

American Masterpieces Chamber Music



National Calendar June 2008–October 2009

Since late spring 2008, when the National Endowment for the Arts announced the first round of American Masterpieces: Chamber Music grant recipients, concert audiences have been treated to a steady stream of ensemble works by U.S.-based composers, past and present. These events have included performances in a wide range of venues, as well as residencies, master-classes, and in-school educational activities. A second season of American Masterpieces projects is now underway, and the application deadline for a third round of grants is imminent. (See www.nea.gov.)

Following is a national calendar of American Masterpieces-related performances and events, compiled from data we received before July 1, 2009. The calendar will continue to be updated, both in this magazine, and on the Chamber Music America website. We welcome your additions, corrections and revisions at magazine@chamber-music.org.

*Some programming or dates may have changed since the concert information was first reported to CMA.

June

JUNE 2-14 Vinalhaven, ME

PRESENTER **Seal Bay Festival of American Chamber Music** WORKS Sebastian Currier, *Quiet Time* (for string quartet); Libby Larsen, *She Wrote* (for string quartet); Sally Lamb, *Subito* (for violin, cello and piano) Kay Kyurim Rhie, *Three Miniatures* ARTISTS Cassatt String Quartet; Muneo Otani, violin; Nicole Johnson, cello; Adrienne Kim, piano www.sealbayfestival.org

JUNE 8 Fernandina Beach, FL (Macedonia AME Church)

PRESENTER **Amelia Island Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Samuel Barber, Cello Sonata; Libby Larsen, *Schoenberg, Schenker and Schillinger*; Peter Schickele, Piano Quintet ARTISTS Kwan Yi, piano; Boram Kang, violin; So Jin Kim, violin; Lee, viola; Yu Wen Wang, cello; and students from Curtis, Juilliard, and Cleveland conservatories www.aicmf.org

JUNE 11 Fernandina Beach, FL (Savannah Grand Assisted Living Facility)

PRESENTER **Amelia Island Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM George Gershwin, selections from *Porgy and Bess*; Samuel Barber, Sonata for Cello and Piano, Op. 6, 1st movement; Leonard Bernstein, selections from *West Side Story*; Peter Schickele, Piano Quintet No. 2, 4th movement ARTISTS 2008 AICMF Resident Fellows

JUNE 12 Fernandina Beach, FL (Family Concert)

PRESENTER **Amelia Island Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Charles Gordon Rex: *Meet Mr. Twink*; Libby Larsen, *The Adventures of Wonderboy, Issue One*; Selections from the music of Raymond Scott. ARTISTS Mark Mobley, narrator; 10 artists and a conductor from the festival's guest artist roster; dancers from Lee Harper & Dancers Company

JUNE 13 St. Paul, MN

PRESENTER **Zeitgeist** PROGRAM Works of Terry Riley, John Cage, and Frederic Rzewski ARTISTS: Zeitgeist ensemble: Heather Barringer, percussion; Patti Cudd, woodwinds; Pat O'Keefe; percussion Shannon Wettstein, piano www.zeitgeist.org

JUNE 13 & 15 Milwaukee, WI

PRESENTER **Bach Dynamite & Dancing Society** PROGRAM Kevin Puts, *Traveler* and *Ritual Protocol* ARTISTS Jeffrey Sykes, piano; Randall Hodgkinson, piano; Suzanne Beia, violin; Katrin Talbot, viola; Parry Karp, cello; Stephanie Jutt, flute; Doris Hall-Gulati, clarinet; Dane Richeson, percussion; Amy Schendel, trumpet; Timothy Jones, baritone www.bachddsoc.org

JUNE 14 & 15 Milwaukee, WI

PRESENTER **Bach Dynamite & Dancing Society** PROGRAM Kevin Puts, *And Legions Will Rise* and *Einstein on Mercer Street* ARTISTS Jeffrey Sykes, piano; Randall Hodgkinson, piano; Suzanne Beia, violin; Katrin Talbot, viola; Parry Karp, cello; Stephanie Jutt, flute; Doris Hall-Gulati, clarinet; Dane Richeson, percussion; Amy Schendel, trumpet; Timothy Jones, baritone

