

HOW TO Host Your Own Virtual Listening Party

Do you miss hearing live music together with your friends? We do, too!

Miller Theatre's **Live from Columbia** video series offers the perfect opportunity to connect meaningfully with others through a shared live music experience. Follow these steps below to host your own Virtual Listening Party.



STEP 1 – MAKE A GUEST LIST

Choose a small gathering of friends that you would like to invite to experience and discuss this concert with afterwards. Gather their email addresses for the next step.



STEP 2 – SEND AN EMAIL INVITATION

Invite your guests to join you for a Virtual Listening Party! Make the invitation very clear on what they need to do to join. Don't forget to include:

- Date & Time
- Link the Video Premiere
- Link to your own Zoom meeting to join for post-concert conversation
- RSVP details if you'd like to know who is coming



STEP 3 – SEND AN EMAIL REMINDER

Remind your guests the morning of your Virtual Listening Party by resending the invitation with all of the details.



STEP 4 – WATCH, ENJOY, & DISCUSS

Tune in to the premiere of the performance, and then head over to host your Zoom chat with your guests. To help guide your discussion, we will post some suggested questions for each performance [here](#).

Sample Invitation:

Describe what the party is all about!

You're invited to a Virtual Listening Party!
Join me in watching a performance by
Mariel Roberts
and joining in a post-concert
conversation with friends

Tuesday, November 17

Don't forget the date!

7pm

Watch the premiere of the performance at
millertheatre.com/live-from-columbia

Make it clear how and when to watch the concert & to join the conversation

After the performance
Join me and my friends on [Zoom](#) to discuss

RSVP by November 16 to
me@myemailaddress

Include an RSVP if you want to know who is coming



BONUS - Suggest a shared snack idea or signature cocktail to add a party feel!

I'm going to pair the conversation
with [this cocktail](#),
in case you'd like to make it, too!

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