

## **The Abe Torchinsky ICSOM Emeritus Program**

The Abe Torchinsky ICSOM Emeritus Program was established in 1983 upon the suggestion of Abe Torchinsky, former member of the Philadelphia Orchestra. He served as administrator of the ICSOM Emeritus Program from 1983 to 2003. The program is now administered by Mary Plaine of the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra.

Under the Abe Torchinsky ICSOM Emeritus program, musicians who have reached age 60 and who have retired from full-time active orchestra playing with at least 10 years of service in ICSOM orchestras are eligible to receive complimentary copies of *Senza Sordino* and the *ICSOM Directory* and to be listed in the directory if they wish.

ICSOM delegates are asked to provide eligible musicians who have retired from their orchestras with Abe Torchinsky ICSOM Emeritus application forms.

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## Abe Torchinsky Emeritus Program Application

Requirements for Emeritus membership:

- at least 60 years of age
- at least 10 years of employment in ICSOM orchestra(s)
- no longer a regular member of any ICSOM orchestra

Benefits of Emeritus membership:

- a subscription to Senza Sordino
- a listing in the ICSOM Directory
- a copy of the ICSOM Directory
- continuing involvement in the national community of orchestra musicians

Check on the line if you  
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in the ICSOM Directory:

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Please return this form to your orchestra's ICSOM delegate, or send it to:

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