



# Perform with *Cantus*!

High School Choral Directors from Western Pennsylvania are invited to send **male quartets** to Indiana University of Pennsylvania to perform with the premier men's vocal ensemble in the United States, ***Cantus***, as well as part of a combined Honor Choir and IUP Choirs

**Repertoire (TTBB):**

- *Prayer of the Children*, Kurt Bestor – performed with Cantus
- *Fiela*, South African Folk Song – performed as combined Honor Choir; taught on site
- *For the Fallen*, Mike Sammes Banks Music Pub. – performed as combined Honor Choir

**Rehearsal:** Saturday afternoon, Nov. 7, 2015, Performing Arts Center

**Performance:** Saturday, 7:00 p.m., Nov. 7, 2015, Fisher Auditorium

**See attached Registration Form for additional details on this **FREE** event!**

***Cantus*** was founded on the ideals of collaborative music making, which shows when the group works together to reach new levels of artistic excellence, innovation, and audience engagement. They perform more than 60 concerts each year in national and international touring, and in their home of Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minnesota. Committed to the expansion of the vocal music repertoire, Cantus actively commissions new music for men's voices. The group has also collaborated with the Minnesota Orchestra, Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra, the



Boston Pops, and the James Sewell Ballet. They are the recipient of numerous awards including Chorus America's highest honor, the Margaret Hillis Award for Choral Excellence (2009), as well as Chorus America's Education Outreach Award (2011). The ensemble was also the 2010-2011 Artist in Residence on Minnesota Public Radio.



# Registration • Additional Information • Schedule of Events

To help ensure a balanced ensemble, each school is invited to bring as many male quartets as desired to participate. If you would like to bring a group that is not balanced with voice parts, permission must be sought from the director of choral studies at IUP, Dr. Ryan Beeken (ryan.beeken@iup.edu).

## Registration

School: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher Email & Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list Student Names/Parts (First, Last, T1,T2, B1, B2):

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*(If more than 3 quartets, please use the back of this sheet for additional names)*

If registering by mail, send to:

Dr. Ryan Beeken  
Indiana University of Pennsylvania  
422 South 11<sup>th</sup> Street  
Indiana, PA 15705

If registering by email, send info. to:

Dr. Ryan Beeken  
ryan.beeken@iup.edu

## Schedule of Events – November 7, 2015

1:00-3:00 p.m. Rehearse with Dr. Beeken  
3:00-4:00 p.m. Sound Check/Reh.  
4:00-5:00 p.m. Rehearse with Cantus  
5:00-7:00 p.m. Dinner, break  
7:00 p.m. Concert

Performing Arts Center, Reh. Studio  
Fisher Auditorium stage  
Fisher Auditorium stage  
**(pizza/drinks provided)**  
Fisher Auditorium



This education outreach event is presented by the Lively Arts/ArtsPath at IUP, in collaboration with the IUP Music Department Choral Studies, Dr. Ryan Beeken, director. It is further supported by funding from the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, a state agency.

