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# **UPCOMING CONCERTS**



December 19, 2016
Nazareth, Israel
With special guest
Sir Andras Schiff
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February 12, 2017



### **Special Visit From Yair Dalal**

International Israeli musician Yair Dalal joined two Arab and two Jewish Polyphony musicians to perform a beautiful concert in Nazareth on October 31.

Dalal is an accomplished violinist and oud player of Iraqi-Jewish decent whose music draws from Arab and Jewish traditions as well as European classical music. His song "Time for Peace" is performed here with Lubna Salama.

Dallas, Texas With special guest

#### **David Broza**

For more information

## The Other Israel Film Festival



The JCC in Manhattan is hosting its 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Other

"The young people told me in rehearsal that they could not master the Arab 7-beat rhythm of one of the pieces. I said, 'Don't think too much!' and after 30 minutes of improvisation they were playing it. It was beautiful."

"I was embarrassed at first," related 19 year-old violist Ella Bukszpan, "especially in front of my fellow Arab musicians. But I saw that they were accepting that I did not know and they did not judge me. We learn from each other and we play well with each other."

### Scholar-in-Residence Seminar