JUNE 14-18 Detroit, MI & environs

PRESENTER **Great Lakes Chamber Music Society** PROGRAM John Harbison, selections from *The Violist's Notebook*, *Mirabai Songs*, and Piano Trio No. 2; Joan Tower, *Tres Lent*, Trio ("For Daniel"), *Holding a Daisy*, *Or Like a...an Engine*; John Corigliano, *Soliloquy*, Sonata for Violin and Piano, *Chiaroscuro*; William Bolcom: *Graceful Ghost Rag*, Selected Cabaret Songs, *The Poltergeist*, *Ballade*, Piano Quintet ARTISTS Trio Lunaire, Rachel Gottlieb, soprano; Edward Auer, piano; Paul Katz, cello; Edward Auer, piano; Josh Ulrich, violin; Sara Sant'Ambrogio, cello; James Tocco, piano; Ursula Oppens, piano; Anthony McGill, clarinet; Amernet String Quartet; Ida Kavafian, violin; Jeremy Denk, piano; Cecilia String Quartet

JUNE 20 & 22 Milwaukee, WI

PRESENTER **Bach Dynamite & Dancing Society** PROGRAM David Baker, *Roots 2*; Paul Schoenfield, *Souvenirs* ARTISTS Jeffrey Sykes, piano; Christopher Taylor, piano; Irina Muresanu, violin; Ara Gregorian, viola; Jean-Michel Fonteneau, cello; Stephanie Jutt, flute

JUNE 27 Milwaukee, WI

PRESENTER **Bach Dynamite & Dancing Society** PROGRAM Aaron Jay Kernis, *100 Greatest Dance Hits*, ARTISTS Jeffrey Sykes, piano; Aaron Jay Kernis, piano; Axel Strauss, violin; Daria Adams, violin; Anja Strauss, soprano; David Harding, viola; Joseph Johnson, cello; Stephanie Jutt, flute; David Tanenbaum, guitar; John DeMain, narrator

JUNE 28 & 29 Milwaukee, WI

PRESENTER **Bach Dynamite & Dancing Society** PROGRAM Aaron Jay Kernis, *Two Awakenings* and *a Double Lullaby* and *Four Seasons of Futurist Cuisine* ARTISTS Jeffrey Sykes and Aaron Jay Kernis, piano; Axel Strauss and Daria Adams, violins; Anja Strauss, soprano; David Harding, viola; Joseph Johnson, cello; Stephanie Jutt, flute; David Tanenbaum, guitar; John DeMain, narrator

July

JULY 2 Brunswick, ME

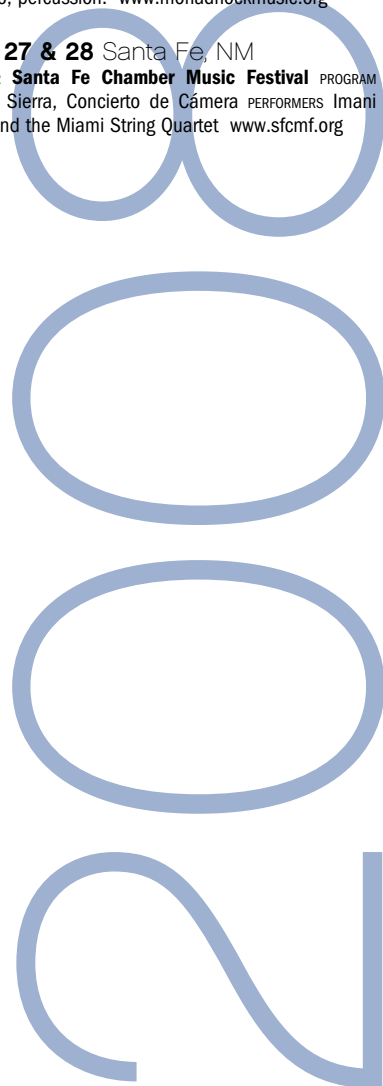
PRESENTER **Bowdoin International Music Festival** PROGRAM Elliott Carter, String Quartet No. 5 ARTIST Amernet Quartet www.summermusic.org

