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The Tokyo String Quartet, now in its 25th season, will perform at 8 p.m. Feb. 5, in the University of California, San Diego's Mandeville Auditorium.

Tickets for this event are \$18 for general admission and may be purchased at the UCSD Price Center Box Office or from TicketMaster outlets.

The program will be: Beethoven: Quartet in F Major, Op. 18, No. 1; Janacek: Quartet No. 1 "Kreutzer"; and Dvorak: Quartet in F Major, Op. 96 "American".

Members of the quartet are Peter Oundjian and Kikuei Ikeda, violinists; Kazuhide Isomura, violist; and Sadao Harada, cellist.

Since its founding in 1969, the Tokyo String Quartet has become known for its technical command, and the commitment and intensity its members bring to the ensemble.

While continuing to be artists-in-residence at Yale University and at the University of Cincinnati College Conservatory of Music, the quartet maintains a heavy touring schedule, in the United States and abroad, and records actively on BMG Classics/RCA Red Seal label.

The quartet has recorded the complete quartets of Schubert and Beethoven. Recently released were the Mozart Viola Quintets and Beethoven's Opus 29 Quintet with Pinchas Zukerman. Recordings of Bartok, Brahms, Debussy, Dvorak, Haydn, Mozart, Ravel and Schubert have earned the quartet such honors as the Grand Prix du Disque Montreux and "Best Chamber Music Recording of the Year" awards from Gramophone and Stereo Review publications, and four Grammy nominations.

This event is brought to San Diego by the UCSD University Events Office. For more information call 534-4090.

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