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Dear Sylvia,

The Canadian Music Centre is proud to celebrate its 50th Anniversary this year. In honour of this landmark, the CMC has chosen to publicly recognize 50 outstanding Canadian performers and conductors who have played exceptional roles in shaping the Canadian music scene and raising the profile of Canadian music. I am pleased to inform you that, in recognition of your own exemplary contribution, the Board of Directors of the CMC has selected you to be among the 50 who will receive the new designation of CMC Ambassador.

The CMC exists to collect, disseminate, and promote the music of Canadian composers. As it celebrates fifty years of its own activities, the CMC is fully aware that its mandate is achievable only in the context of a network of partnerships, foremost of which is the vital relationship that it has with performers. From among the many hundreds of musicians who annually perform Canadian music, the CMC has chosen to identify those who have demonstrated an outstanding commitment to the repertoire throughout their distinguished careers, bringing it to national and international audiences through concerts, recordings and broadcasts of the highest calibre.

The CMC, along with its generous partner the National Arts Centre Orchestra, will officially celebrate its 50th Anniversary with a special concert and birthday reception on the evening of **Monday, November 9th, 2009 in Southam Hall at the National Arts Centre** in Ottawa. I sincerely hope that you are able to join us in Ottawa so that we may honour you in person at the 50th Anniversary concert. Please contact our Executive Director Elisabeth Bihl at the CMC National Office (416) 961-6601 ext. 301 to confirm your attendance at the event and discuss arrangements for your travel and accommodation.

With gratitude for all that you have done for Canadian music, and with my very best wishes for all your future endeavours,

I remain  
Sincerely yours,

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