JULY 26 Mt. Monadnock, NH & environs

PRESENTER **Monadnock Music** PROGRAM G. Crumb, *Vox Balenae*; R. Vali, Folk Songs. ARTISTS Eric Pritchard, Hsiao-mei Ku, violin; Jonathan Bagg, viola; David Weiss, Celtic flute and woodwinds; Kevin Kuhn, guitar, dobro; Rahim AlHaj, oud; Laura Gilbert, piccolo, electric and alto flutes; Steven Jackson, clarinet; Rafael Popper-Keizer and Fred Raimi, cello; Emma Tahmizian, piano and electric piano; David Schotzko, percussion. www.monadnockmusic.org

JULY 27 & 28 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Roberto Sierra, *Concierto de Cámara* PERFORMERS Imani Winds and the Miami String Quartet www.sfcmf.org





August

AUGUST 8-9 Mt. Monadnock, NH & environs

PRESENTER **Monadnock Music** PROGRAM J. Cage: *Four Interludes*; J. Schwantner: *Velocities*; G. Crumb: *An Idyll for the Misbegotten*; N. Davis: *Talking to Vasudeva*; PERFORMERS Donald Berman, prepared piano; Douglas Perkins, marimba; Laura Gilbert, electric flute; Nathan Davis, percussion; David Schotko, vibraphone.

AUGUST 17 Mt. Monadnock, NH & environs

PRESENTER **Monadnock Music** PROGRAM P. Schoenfield, *In Memoriam*; R. Shapey, *O Jerusalem*; O. Golijov, *The Dreams and Prayers of Isaac the Blind*. PERFORMERS Ilana Davidson, soprano; Elizabeth Shammash, mezzo-soprano; Ole Bohn, Curtis Macomber, Christina McGann and Steve Miahky, violin; Jonathan Bagg and Elizabeth Weisser, viola; Rafael Popper-Keizer and Christopher Gross, cello; Laura Gilbert, flute; John Gibbons, harpsichord; Allan Ware, clarinet; Jane Hawkins, piano; Robert Black, bass.

AUGUST 18 Saratoga Springs, NY

PRESENTER **Luzerne Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Paul Schoenfield, "Sparks of Glory" for clarinet, violin, piano and cello; Andre Previn, *Love Songs*; Samuel Barber, *Summer Music*; David Baker, *Roots II*; William Grant Still, Trio. ARTISTS David Pasbrig, pianist; Robyn Jones, clarinet; violinists Tara-Louise Montour, Rico McNeela, cellist Troy Chang, Bert Phillips www.luzernemusic.org

AUGUST 20 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Joan Tower, *A Gift* ARTISTS Jeremy Denk, piano; Tara Helen O'Connor, flute; Todd Levy, clarinet; Nancy Goeres, bassoon; and Eric Ruske, horn

AUGUST 24 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Marc Neikrug, *Through Roses* ARTISTS John Rubinstein, actor; Tara Helen O'Connor, flute; Liang Wang, oboe; Todd Levy, clarinet; Pinchas Zukerman, violin; Jethro Marks, viola; Amanda Forsyth, cello; Jeremy Denk, piano; David Tolen, percussion; Marc Neikrug, conductor

September

SEPTEMBER 6 Onion Creek, UT

PRESENTER **Moab Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Derek Bermel, *Soul Garden*, for String Sextet; William Bolcom, Sonata No. 2 for Violin and Piano ("In Memory of Joe Venuti") and Concerto for Clarinet, 2nd Movement (arr. for clarinet & piano); Darius Milhaud, *Saudades do Brasil* (arr. for piano trio); Piano Rags by Scott Joplin, William Bolcom, et al. ARTISTS Andrew Armstrong, piano; William Bolcom, composer-in-residence & piano; Derek Bermel, composer & clarinet; Maria Bachmann, violin; Alexis Pia Gerlach, cello; Leslie Tomkins and LP How, violas; Ayano Ninomiya, violin; Tanya Tomkins, cello www.moabmusicfest.org

