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Kungsholms Kyrka, Stockholm Tuesday, July 8, 2025

Music performance opportunities for choirs of 35 or more voices to perform 20-25 minutes of sacred a cappella music under their own conductors.



Specially designed tours and events included, all with licensed guides.

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Premier Announcement

Stockholm & Uppsala, Sweden

Friday, July 4 - Sunday, July 13, 2025

Join John Rutter CBE

leading a performance of his

Requiem & Magnificat

Uppsala (Cathedral) Domkyrka

Friday, July 11, 2025

A concert performance conducted by John Rutter, featuring all visiting choirs.

With the Stockholm Concert Orchestra

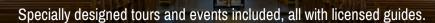
& Distinguished Soloists

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Pictured: Uppsala (Cathedral) Domkyrka



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20TH ANNIVERSARY SEASON JOIN US FOR PERFORMING IN THRILLING MUSIC CAPITALS



















ALL MIDAM INTERNATIONAL 10-DAY / 9-NIGHT RESIDENCIES ARE \$3825 PER PERSON BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY, WITH FOUR TOURS AND MUCH MORE. PER-PERSON REGISTRATION DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 15 TO DECEMBER 1, 2024.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT SONJA SEPÚLVEDA,
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MidAm International, Inc. SUBJECT TO REVISION

THE 2025 INAUGURAL MUSIC & CULTURAL TOUR TO STOCKHOLM AND UPPSALA, SWEDEN

Choral Registration Deadline: November 15 to December 1, 2024

Early registration for bonus complimentary packages: July 1, 2024

Two major public performances in the Kungsholms Kyrka in Stockholm and the Uppsala Domkyrka in Uppsala

A special gala concert performance in Uppsala Domkyrka
Featuring all of the visiting choirs

Rutter's Requiem and Magnificat

John Rutter, guest conductor

The Stockholm Concert Orchestra

Friday, July 11, 2025 at 7:30pm

Also open to all visiting guest conductors to lead their choirs of 35 or more voices in a sacred solo a cappella performance of 20-25 minutes in the beautiful Kungsholms Kyrka in Stockholm.

Tuesday, July 8, 2025 at 7:30pm

THE 2025 MUSIC AND CULTURAL TOUR TO STOCKHOLM/UPPSALA **Itinerary**

Day 1 - Friday, July 4, 2025

Stockholm

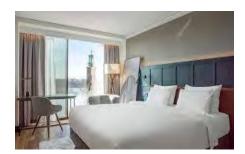
• **Arrive in Stockholm**. Travel agency, and MIDAM International staff will meet you at the airport and transfer you to the **RADISSON BLU WATERFRONT HOTEL** for check-in.

https://www.radissonhotels.com/en-us/hotels/radisson-blu-stockholm

Nils Ericsons Plan 4, Stockholm,111 64, Sweden Phone: +46 8 5050 6000

7 PM-8 PM: Organizational meeting in hotel with MidAm staff for all participants.





Radisson Blu Waterfront

Old Town Stockholm

<u>Day 2 – Saturday, July 5, 2025</u> Stockholm

- Breakfast
 - 9 AM-12 PM: Morning rehearsal with John Rutter at the hotel ballroom.
 - Lunch on own.
 - 3 PM-7 PM: First Tour: Introduction to Stockholm and Vasa Museum
 - Evening at leisure; dinner on own.





Vasa Museum

Tour Description: Stockholm Old Town and Vasa Museum

Stockholm is widely acknowledged as one of the world's most beautiful cities and is often called the Venice of Scandinavia. Dramatically situated at a point where the cobalt blue Lake Mälaren meets and clashes with the darker hue of the Baltic Sea, the city has been splendidly endowed by nature. Stockholm is built up on 14 islands. No fewer than 57 bridges connect the islands with each other. We board our coach and drive through Stockholm. Afterwards we will take a drive to the Old Town. Your guide will take you for a walk through the Old Town showing you the highlights of this wonderful part of Stockholm. Maybe time for some own time before the drive continues by the Parliament building, the National Museum, the Royal Dramatic Theatre and along the quayside boulevard Strandvägen. Then make your way to Djurgården where you will visit the Vasa battleship

that sunk on its maiden voyage. Your guide will tell you about the ship, then the group will have free time to walk around the different exhibitions and see the short film (approx 20 minutes) to give you the in depth information. After, drive through Djurgården, the land of the King, before heading back to your hotel.

