

Nicole Peragine, *Violist and Conductor*



Violist and Conductor Nicole Peragine is beginning her second year of orchestral and AP music theory instruction at Pinecrest High School in Southern Pines, NC. Ms. Peragine received her Bachelor of Music Education at the Crane School of Music and her Master of Music from the UNCG School of music in viola performance. She has attended the Max Aronoff Viola Institute, Brevard Music Center, and Mark Wood Rock Orchestra Camp. While a student at the Crane School of Music she was a Presidential Scholar Grant recipient and while at UNCG she taught at the NYASTA Summer String Institute. Currently, she plays viola for the Fayetteville Symphony and Carolina Philharmonic. During the summer of 2010, Ms. Peragine participated as an education writer for the North Carolina Symphony's *Friday Favorite* concert series. Most recently she has been invited to conduct the String Ensemble and act as the Teacher Coordinator for Conservatory International based out of Pinehurst, NC.