



Carlos Avendano Garcia, violin

Bachelor of Music Junior Recital

Thursday, March 31, 2022

2021-2022 Season

Carlos Avendano Garcia, violin

Dr. Sheng-Yuan Kuan, piano

Thursday, March 31, 8:00 p.m.
Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall

Program

Violin Sonata in G major, K. 301
Allegro con spirito
Allegro

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
(1756 – 1791)

Spanish Dances Op. 26
Dance No. 1 in A minor

Pablo de Sarasate
(1844 – 1908)

Violin Sonata No. 2
Allegretto
Blues
Motto Perpetuo

Maurice Ravel
(1875 – 1937)

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Carlos Avendano Garcia

Carlos Avendano Garcia was born in Bogotá, Columbia. He began his musical studies at the age of 10 in his hometown. In 2018 he was accepted to attend Interlochen Arts Academy, where he studied with Paul Sonner and Leslie B. Dunner.

Over the years, Carlos has made appearances as a soloist or conductor with various orchestras including: Lithuanian State Symphony Orchestra, National Youth Orchestra of Columbia, Lynn Philharmonia, and the Javeriana Symphony Orchestra.

Carlos is currently pursuing his bachelor's degree in Violin Performance with Professor Carol Cole, and studying orchestral conducting with Guillermo Figueroa.

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. Sheng-Yuan's collaborations with renowned musicians such as Nobuko Imai, Stefan Jackiw, Stephen Taylor, Espen Lilleslatten, Richard Stolzman, Keng-Yuen Tseng, Chad Hoopes, members of the Parker Quartet and Apollo Trio, Sir Angel Romero, Time for Three, and Latin Grammy Award winning flautist Nestor Torres, reflect her passion in making chamber music of eclectic styles.

Born in Taipei, Taiwan, Sheng-Yuan relocated to America to further her music education. She holds a D.M.A. degree from the Peabody Conservatory, M.M. degree from Yale School of Music, and B.M. degree from the Manhattan School of Music, studying with famous pedagogues like Boris Slutsky, Peter Frankl, Scott McCarrey and Constance Keene. She obtained awards at competitions worldwide, 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), New York Kosciuszko Chopin Piano Competition (3rd Prize, 2003), and BYU-Hawaii Concerto Competition (Winner, 2000). She was also the recipient of Honolulu Morning Music Club Scholarship, Peabody Institute of Music's Career Development Grant, Chamber Music Award and Accompanying Assistantship.

Currently a resident in south Florida, Sheng-Yuan performs regularly as a member of A's Duo, Con Brio Ensemble, Scherzo Trio, Trio Rodin, and South Florida Chamber Ensemble. She serves as piano faculty at the Heifetz International Music Institute as well as staff collaborative pianist and adjunct keyboard instructor at Lynn University Conservatory of Music in Boca Raton, FL.



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– Jon Robertson, dean

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