Day 3 - Sunday, July 6, 2025

Stockholm

- Breakfast.
- 9 AM-12 PM: Morning rehearsal No. 2 with John Rutter at the hotel
- Lunch on owr
- 2 PM-5 PM: Rehearsal of visiting participating choirs at the hotel
- Evening free at leisure

Day 4 - Monday, July 7, 2025

Stockholm

- Breakfast
- 9 AM-12 PM: Morning rehearsal at hotel of individual participating choirs
- Lunch on your own
- 2 PM-6 PM: Second Tour: Stockholm City Hall, Riddarholmen, and Lake Mälaren

Tour Description: Stockholm City Hall, Riddarholmen, and Lake Mälaren

You will board your private motor coach and have a short drive towards the City Hall. With the special hand-cut brick facades, the imposing square tower capped by three golden crowns, it is an example of a magnificent work by artists and craftsmen from all over Sweden. You will be guided through the huge glass-domed Blue Hall where the Nobel Prize banquets are held and the Golden Hall, covered with striking mosaics. After, drive to Riddarholmen where you get another magnificent view of the City Hall with its 3 crowns. Time for a photo. Hear about Riddarholm Church where many Sovereigns of Sweden are buried. Finish the tour with one of the best ways to see Stockholm which is by boat. You get an entirely different perspective of this city and see exactly how much water surrounds it. Return to your hotel and be on your own the rest of the evening. Please note: It is recommended to wear flat comfortable shoes due to going on a boat.

Evening free at leisure.



Stockholm City Hall



Riddarholmen



<u>Day 5 – Tuesday, July 8, 2025</u>

Stockholm

- Breakfast
- Morning Free
- Lunch on own
- 3 PM-6 PM: Final Dress rehearsal at Cathedral
- Dinner on own
- 7:30 PM-9:30 PM: **Concert in Stockholm at Kungsholms Kyrka** featuring individual choral performance of visiting choirs.
- After concert return to hotel





Kungsholm Kyrka

Day 6 - Wednesday, July 9, 2025

Stockholm

- Breakfast
- 9 AM-12 PM: Morning rehearsal No. 3 with John Rutter at the hotel
- Lunch on own
- Afternoon and evening free at leisure

Day 7 - Thursday, July 10, 2025

Stockholm

- Breakfast
- 9 AM-12 PM: Morning rehearsal No. 4 with John Rutter at hotel
- Lunch on own
- Afternoon <u>Third Tour:</u> Drive to Ekerö. Royal residency of the Swedish King and Queen

<u>Tour Description: Royal residence of the Swedish King and Queen, Drottningholm Palace</u>

Just half an hour from Stockholm city center there's a beautiful nature area, the Lovö nature reserve. The wealth and beauty of a glorious past unfolds before your eyes during this exploration of Drottningholm Palace, considered the best-preserved example of an 18th-century palace in Sweden, and nearby Court Theatre. See the magnificently decorated State Apartments and take a stroll through the Baroque park, which is graced with statues, fountains, pretty lawns and a large variety of trees. Located in the grounds of the Drottningholm Palace park, is a Chinese-inspired royal pavilion originally built between 1753 and 1769. Please note: It is recommended that guests wear flat, comfortable shoes.





Drottningholm Palace

<u>Day 8 – Friday, July 11, 2025</u>

Uppsala

- Breakfast
- 8:30 AM: Travel to Uppsala (45 minute drive)
- Fourth Tour: Uppsala City and Uppsala Cathedral

Tour Description: Uppsala City and Uppsala Cathedral



Uppsala Domkyrka

Uppsala is known for Uppsala University, founded in the 15th century. Visit the Cathedral which is located between the University Hall and the Fyris river in the center of Uppsala, Sweden. Uppsala Domkyrka (Cathedral) is the seat of the Archbishop of Uppsala and the burial place of Swedish King Gustav Vasa. Lunch will be served in Uppsala for the entire group. Drive by Uppsala Old Town and the three mounds. Originally there were between 2,000 and 3,000 mounds in the area but most have become farmland, gardens and quarries. After excavation they were found to be tombs.

- Lunch in Uppsala included
- 2 PM-5 PM: Choir final rehearsal with John Rutter-Stockholm Concert Orchestra and Soloists
- Dinner on own
- 7:30 PM-9:30 PM: **Concert** Rutter REQUIEM and MAGNIFICAT at **Uppsala Domkyrka**
- Return to the hotel after the concert



Day 9 – Saturday, July 12, 2025

Stockholm

- Breakfast
- Morning and afternoon free
- Evening: Finale Gala Dinner at the historic Vasa Museum

Day 10- Sunday, July 13, 2025

Stockholm

- Breakfast
- Check-out
- Group transfer to the airport to catch your homeward-bound flight

Residency Costs and Payment Schedule:

<u>Total cost is \$3825 per person</u>. This includes events, accommodations, transfers, and all tips, gratuity, and VAT taxes described in the day-to-day itinerary and specifically itemized on the "inclusions" page. This price <u>does not include airfare to Stockholm</u>. **Single supplement occupancy is \$4825 (\$1000 additional)**. Note that single rooms are limited. Triple rooms are occasionally available and the cost per person is the same as double room occupancy, \$3825 per person. Note that all rooms are "double" size and if a third bed is put in, it may be a cot or convertible/pull-out sofa; further, the room is not larger than a standard double room.

