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Event: **Icarus Junior and Icarus Ensemble in concert**
When: **Wednesday, April 30 at 2:00 pm: Icarus Junior**
Thursday, May 1 at 12:00 pm: Icarus Ensemble
Where: **Crowden Music Center, 1475 Rose Street (at Sacramento), Berkeley**
Admission: **Entrance is free**

On April 30 at 2:00 pm, a group of young musicians aged 9 to 12 called Icarus Junior will perform a piece entitled *Prove di volo / Test Flight*, which was written by young composers using traditional and electronic instruments. The concert includes brief videos of interviews with the composers, including Andrea Agostini, Paolo Aralla, Riccardo Nova, and Walter Prati, produced by Martin Fabrik.

In the second concert on May 1 at 12:00 pm, the Icarus Ensemble performs music by contemporary composers including Sylvano Bussotti, Paolo Castaldi, Francesco Filidei, Steve Reich and Philip Corner.

These two concerts by Italy's Icarus Ensemble, one of Europe's leading contemporary music groups, is presented by the Italian Cultural Institute with Sonora (part of Federazione CEMAT), the Teatri Foundation of Reggio Emilia, and the Cultural Office of the city of Reggio Emilia with the support of the regional government of Emilia Romagna and Reggio Children.

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