

## VIOLA CONCENTRATION

### *First Year Performance Examination Materials, Requirements:*

- A. *Scales and Arpeggios:* Major and minor scales in all keys, one octave. Two major scales, three octaves, and arpeggios three octaves. Scales should be played in quarter notes, eighth notes, triplets, and sixteenth notes single bowed. Arpeggios should be slurred three to a bow.
- B. *Etudes:* One of the following Kreutzer *Etudes* should be prepared: No. 2, 5, 6 or 8.
- C. *Repertoire:* Any two movements-one slow, one fast-from Bach *Cello Suites No. 1* or 3. Last movement from Stamitz *Viola Concerto*.

### *Second Year Performance Examination materials, Requirements:*

- A. *Scales and Arpeggios:* Major and minor scales in all keys, two octaves. Three major scales three octaves and arpeggios three octaves. Scales should be played in quarter notes, eighth notes, triplets, sixteenth notes, and quintuplets. Arpeggios should be slurred three to a bow.
- B. *Etudes:* One of the following Kreutzer *Etudes* should be prepared, No. 10, 12, 14 or 38.
- C. *Repertoire:* First movement of Stamitz *Viola Concerto* – or- First movement of Handel *Viola Concerto* – or – Two movements – one fast, one slow – from Bach *Cello Suite No. 5*.