Please note that from the point at which MIDAM INTERNATIONAL receives your first deposit, the dollar amount for this program will remain unchanged, regardless of whether the dollar weakens or strengthens for the remainder of your payment deposits.

Spouses, friends, and families are welcome to be part of the residency. The same package described here applies to them as well.

Payment Schedule

1st Deposit \$400 per person is due: (nonrefundable)	2nd Deposit \$800 per person is due: (nonrefundable)	Flight list and rooming list due:	3rd Deposit \$800 per person is due: (nonrefundable)	Final Payment is due: (nonrefundable).
November 15 to December 1, 2024	January 15, 2025	February 15, 2025	March 15, 2025	May 1, 2025

FOR ALL DEPOSITS: Make checks payable in U.S. Dollars to: **MIDAM INTERNATIONAL, INC.** Please send your payment via Federal Express/Express Mail (regular mail is not recommended) to:

Joyce Howard-Brazel - 265 Sunrise Highway, Suite 1-183 • Rockville Centre, NY 11570

PLEASE, ONLY **ONE** COMBINED CHECK PER GROUP REGISTRATION (NOT INDIVIDUAL CHECKS).
For information on **wire transfers, ACH payments** and/or **credit card payments**, please contact **Joyce Howard-Brazel**, **Chief of Account Operations** at: (646) 355-8736.

IMPORTANT: The first deposit must be accompanied by the Concert Registration Form and the type of package indicated at that time.

DEPOSIT SCHEDULES ARE FIXED AND FIRM. MidAm International retains the right to add "late fees" or cancel the group if deposit schedules are not adhered to.

If the specified venue is unavailable for your performance due to "acts of God" (force majeure), MidAm International, Inc., reserves the right to move this performance to another concert location within the residency city, or if such move is not practicable for reasons beyond the control of MidAm International, Inc., then MidAm International, Inc. shall be relieved from such obligation. Acts of God (force majeure) shall include any unexpected act or circumstance that prevents or impedes MAP from performing one or more of its contractual obligations if such impediment to MAP's performance is beyond MAP's reasonable control and the effects of such impediment cannot reasonably have been avoided or overcome by MAP. For purposes of this provision, Acts of God shall include, but are not limited to: a) war (whether declared or not), hostilities, act of foreign enemies, b) civil war, riot, rebellion and revolution, act of terrorism, sabotage or piracy; c) currency and trade restriction, embargo, sanction; d) act of authority whether lawful or unlawful, compliance with any law or governmental order, expropriation, seizure of works, requisition, nationalization; e) plague, epidemic (including continuation of COVID-19 pandemic into or beyond 2023), natural disaster or extreme natural event; f) explosion, fire, destruction of equipment, prolonged break-down of transport, telecommunication, information system or energy; g) and general labor disturbance.

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New York, without regard to the conflicts of law principles thereof. The parties consent to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts within the County and State of New York with respect to any dispute arising out of this agreement.

ALL DEPOSITS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE WHEN RECEIVED AND THIS APPLIES TO ANY INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP WHO HAS MADE ANY PAYMENTS. In addition, should an individual cancel participation, deposits are non-transferable to the group's unpaid balance (substitutions for canceled persons are permissible).

In the event that "force majeure" causes the cancellation of this tour prior to departure or at any time after arrival in Poland, monies sent to MidAm International are nonrefundable; therefore, trip cancellation insurance is highly recommended. You are welcome to visit www.travelexinsurance.com or call 1-800-228-9792 to inquire about trip cancellation insurance. Please use Location Code 32-6180 when requesting a Travelex insurance quote. As an alternative trip insurance option, please visit and request a quote at http://www.travelguard.com/tzell/. MidAm International does not endorse or recommend any travel insurance company who might provide such insurance to the ensemble, including www.travelexinsurance.com or www.travelguard.com. Please investigate thoroughly through your preferred insurance carrier prior to your initial deposit.

It is the responsibility of all persons participating as performers to arrive on time and be fully prepared for all rehearsals as well as the performance. All participants in the package must undertake at their own expense to comply with all dress and health requirements of governmental entities as well as the venues where the performance and other events are being held. Should these parameters not be met, MidAmerica retains the right to disallow those individuals from participating in the rehearsal and/or performance.

MidAmerica Productions Inc. and MidAm International Inc. shall not be liable to any individual registrant or group for any injuries, losses, or expenses suffered or incurred by any individual registrant or group arising out of or relating to your purchase of this package. All registrants and groups shall maintain appropriate and adequate general liability insurance coverage and any workmen's compensation insurance required by applicable state law.

If your concert is canceled by MidAm International, monies are completely and immediately refundable.