SEPTEMBER 14 Dallas/Ft. Worth, TX

PRESENTER **Voices of Change** PROGRAM Robert Frank, String Quartet No. 2 ("para mis amigos Mexicanos") ARTISTS Arthur Busby and Jenny Sweetman, violins; Norbert Gerl, viola; and Francesco Mastromatteo, cello. Concert repeated on **November 3**, 2008, at Pegasus School of Liberal Arts and **April 9**, 2009, at C.A. Tatum, Jr. Elementary School www.voicesofchange.com

SEPTEMBER 27 New York, NY

PRESENTER **Miller Theatre** PROGRAM Peter Lieberman, *Ziji*, Flute Variations, Piano Variations, Concerto for Four Groups of Instruments, Variations for Piano and Violin, *Lalita* Variations ARTISTS The Garuda Ensemble; Jeffrey Milarsky, conductor www.millertheatre.com

October

OCTOBER 3 Boston, MA

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Boston Musica Viva** PROGRAM Theo Loevendie, *The Liberator*; Andy Vores *Leif*; Steven Stucky, *Boston Fancies*; Ellen Taaffe Zwilich, Chamber Symphony; Aaron Copland, Sextet. PERFORMERS Richard Pittman, music director; Ann Bobo, flute; William Kirkley, clarinet; Robert Schulz, percussion; Geoffrey Burleson, piano; Gabriela Diaz and Krista Buckland Reisner, violins; Peter Sulski, viola; Jan Müller-Szeraws, cello; Elizabeth Keusch, soprano; David Kravitz, baritone www.bmv.org

OCTOBER 15-18 Ann Arbor, MI

PRESENTER **Kerrytown Concert House (EdgeFest)** PROGRAM American works ARTISTS Bantam Orchestra Project, Guy Klucevsek (Guy Klucevsek, accordion; Diana Gannett, bass; Katri Ervamaa, cello; Alicia Doudna, violin; Monica Swartout-Bebow, vocals); Trio X; Mark Feldman, violin; Sylvie Courvoisier, piano; Tony Malaby's Cello Trio; String Trio of New York; Jason Kao Hwang's Edge Quartet; Jason Kao Hwang/Spontaneous River; Tamarindo; Prezents; Hamiet Bluiett Quintet www.kerrytownconcerthouse.com

OCTOBER 18 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe New Music** PROGRAM David Lang and the Post-Classicals: David Lang, *Child*; Peter Garland, *War of the Words*; works by Phillip Bimstein for pre-recorded human and feline voices with chamber ensemble.

OCTOBER 19 Fernandina Beach, FL

PRESENTER **Amelia Island Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Leonard Bernstein "New York, New York," "Maria"; Aaron Copland, "I Bought Me a Cat" and "Ching-a-Ring Chaw"; Samuel Barber, *Summer Music*; George Gershwin, Three Preludes (arr. Stewart); Charles Rex, *Three Miniatures*; Arthur Pryor, "Whistler and His Dog"; Scott Joplin, "The Entertainer"; "When the Saints Go Marching In" (arr. Arthur Frackenpohl); J.P. Sousa, "Liberty Bell March, *Stars and Stripes Forever* ARTISTS Atlanta Woodwind Quintet (Alcides Rodriguez, clarinet; Elizabeth Koch, oboe; Carl Nitchie, bassoon; Christina Smith, flute; Brice Andrus, horn; and Christopher Rex, cello) www.aicmf.com

OCTOBER 20 Detroit, MI

PRESENTER **Sphinx Organization, Inc.** PROGRAM Wynton Marsalis, Duke Ellington, et al. ARTISTS Harlem Quartet www.sphinxmusic.org

OCTOBER 21 Detroit, MI

PRESENTER **Sphinx Organization, Inc.** PROGRAM *Lyric* for Strings, George Walker; Generations, Sinfonietta, III, "Alla Burlatta," Coleridge-Taylor Perkinson ARTISTS Harlem Quartet and the Sphinx Chamber Orchestra www.sphinxmusic.org

