



David Brill, violin

Professional Performance Certificate Recital

Thursday, March 31, 2022

2021-2022 Season

David Brill, violin

Dr. Sheng-Yuan Kuan, piano

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Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall

Program

Rosary (Mystery) Sonata No. 1 in D minor, C. 90 Heinrich Ignaz Franz von Biber
The Annunciation (1644 – 1704)

Megan Savage, cello

Poeme, Op. 25

Ernst Chausson
(1855 – 1899)

Sonata No. 6 in E major, Op.27

Eugène Ysaÿe
(1858 – 1931)

INTERMISSION

Sonata No. 2 in D major, Op. 94a

Moderato

Presto

Andante

Allegro con brio

Sergei Prokofiev
(1891 – 1953)

Tamborin Chinois, Op. 3

Fritz Kreisler
(1875 – 1962)

*David Brill's instrument was provided by a scholarship grant from the Virtu
Foundation*

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David Brill

David Brill was born in North Kansas City, Missouri. He began his violin studies at the age of three years old. He has studied violin with Joseph Silverstein, Matitiahu Braun Rimma Bergeron-Langlois, Elmar Oliveira, and Kimberly Fisher. He currently studies with Professor Carol Cole at the Lynn University Conservatory. He also participated in masterclasses with Rachel Barton Pine, Leon Fleisher, Linda Cerone, and Joshua Bell, as well as with members of the Penderecki Quartet and the Emerson Quartet.

David is currently a member of the following professional orchestras: the Orlando Philharmonic Orchestra, Disney World Orchestra, and the Brevard Symphony Orchestra. In 2013, David won a full scholarship to the Boston University Tanglewood Institute. In the summer of 2015, David participated in the Philadelphia International Music Festival (PIMF), where he won the grand prize for the concerto competition, which included a performance of the Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto with the Ocean City Pops Orchestra. He also won the Bach Double competition at PIMF with his performance of the third movement of the Bach Double, which he played with a member of the Philadelphia Orchestra conducted by Cristian Marcelaru.

In 2016, David won first prize in the Lynn University Concerto Competition in which he performed as a soloist playing the Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto with the Lynn Philharmonic Orchestra.

David is also a three-time winner of the Lynn University Chamber Music Competition partnering with the Lyric Chamber Music Society of New York City. As a prize for winning this competition, David's string quartet performed at the Kosciuszko Foundation in New York City in 2017 and his trio performed there in 2018.

In February of 2018, David one first prize in the International Music Competition "Vienna" Grand Prize Virtuoso, and was invited to perform at the Glaserner Saal, Musikverein (Vienna, Austria).

In March of 2018, David won first prize in the Golden Classical Music Awards Competition, and he gave his solo debut at Carnegie Hall on November 2, 2018.

In May of 2020, David graduated with his Bachelor of Music degree in Violin Performance, Summa Cum Laude, from Lynn University, and was also awarded the M. Elizabeth Maddy Cumpton Award for Outstanding Conservatory Student of Strings at Lynn University.

In January 2022, David received an honorable mention in the Nomea International Violin Competition. David is currently pursuing a Professional Performance Certificate in Violin Performance with Professor Carol Cole at Lynn University

Dr. Sheng-Yuan Kuan

Praised for her "admirable technical finesse and expressive flair" (Baltimore Sun), pianist Sheng-Yuan Kuan has garnered enthusiastic receptions for her solo and chamber music performances at the Kennedy Center, Weill Recital Hall, Taiwan National Concert Hall, Musikverein in Vienna, and various music festivals and concert series throughout the US. Dr. Kuan is on the faculty of Lynn University Conservatory of Music, the Heifetz International Music Institute, and Rushmore Music Festival.

Megan Savage

Megan Savage is a graduate of Stetson University where she studied with David Bjella and Dr. Jamie Clark. She currently substitutes with Orlando Philharmonic, Brevard Symphony, and Venice Symphony, and has performed with Yuja Wang, Michael Tilson-Thomas, Andrea Bocelli, Joshua Bell, and Gil Shaham. Megan studies with David Cole at Lynn Conservatory of Music, where she is pursuing her MM degree



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– Jon Robertson, dean

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