

SOUNDBOARD

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Vieaux Chosen for USIA Tour

Jason Vieaux, winner of the 1992 Guitar Foundation of America International Guitar Competition, has been chosen to be an Artistic Ambassador of the United States for 1995-96 by the U.S. Information Agency. On October and November, he will give concerts at U.S. embassies in India, Nepal, Thailand, Bangladesh, Laos, and Cambodia. The 21-year-old Vieaux has also completed his bachelor degree studies with John Holmquist at the Cleveland Institute of Music in Ohio. While finishing school, he continued to give several concerts around the country, and in February and April of 1994 made his debut with the Cleveland Orchestra performing the Rodrigo *Concierto de Aranjuez* under Jahja Ling and Gareth Morrell. He is currently scheduling performances for next season, and in May will make a recording for Naxos Records.

