When talent meets inspiration, the results are extraordinary.

Tuesday, February 17, 2009
7:30 p.m.
Suite Italienne
   Introduction
   Serenade
   Tarantella
   Gavotta con due variazioni
   Menuetto ed Finale

Sonata for Piano and Violin, Op. 78
   Vivace ma non troppo
   Adagio
   Allegro molto moderato

Intermission

Sonata for Piano and Violin, Op. 24, "Spring"
   Allegro
   Adagio molto espressivo
   Scherzo
   Rondo

Short pieces to be announced from stage
Marcoantonio Real-d'Arbelles began studying the violin at the age 11 at Hammocks Middle School in Miami. He also studied privately with Phillip Blythe and Susan Fink, former violinist with the Florida Philharmonic. He then attended Coral Reef Senior High School under the tutelage of Dr. Alan Hudson. Here he took part in the magnet music program, before enrolling to the Lynn University Conservatory of Music in 2002, earning his Bachelor of Music in Violin Performance under the guidance of Professor Sergiu Schwartz. Marcoantonio was a member of the South Florida Youth Symphony and took part in numerous orchestral, chamber, and solo performances. He has participated in Florida's All State Orchestra, as well as Miami-Dade County Public School's Superintendent's Honors Music Festival for four years and held the position of Concertmaster for the festival’s orchestra. He has attended music festivals in North America, Europe, and the Caribbean, including Bowdoin International Music Festival in Maine, Killington Music Festival in Vermont, Luzerne Music Festival in New York, and the International Music Festival in Vienna. He has performed concerts in Florence, Munich, Rome, Spain, Salzburg, Vienna, and Venice. In 2006, Marcoantonio had engagements in Nicaragua as a soloist and recitalist to promote classical music in the Central American country. In 2007, he also participated in a benefit concert of the United Nations Women Aids World Tour. Marcoantonio Real-d'Arbelles is working on his Master of Music in Violin Performance at the Conservatory of Music at Lynn University where he studies with Professor Carol Cole.

Zhou Jiang, pianist, was born in Kunming, Yunnan Province, China in 1986. Ms. Jiang started to learn piano at the age of 5. She obtained the China Musicians’ Association’s Piano Performance Level 10 for Amateurs (Highest Level) at thirteen. Due to her excellence in piano, she had a chance to perform in six European countries in 1998. In 2004, she studied as an undergraduate student at Shanghai Conservatory of Music, during the past four years study she reputedly play piano accompaniment with classmates and teachers and got the Bachelor degree in 2008. Presently, Ms. Jiang is a PPC (Professional Performance Certificate) student at Lynn University Conservatory, studying collaborative piano with Professor Tao Lin.
Dongfang Zhang, pianist, was born in Suzhou, Jiangsu Province, China in 1984. Mr. Zhang started to learn piano at the age of 4. He studied in a high school affiliated to Nanjing Arts Institute when he was 15 years old with Professor Chuan Qin. In 2003, he studied as an undergraduate student at Shanghai Normal University. He studied with Professor Meige Lee during the whole 4 years and got the Bachelor degree in 2007. He participated in various concerts and competitions since 12. Mr. Zhang obtained the Shanghai Musicians’ Association's Piano Performance Level 10 for Amateurs (Highest Level) at 13. He performed many famous pieces in various concerts at the prestigious Lyceum Theatre, Shanghai. As a young pianist, Mr. Zhang obtained many prizes, such as the 4th Pearlriver Cup National Music Contest for Music Major Students in China. Presently, Mr. Zhang is a PPC (Professional Performance Certificate) student at Lynn University Conservatory, studying collaborative piano with Tao Lin.

Thursday, February 19
ELMAR OLIVEIRA AND FRIENDS
Come and join Lynn’s Distinguished Artist in Residence, violinist Elmar Oliveira, and his esteemed faculty colleagues for an exciting evening of diverse chamber music.
Time: 7:30 p.m.  
Tickets: $25  
Location: Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall

David Balko, piano technician