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Workshop: Building a violin together in 7 days



(Stefan-Peter Greiner, Robert Brewer Young)

Internationally acclaimed violin maker Stefan-Peter Greiner is attending the 2019 SIMA for the first time. Greiner is renowned as one of the leading violin makers worldwide. Soloists such as Christian Tetzlaff, Antje Weithaas and Leonidas Kavakos are playing his instruments in concert venues all over the world. Greiner will be directing this fascinating workshop together with his colleague Robert Brewer Young, who is specialized in building cellos. He works in collaboration with Greiner in their studio in London Hampstead. SIMA participants will be able to participate in the process of building a violin.

The goal of this workshop is to enable participants to see the process of building a violin from a piece of wood to the finished instrument, unvarnished though, but playable.



The participants will have the opportunity to participate in the process of planning, sawing and carving. Through this experience the musicians will have gained a deeper understanding of their instruments.