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2013-2014 Season
CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC



Welcome to the 2013-2014 season. As dean of the Conservatory of Music, I greet the season with unabated enthusiasm and excitement. The talented musicians and extraordinary performing faculty at Lynn represent the future of the performing arts, and you, the patrons, pave the road to their artistic success through your presence and generosity.

— Jon Robertson, Dean

There are a number of ways by which you can help us fulfill our mission:

FRIENDS OF THE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

The Friends of the Conservatory of Music raise significant funds for the conservatory through annual giving and special events. This dedicated group provides financial resources for annual and endowed scholarships and other conservatory needs.



By becoming a Friend, you provide financial support through endowed scholarships for talented and deserving students; or, you can designate your donation for the Conservatory of Music to use where the need is greatest. Because of your gifts, students

at Lynn will have opportunities to become noted performers, composers and educators.

By enjoying outstanding music, the Friends of the Conservatory also have the pleasure of associating with others who share their enthusiasm for the conservatory and its mission. The Friends gather through the year for meetings and an annual tea. Musical programs are provided by the faculty and students for these special events.

THE LEADERSHIP SOCIETY OF LYNN UNIVERSITY

With an annual gift of \$2,500 or more during the fiscal year, July 1 to June 30, you will be recognized in The Leadership Society of Lynn University. This premier annual giving society honors donors who recognize the significant impact leadership gifts have in sustaining the excellence of conservatory programs.

ESTATE GIFT

An estate gift will provide for the conservatory in perpetuity. Your estate gift may be made as a gift of appreciate stock, real estate, bequests and/or planned gifts.

Your contribution to the conservatory is tax-deductible. For additional information, please call the development office at 561-237-7745.



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Professional Performance Certificate Recital

Jesse Yukimura, viola

Sheng-Yuan Kuan, piano

Tuesday, December 3rd, 2013 at 7:30 p.m.

Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall

Boca Raton, Florida

Sonata for Viola and Piano

Rebecca Clarke

Impetuoso: Poco agitato

(1886-1979)

Vivace

Adagio – Allegro

Cello Suite No. 1 in G Major, BWV 1007

Johann Sebastian Bach

Prélude

(1685-1750)

Allemande

Courante

Sarabande

Menuets I & II

Gigue

INTERMISSION

Sonata for Viola and Piano, Op. 11 No. 4

Paul Hindemith

Fantasie: Ruhig

(1895-1963)

Theme mit Variationen: Ruhig und einfach, wie ein Volkslied

Finale mit Variationen: Sehr lebhaft

Fantasia for Violin No. 5, TWV 40:18,

Georg Philipp Telemann

arr. Louise Rood

(1681-1767)

Allegro – Presto

Andante

Allegro

Jesse Yukimura grew up near Seattle, Washington, and started playing the viola at age nine. Since then, he has participated in programs that have brought him to concert halls across the country, from Benaroya to Disney to Carnegie, as well as across the Pacific to China and Singapore. Jesse recently received a Master of Music Degree from Lynn Conservatory, where he studies with Professor Ralph Fielding. At Lynn, Jesse has been instrumental in forming the Lynn New Music Ensemble, and sat principal violist of the Lynn Philharmonia in both the 2012-2013 and 2013-2014 seasons. He also performed as a soloist with the orchestra last December as a winner of the 2012 Concerto Competition. Jesse completed his undergraduate work at Oberlin Conservatory, where he studied with Professor Peter Slowik, receiving a Bachelor of Music in viola performance in 2011, along with a Bachelor of Arts in chemistry from Oberlin College. Jesse has a wide range of interests in both the natural sciences and the arts, from particle physics and marine biology to Baroque and Contemporary music. Jesse is returning to Lynn Conservatory this year, pursuing a Professional Performance Certificate, continuing his studies with Professor Fielding.

Pianist **Sheng-Yuan Kuan** has performed at the Kennedy Center, Weill Recital Hall, Taiwan National Concert Hall, and Musikverein in Vienna. She is a featured artist at the Heifetz International Music Institute, KUAF/Fulbright Summer Chamber Music Festival, Baltimore Symphony Orchestra's Chamber Music by Candlelight series, and the Sylvia Adalman Chamber Concert Series at Peabody Conservatory. Tim Smith of the Baltimore Sun praised Ms. Kuan as "(having) admirable technical finesse and expressive flair at the piano." Ms. Kuan has collaborated with famed musicians such as Nobuko Imai, Stefan Jackiw, Espen Lilleslatten, Richard Stolzman, KengYuen Tseng, Time for Three, and members of the Borromeo and Parker Quartets and Apollo Trio. She also made appearances at music festivals such as Bowdoin, Aria, Sarasota, Yellow Barn, Gijon Piano Festival and Norfolk Summer Music Festival. Ms. Kuan has received accolades from many competitions, including the 13th Beethoven Piano Competition in Vienna (Best Female Pianist Award, 2009), the 12th Taipei Chopin International Piano Competition (3rd Prize, 2008), Corpus Christi International Competition in Texas (2nd Prize, 2008), and New York Kosciuszko Chopin Piano Competition (3rd Prize, 2003). She was also the recipient of Honolulu Morning Music Club Scholarship, Peabody Conservatory's Career Development Grant, Chamber Music Awards and Accompanying Assistantship. Currently serving as the collaborative pianist at Lynn University, Ms. Kuan holds degrees from the Yale School of Music and the Manhattan School of Music. She is a candidate of the Doctor of Musical Arts degree at the Peabody Conservatory under the guidance of Professor Boris Slutsky. For more information please visit Kuanpiano.weebly.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS

“Great Duos” – Carol Cole, violin and David Cole, cello

Thursday, Dec. 5 – 7:30 p.m.

Location: Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall \$20

Come share in the life and love of music with Carol and David Cole. Help them celebrate 40 years of making beautiful music together. The concert will feature duo works by Bach, Vivaldi, Ravel and Kodály.

Master of Music Recital – Winnie Soekojo, piano

Friday, Dec. 6 – 12:30 p.m.

Location: Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall FREE

Preparatory School of Music Recital

Saturday, Dec. 7 – 10am

Location: Keith C. and Elaine Johnson Wold Performing Arts Center FREE

You are cordially invited to attend a recital featuring students of all ages and levels from our preparatory program as they share their accomplishments in voice, piano and a variety of other instruments.