OCTOBER 26 Lawrence, KS

PRESENTER **Lied Center/University of Kansas** PROGRAM Wynton Marsalis, *At the Octoroon Balls*; Billy Strayhorn, "Take the 'A' Train"; Joaquin Turina, *La Oracion del Torero*. ARTISTS Harlem Quartet www.lied.ku.edu

OCTOBER 26 & 26 New York, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center** PROGRAM *Dreams of Fancy, Tales of Loss*: John Corigliano, *Fancy on a Bach Air*; William Bolcom, *Dream Music No. 2* ARTISTS Ewa Podles, contralto; Kenneth Cooper, harpsichord; Wu Han, piano; Ani Kavafian, Erin Keefe, violins; Paul Neubauer, viola; Julie Albers, David Finckel, cellos; Kurt Muroki, double bass; John Ferrari, Ayano Kataoka, Tom Kolor, percussion www.chambermusicsociety.org

OCTOBER 30 College Park, MD

ARTISTS **Kronos Quartet** PROGRAM George Crumb, *Black Angels* www.kronosquartet.org

November

NOVEMBER 2 San Francisco, CA

PRESENTING ARTISTS **San Francisco Contemporary Music Players** PROGRAM Elliott Carter, *Luimen* ARTISTS San Francisco Contemporary Music Players with soloists Carey Bell, clarinet; Julie Steinberg, piano www.sfcmp.org

NOVEMBER 3 San Francisco, CA

PRESENTING ARTISTS **San Francisco Contemporary Music Players** PROGRAM Mario Davidovsky, *Synchronisms 12*; Reynold Tharp, *Littoral*; Lei Liang, Trio; Elliott Carter, *Luimen*; Mario Diaz de León, *Gated Eclipse*; Dmitri Tymoczko, *Four Dreams* ARTISTS San Francisco Contemporary Music Players, with Carey Bell, clarinet; Julie Steinberg, piano

NOVEMBER 5 Benton Harbor, MI

Opus 21 RESIDENCY PROJECT R. Adams, *Free Fall*; Mark Dancigers, *Thaw*; Dennis DeSantis, *One Trick Pony*; Steve Reich, *New York Counterpoint*; Bill Ryan, *Rapid Assembly*; Frederic Rzewski, *Attica* (J. Moonert, percussion; A. Muhly, cello; H. Schröder, saxophone; G. Secor, percussion; Yu-Lien The, piano; B. Wong, clarinet) www.opus21.org

NOVEMBER 5 New York, NY

PRESENTER **Miller Theatre** PROGRAM Milton Babbitt, complete String Quartets ARTISTS The Zukofsky Quartet www.millertheatre.com

NOVEMBER 6-8 Northfield, MN

(St. Olaf College)

ARTISTS **American Brass Quintet** PROGRAMS Gordon Beefferman, Brass Quintet; David Sampson, *Entrance*; Joan Tower, *Copperwave*

NOVEMBER 9-10 Louisville, KY

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NOVEMBER 11-13 Provo, UT

ARTISTS **American Brass Quintet** PROGRAMS Joan Tower, *Copperwave*; David Sampson, *Entrance*

NOVEMBER 15 Rhinebeck, NY

ARTISTS **American Brass Quintet** PROGRAMS Joan Tower, *Copperwave*; David Sampson, *Entrance*

NOVEMBER 12 New York, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **New York New Music Ensemble** PROGRAM Elliott Carter, Triple Duo www.nynme.org

NOVEMBER 12 Chicago, IL

PRESENTER **University of Chicago Presents** PROGRAM Complete Babbitt String Quartets ARTISTS Zukofsky Quartet www.chicagopresents.uchicago.edu

