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# Viola Concerto [Cello] / Suite for viola and orchestra

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Timothy Ridout gives us the opportunity to discover the splendid viola version of Elgar's famous Cello Concerto – an arrangement approved by the composer, who conducted its premiere in 1930. In addition to this deeply moving work, he gives us a powerful, poetic reading of Bloch's all too rarely performed Suite for Viola and Orchestra, in which the Swiss composer indulged his fascination with the Orient.

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## Composers

- Sir Edward Elgar
- Ernest Bloch

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*Transcription for viola and orchestra by Lionel TERTIS (1876-1975)*

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