



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 taxdeducible. For additional information, please call the development office at 561-237-7745.



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Bachelor of Music Recital Jie Ren, piano Tuesday January 21, 2014 at 7:30 p.m. Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall Boca Raton, Fla.

## Piano Sonata in A minor, D. 845

Franz Schubert

(1797-1828)

Moderato

Andante poco moto

Scherzo: Allegro vivace - Trio: Un poco più lento

Rondo: Allegro vivace

### **INTERMISSION**

Ballade No. 4 in F Minor, Op. 52

Frédéric Chopin (1810-1849)

**Spring Dance** 

**Yiqiang Sun** (b. 1945)

Jie Ren was a National Finalist in the MTNA-Steinway Young Artist Competition after being declared winner of the Florida-MTNA Young Artist Competition and winner of the MTNA Southern Division Young Artist Competition. She was born in China and started to study the piano at age four. Currently she studies at the Lynn University Conservatory of Music in Boca Raton, Florida with Roberta Rust in pursuit of a Bachelor's degree. Last fall she was a finalist in the Ars Flores Concerto Competition and 2011 LYNN Concerto competition. This past summer she attended the Chautauqua Festival in upstate New York and was a finalist at the festival's piano competition. Jie also attended the Rebecca Penneys Piano Festival. She studied previously at the Affiliated Music Middle School of the Sichuan Conservatory of Music with Professor Daxin Zheng. Jie won first prize at "The 13th American Oberlin International Piano Festival, Sichuan Selection Competition" and later received a grant from the committee to attend the International Piano Festival at Oberlin in 2007. She won third place in the Thomas & Evon Cooper International Piano Competition, the China Selection Competition in 2009 and 2010, and also took part in the Second Chinese-American International Piano Institute, where she was invited to perform at the final concert of the festival as one of the outstanding performers.

# Upcoming events

Phillip Evans Piano Master Class Wednesday, Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> - 10am to 12pm

Location: Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall FREE

Phillip Evans has concertized and given master classes throughout the world. Currently a member of the Lynn faculty, he has served on the faculties of the Juilliard and Manhattan schools of music. A recipient of the Loeb Award, as the "outstanding pianist" of his graduating class at Juilliard, Evans also studied at the Cherubini Conservatory in Italy. He was awarded Fulbright and Rockefeller Foundation grants, won the Gold Medal at the Vercelli International Piano Competition, placed second in the Naumburg, and was appointed Artistic Ambassador for the United States.

Guest Pianist Weekend with Philip Fowke Philip Fowke in Recital - "The Art of Encore" Saturday, Jan. 25 – 7:30 p.m.

Location: Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall \$20

Pianist Philip Fowke presents a program associated with some of the great pianists of the past. Music of Chopin, Dohnanyi, Grieg, Moszkowski, Paderewski, and Sinding, will be included, as well as some lesser-known gems. Fowke will introduce and perform these works, giving something of their background and his personal association with them and the pianists who played them.

Philip Fowke, known for his many BBC Promenade Concert appearances, numerous recordings and broad range of repertoire, has appeared in many of the major concert halls worldwide with leading conductors including Vladimir Ashkenazy, Sir Simon Rattle and Gennadi Rozhdestvensky. Fowke has made recordings for EMI, Lyrita, Unicorn, CRD, Chandos and Naxos which include the concertos of Addinsell, Bliss, Delius, Hoddinnott, Rachmaninoff, Ravel and Tchaikowsky. He has also recorded the complete Chopin Waltzes, Chopin Sonatas, and Rachmaninoff's Piano Concerto No. 2 and the Paganini Rhapsody with the RPO conducted by Yuri Temirkanov on EMI. Philip Fowke has recently performed with The Prince Consort in the Wigmore Hall, Cheltenham Festival, and the Concertgebouw Amsterdam.

Philip Fowke Piano Masterclass Sunday, January 26, 2014 at 10 am and 1 pm Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall

**FREE** 

Bachelor of Music Junior Recital - Yordan Teney, violin

Tuesday, January 28 5:30 p.m.

Location: Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall

Bachelor of Music Senior Recital - Zhen-Yang Yu, violin

Tuesday, January 28 7:30 p.m.

Location: Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall

4th Annual Collaborative Spotlight: The Miami Brass Quintet

Wednesday, Jan. 29 – 7:30pm

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

Come witness the premiere performance of the Miami Brass. The group is made up of some of today's most sought after brass players, including present and former members of the Dallas, Boston and Empire Brass Quintets. These five musicians are well known for thrilling audiences with their virtuosity and captivating artistry. If you love brass music, this will be a concert to remember!