NOVEMBER 14 Boston, MA

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Boston Musica Viva** PROGRAM *Credo in US: An American Kaleidoscope*: Childs, *Rilke Songs*; John Huggler, *Capriccio sregolato*; John Cage, *Credo in U.S.*; Donald Harris, *Ludus II*; Ezra Sims, *Four Land-scapes* PERFORMERS Richard Pittman, music director; Ann Bobo, flute; William Kirkley, clarinet; Robert Schulz and Dean Anderson, percussion; Randall Hodgkinson, piano; Bayla Keyes, violin; Peter Sulski, viola; Jan Müller-Szeraws, cello www.bmv.org

NOVEMBER 14 New York, NY

ARTISTS **The Western Wind Vocal Ensemble** PROGRAM Philip Glass, *Vessels*; Batéy; Tania León & Michel Camilo, *Basket Rondo*; Meredith Monk; *Maternity Ward*; William Bolcom, *Late Show*; S.A. Ward, *America the Beautiful*; Leonard Bernstein, "America"; Ellington, Gershwin and more. www.westernwind.org

NOVEMBER 16 Dallas/Fort Worth, TX

PRESENTER **Voices of Change** PROGRAM Jerod I. Tate, *Spirit Chief Names the Animal People* ARTISTS Helen Blackburn, flute/piccolo; Jonathan Jones, clarinet/bass clarinet; Peter Grenier, bassoon; Marko Pavlovic, piano; and Jerod Tate, narrator. Program repeated 11/17 at Booker T. Washington High School for the Performing and Visual Arts and Greiner Middle School Arts Magnet www.voicesofchange.com

NOVEMBER 16 Dallas/Fort Worth, TX

PRESENTER **Voices of Change** PROGRAM Anne Strickland's *Invisible Ink* ARTISTS Helen Blackburn, flute; Paul Garner, clarinet; Peter Grenier, bassoon. Program repeated 11/23 at Yvonne E. Ewell Townview Center and Hector Garcia Middle School www.voicesofchange.com

NOVEMBER 18 Minnetonka, MN

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Cantus Vocal Ensemble** PROGRAM *Lux Aurumque*, Eric Whitacre; by Maura Bosch, *Any Given Day*; "Daniel, Daniel Servant of the Lord" (arr. Undine Smith Moore); "Oolichan-Sliammon," chant (arr. Stephen Hatfield); "Deep River" (arr. Harry T. Burleigh); "Witness" (arr. Moses Hogan) www.cantusonline.org

NOVEMBER 19 Easton, PA

(Lafayette College)

ARTISTS **Kronos Quartet** George Crumb, *Black Angels* www.kronosquartet.org

NOVEMBER 20-22 New York, NY

PRESENTER **Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center** 11/20: Elliott Carter, *Night Fantasies*; George Crumb, *Music for a Summer Evening* (ARTISTS Gilbert Kalish, Anne-Marie McDermott, G. Vonsattel, Wu Han, pianos; A. Kataoka, percussion). 11/21: Crumb, *Black Angels* (Pacifica String Quartet; C. McFadden, soprano; Gilbert Kalish, piano) 11/22: George Crumb, *Apparition*, for soprano and piano

NOVEMBER 23 New York, NY

Elaine Kaufman Cultural Center/Merkin Hall Elliott Carter: Canon for Three Equal Instruments; Eight Etudes and a Fantasy; Woodwind Quintet; *Esprit Rude/Esprit Doux*; *Gra Polish*; Retracing; *Scrivo in Vento*; *Steep Steps*; Quintet for Piano and Winds ARTISTS New York Woodwind Quintet; pianist Ursula Oppens) www.kaufman-center.org

NOVEMBER 24 New York, NY

(Merkin Hall)

ARTISTS **New York New Music Ensemble** PROGRAM Elliott Carter, Triple Duo

December

DECEMBER 4 New York, NY

PRESENTER **Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center** PROGRAM Irving Fine, Partita for Wind Quintet ARTISTS Members of the Society

DECEMBER 4 Seattle, WA

PRESENTER **Music of Remembrance** PROGRAM Jake Heggie, *For a Look or a Touch* ARTISTS Morgan Smith, baritone; Julian Patrick, actor; Z. Dombourian-Eby, flute; Laurie DeLuca, clarinet; Mikhail Shmidt, violin; Page Smith, cello; Mina Miller, piano) www.musicofremembrance.org