AIRFARES TO AND FROM STOCKHOLM ARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PARTICIPATING ENSEMBLES & INDIVIDUALS.

If your air arrival is at an alternate airport, you need to arrange transport to the residency city at your own cost. Please consult with your personal travel agent and internet search engine

for the best possible price. Also, MidAm International, Inc. has had a travel relationship with Global Travel in NYC for 40 years. It is recommended that any groups (10 or more) looking to purchase tickets collectively contact Michelle Whatley, their representative, at mwhatley@globaltravelcollection.com or 212-944-4887, and have her investigate an airfare on your behalf. You are under no obligation to take the airfare she proposes.

When purchasing your own air tickets,
Please do NOT purchase anything without getting a "go ahead" from MidAm International.

A valid passport is required to enter Sweden and the European Union. All travelers (U.S. citizen or non-U.S. citizen) should inquire with the appropriate embassy or consulate regarding entry requirements to Sweden.

Land Package Inclusions (for each residency package):

PERFORMANCE/ARTISTIC ADMINISTRATION:

- One major public performance in the Stockholm Kungsholms kyrka on July 8 and one in the Uppsala Domkyrka on July
 11. The first one will feature the visiting guest conductors and their 80-voice choirs with members of the Stockholm
 Concert Orchestra and distinguished soloists; the second concert will combine all of the choirs performing Rutter's
 Requiem and Magnificat with the Stockholm Concert Orchestra and distinguished soloists under the baton of Music
 Director Peter Tiboris.
- 2. National and international press coverage.
- 3. Concert photographs sent to each director by Aug. 1, 2025.
- 4. Publicity, management, and audience development of your concerts in Stockholm and Uppsala.
- 5. Complimentary concert poster given to each participant at the conclusion of the tour.

LODGING/GROUND TRANSPORTATION/BOARD:

- 6. Nine (9) nights double occupancy. Single occupancy is \$4825 (\$1000 additional) when singles are available. Triples are in very limited supply, and the cost per person is still \$3825 per person. Triples are the same size rooms as doubles with a pull-out bed.
- 7. Package includes all local taxes, gratuities, and Value Added Tax (VAT).
- 8. MidAm International, Inc. personnel on site in the hotel during your residency.
- 9. Nine (9) breakfasts.
- 10. Gala finale dinner (July 12).
- 11. Bus transfers to all tours, rehearsals, and concerts, as needed. Airport transfers will be available on July 4 upon arrival, and July 13 for departure, to and from Stockholm airport. NOTE: If your air arrival is at an alternate airport in another city, you will need to arrange transport to Stockholm at your own cost, for which we can provide an estimate.
- 12. English-speaking guides and sound head-sets.
- 13. Escorts on buses.
- 14. Bonus package credits off the final invoice; see page 13 for details.
- 15. Assistance with purchasing international flight tickets to and from Stockholm when requested.

FOUR TOURS (see description in itinerary – Entrance fee, bus (if necessary), professional guide, personal broadcast microphones, and hearing devices are all included).

- 16. First Tour: Stockholm Old Town and Vasa Museum
- 17. Second Tour: Stockholm City Hall, Riddarholmen and Lake Mälaren
- 18. Third Tour: Royal Residence–Drottningholm Palace
- 19. Fourth Tour: Uppsala City and Uppsala Cathedral

Land Package Exclusions:

- 1. Your round-trip airfare to Stockholm
- 2. All lunches and dinners (except lunch in Uppsala on July 11 and the final dinner on July 12).
- 3. Purchase of your choral music.

INITIAL PAYMENT DEADLINES AND COMPLIMENTARY PACKAGES FOR 2024 MIDAM INTERNATIONAL RESIDENCIES

- A credit of one package (\$3825) is applied after every 30 packages purchased by the standard registration deadline with an initial deposit of \$400 per person. (#31 is complimentary.)
- An **additional** package credit (\$3825) is applied after every **30** packages purchased by the **early** registration deadline with an initial deposit of \$400 per person.

The standard registration deadline is **November 15 to December 1, 2024.** The early registration deadline is **July 1, 2024.**

If the total number of paid performers registered by an ensemble is	and the ensemble pays by the Standard Registration Deadline, they will receive:	and the ensemble pays by the Early Registration Deadline, they will receive:
30	1 Package Credit	1 additional (2 total Package Credits)
60	2 Package Credits	2 additional (4 total Package Credits)
90	3 Package Credits	3 additional (6 total Package Credits)

Terms and conditions:

- Group directors must indicate at the time of registration whether they will be participating as a Performer, Non-performer, or guest conductor. Directors are not included in a group's tally if they are guest conductors, as their accommodations are handled separately.
- Credits only apply to group registrations.
- Complimentary packages may be used for an individual (director, accompanist, etc.) or may be applied toward the group's balance to reduce each participant's cost.

For more information, please contact:

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