musicians who model musical excellence, leadership, a positive culture and energy, and embody the values of Meadowmount.
Accepted Gingold Chamber Fellows are awarded a full scholarship to attend Meadowmount.

Fellowship Eligibility:
Gingold Chamber Fellows must be able to attend Meadowmount for the full summer session, June 26 to August 13, 2027. Students applying to attend as a Gingold Chamber Fellow will demonstrate high-level technical and musical skills both as a soloist and chamber musician at a professional level, have had significant experience performing in high achieving chamber ensembles, and bring excellent communications skills, a collaborative mindset, professionalism, reliability and a positive presence.

How to apply…
- Please submit your application via Acceptd no later than January 20, 2027.
- Within the application, there are two additional requirements for Gingold Chamber Fellowship Applicants:

  1) Two recordings of any length from contrasting movements (e.g. fast and slow) or periods from ***live*** performances of chamber music. Violinists should include recordings

performing on 1st violin. Recordings do not need to be professional, but the applicant should be clearly heard. Poor quality audio may affect full consideration of one's application.

2) Brief resume that includes chamber music experience (including festivals, competitions, and performances) and coaching and/or teaching experience.

- Note: References or letters of recommendation and a brief online interview may be requested after the Jan. 20 deadline.
- Previous GCF's are eligible to apply and be considered.
- Additional program information can be found via the Meadowmount website.