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THE LOUISVILLE ORCHESTRA ANNOUNCES *HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER'S STONE™* CONCERT

For the first time in Louisville, audiences will experience a symphony orchestra performing music to the entire film from one of the most beloved film franchises in history

Tickets available starting Wednesday, December 14 at 10AM at LouisvilleOrchestra.org and at the Kentucky Center Ticket Office

(DECEMBER 2, 2016 -- LOUISVILLE, KY) – The Louisville Orchestra announced today that they will perform *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* on Saturday, July 8, 2017, at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, July 9, 2017, at 3:00 p.m. at the Kentucky Center for the Performing Arts as part of the Harry Potter Film Concert Series. The concert will feature the Louisville Orchestra performing, to picture, every note from *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone*. Audiences will be able to relive the magic of the film in high-definition on a 40-foot screen while hearing the orchestra perform John Williams' unforgettable score. Tickets are \$35 to \$95. Tickets go on sale Wednesday, December 14 at 10:00 a.m. at the Kentucky Center and by phone at 502.584.7777 and at LouisvilleOrchestra.org.

CineConcerts and Warner Bros. Consumer Products announced the Harry Potter Film Concert Series, a new global concert tour celebrating the Harry Potter films, earlier this year. The Harry

Potter Film Concert that kicked off in June 2016 is another magical experience from J.K. Rowling's Wizarding World.

Justin Freer, President of CineConcerts and Producer/Conductor of the Harry Potter Film Concert Series explains, "The Harry Potter film series is one of those once-in-a-lifetime cultural phenomena that continues to delight millions of fans around the world. It is with great pleasure that we introduce for the first time ever an opportunity to experience the award-winning music scores played live by a symphony orchestra, all while the beloved film is simultaneously projected onto the big screen. It will be an unforgettable event."

Brady Beaubien of CineConcerts and Concert Producer for the Harry Potter Film Concert Series added, "Harry Potter is synonymous with excitement around the entire world and we hope that by performing this incredible music with the full movie, audiences will enjoy returning to this world, and to the many wonderful characters and adventures that inhabit it."

CineConcerts is one of the leading producers of live music experiences performed with visual media. Founded by producer/conductor Justin Freer and producer/writer Brady Beaubien, CineConcerts has engaged millions of people worldwide in concert presentations that redefine the evolution of live experience. Recent and current live concert experiences include *Gladiator*, *The Godfather*, *It's a Wonderful Life*, *DreamWorks Animation In Concert*, *Star Trek: The Ultimate Voyage 50th Anniversary Concert Tour*, and *Breakfast at Tiffany's*. Justin Freer has quickly become one of the most sought-after conductors of film music with a long list of full symphonic live to projection projects. He has appeared with some of the world's leading orchestras including the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, London Philharmonic Orchestra, New York Philharmonic, Philadelphia Orchestra, Philharmonia Orchestra, San Francisco Symphony and Sydney Symphony Orchestra. From full-length movie screenings with live orchestra to music-interactive sporting event experiences to original 3D-environment holiday programming, CineConcerts is at the forefront of live entertainment.

For more information on the Harry Potter Film Concert Series, please visit www.harrypotterinconcert.com.

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The Louisville Orchestra, under Music Director Teddy Abrams, is dedicated to connecting to a broad and diverse audience by creating engaging and relevant programs and performing in a multitude of venues throughout the greater Louisville metro area. Get information about the Louisville Orchestra by calling 502.587.8681 or visit LouisvilleOrchestra.org.

The Kentucky Center for the Performing Arts is located at 501 W. Main Street in downtown Louisville and offers an extensive calendar of events. Ticket office hours are 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Saturday and 12noon to 5:00 p.m., Sunday. Drive-thru ticketing is available Mon-Fri 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. On performance days, the ticket office will remain open until ½ hour after the scheduled performance time. For more information call 502.584.7777 or visit KentuckyCenter.org.

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