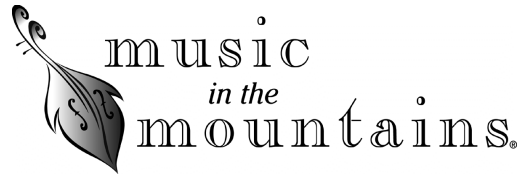


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## **BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH: Erin Hannigan, oboist**

**Erin Hannigan** is not a stranger to Music in the Mountains and has been a member of the Festival Orchestra for years. Hannigan is the principal oboe of the Dallas Symphony Orchestra. Before coming to Dallas, she was a member of the Rochester Philharmonic from 1994-2001. During the summer, she performs with the Mainly Mozart Festival in San Diego, CA and the Music in the Mountains Festival in Durango, CO. Recent performances include engagements as guest principal oboist with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra, Atlanta Symphony, and the Los Angeles Philharmonic. Erin has performed as a soloist with the Dallas Symphony, Shreveport Symphony, the Hershey (PA) Symphony, the Music in the Mountains Festival Orchestra, and the Meadows Symphony Orchestra of Southern Methodist University.

Erin has been a member of the Southern Methodist University faculty since 2002 where she is Associate Professor of Oboe. Erin was previously a faculty member at the Eastman School of Music as Instructor of Baroque Oboe from 1996 - 2001. Recent master classes include those given at the Festival Institute at Round Top, Baylor University, Texas Tech University, and the National Repertory Orchestra in Breckenridge, CO.

Erin attended the Oberlin Conservatory where she studied with James Caldwell. She received her Master's degree and the prestigious Performer's Certificate from the Eastman School of Music where she was a student of Richard Killmer.

Erin Hannigan performs on July 24 at Durango Mountain Resort.

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