UPCOMING EVENTS

DEAN'S SHOWCASE No. 3
Thursday, Feb. 17 at 7:30 p.m.
An exposition of various delightful solo and chamber works performed exclusively by the conservatory’s finest young musicians.
Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall
$10

LYNN PHILHARMONIA No. 5
Jon Robertson, guest conductor
Saturday, Feb. 19 – 7:30 p.m. | Sunday, Feb. 20 – 4 p.m.
Beethoven: Piano Concerto No. 5 in E-flat Major, op. 73 (“Emperor”):
Roberta Rust, piano; Dvorak: Symphony No. 6 in D Major, op. 60
Keith C. and Elaine Johnson Wold Performing Arts Center
Box: $50 | Orchestra: $40 | Mezzanine: $35

STUDENT RECITALS
Tuesday, Feb. 22
3:30 p.m. Aaron Heine: Junior Trumpet recital
5:30 p.m. Adam Diderrich: Master of Music Violin recital
7:30 p.m. Silvia Suarez: Master of Music Violin recital
Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall
FREE

STUDENT RECITAL
Wednesday, Feb. 23
3:30 p.m. Felecia Besan: Senior Viola recital
Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall
FREE

COLLABORATIVE SPOTLIGHT: DUO PIANISTS LEONARD AND SHEN
Thursday, Feb. 24 at 7:30 p.m.
This project has been possible by the National Endowment for the Arts as part of American Masterpieces: Three Centuries of Artistic Genius.
The inaugural collaborative spotlight event, piano faculty members Yang Shen and Lisa Leonard team up in a program featuring the most elegant and virtuosic repertoire for two pianos.
Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall
$20 or $93 for the entire series (a savings of 25%)

STUDENT RECITALS
Friday, Feb. 25
3:30 p.m. Carlos Felipe Vina: Master of Music Basson recital
Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall
FREE

When talent meets inspiration, the results are extraordinary.

Master of Music Recital
Valeriya Polunina, piano
Tuesday, Feb. 15, 2011
7:30 p.m.
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Boca Raton, FL

Carnaval, op. 9

Robert Schumann
(1810 – 1856)

INTERMESSION

Sonata No.2 in F Major, op. 10

L. van Beethoven
(1770 - 1827)

Etudes-Tableaux, op. 33

Sergei Rachmaninoff
(1873 - 1943)

Etudes-Tableaux, op. 33

No. 1 F Minor
No. 2 C Major
No. 3 C Minor
No. 4 A Minor
No. 5 D Minor
No. 6 E-flat Minor "Blizzard"
No. 7 E-flat Major "Scene at the Fair"
No. 8 G Minor
No. 9 C-sharp Minor

Russian pianist, Valeriya Polunina, was born into an artist family in Tashkent, Uzbekistan, and began concertizing internationally before she was a teenager. Since making her orchestral debut at the age of 15 with Russian's renowned BACH Chamber Orchestra Mrs. Polunina has achieved a graceful transition from a child to a mature artist of both technical prowess and elegant artistry. A resident of Moscow (Russia) Mrs. Polunina is an Honorable winner of the “Russian Performing Art” Scholarship Award. Valeriya Polunina’s 2008-2009 season began with a First Place victory at the “Elizabeth Harper Vaughn Concerto Competition” (2009, Tennessee). She is also a winner of Concerto Competition at Lynn University (2008, Florida and 2010, Florida); a prize-winner of the London International Piano Competition (2003, England). Mrs. Polunina has appeared as a soloist with many orchestras such as Treasure Coast Symphony, Symphony of the Mountains, and Lynn Philharmonia. For the past two years she has been collaborating with conductors of great stature among who are Jon Robertson, Albert Schram, Cornelia Kodkani-Laemmli, and Terence Kirchgessner. In addition, a chamber music enthusiast, Mrs. Polunina has jointly worked as a member of various chamber ensembles. She is a member of Palm Trio that was a finalist of the 63rd Annual Coleman Chamber Ensemble Competition. Mrs. Polunina has participated in numerous music festival where she was repeatedly awarded with Full scholarship among which are International Keyboard Institute and Festival at Mannes and Tel-Hai International Piano Festival. Mrs. Polunina received her Bachelor’s and Master’s degree at the Gnessin’s Academy of Music in Moscow under Marina Drozdova (who is one of few students of Professor Mariya Yudina). She is currently pursuing Master of Music degree at the Lynn University Conservatory of Music in Florida where she studies with renowned Professor - Roberta Rust. In addition to her performing career, Mrs. Polunina is presently serving as a teacher of secondary piano class at the Lynn University Conservatory of Music.