DECEMBER 5 New York, NY

ARTISTS **Kronos Quartet** PROGRAM George Crumb, *Black Angels*

DECEMBER 6 San Francisco, CA

PRESENTER **Other Minds** PROGRAM Ruth Crawford Seeger & Her Milieu ARTISTS K. Stenberg, violin; E.-M. Zimmerman, piano, S. Cahill, piano www.otherminds.org

DECEMBER 6-7 San Francisco, CA

PRESENTER **San Francisco Performances** PROGRAM Elliott Carter: String Quartets No. 1-5; *Retrouvailles*, *Two Diversions*, *Night Fantasies*, Sonata, *Two Thoughts about the Piano*, *Intermittances*, *Catenaire* ARTISTS Pacifica String Quartet, Ursula Oppens, piano; lectures by Robert Greenberg, music historian-in-residence www.performances.org

DECEMBER 10-11 Rustin, LA

(Louisiana Tech)

PROGRAMS **American Brass Quintet** David Sampson, *Entrance*; Joan Tower, *Copperwave*

DECEMBER 11 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe New Music** (in collaboration with the Georgia O'Keeffe Museum) PROGRAM *From Thoreau to Cage: American Voices* Charles Ives, Concord Sonata; John Cage, selected works for piano, percussion, and voice. ARTISTS Stephen Drury, piano, et al. Also on the concert are works by John Cage that incorporate the drawings and texts of Henry David Thoreau. www.sfnm.org



January

JANUARY 15 Boston, MA

(Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum)

PRESENTER **Miller Theatre** PROGRAM Leon Kirchner, *Flutings for Paula*, Duo No. 2, Trio, Sonata Concertante, Trio No. 2
ARTISTS Paula Robison, flute; Corey Cerovsek, violin; Jeremy Denk, piano; Ayano Kataoka, percussion; Claremont Trio
www.millertheatre.com

JANUARY 17 St. Cloud, MN

PRESENTER **Chamber Music Society of Saint Cloud** PROGRAM Steve Reich, "The Only Moving Thing" and a co-composition by David Lang, Michael Gordon & Julia Wolfe. ARTISTS eighth-blackbird (plus residency activities at the local boys & girls club, an elementary school, a senior center, St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud Public Library, and an open rehearsal for the city's high school students.
www.freewebs.com/stcloudchambermusicsociety

JANUARY 17 Kansas City, MO

PRESENTER **Friends of Chamber Music** PROGRAM Chen Yi's *From the Path of Beauty* ARTISTS Chanticleer vocal ensemble; Shanghai String Quartet www.chambermusic.org

JANUARY 19-22 Lake Worth, Belle Glade, & Boca Raton, FL

PRESENTER **Lynn University** PROGRAM "Ain't I a Woman," a program celebrating the life and times of Zora Neale Hurston, Sojourner Truth, Clementine Hunter, and Fannie Lou Hamer. Music includes Charles Mingus, "Roland Kirk's Message," "Canon," and "Devil Woman"; Max Roach, "The Profit"; Thelonious Monk, "Crepuscle with Nellie," "Sweet and Lovely"; Bessie Smith, "Careless Love"; Diane Monroe, "Blues for Miles," "Groovin' Roots," "Spiritual," "Fleetin' Blues," and "I Smell Trouble"; Memphis Slim, "Blue and Disgusted"; John Coltrane, "Naima," Duke Pearson, Christo Redentor; Coleridge-Taylor Perkinson, "Perpetual Motion," "Calvary Ostinato," "Lamentation," "Fugue"; Frederick Tillis, "Motherless Child" ARTISTS Tahirah Whittington, cello; Hugh Hinton, piano; Maichael Parola, percussion; Taylore Mahogany Scott, singer/actor

JANUARY 24 New York, NY

PRESENTER **Miller Theatre** PROGRAM Leon Kirchner *Flutings for Paula*; Duo No. 2; Trio; Sonata Concertante; Concerto for Violin, Violoncello, 10 Winds, and percussion ARTISTS Corey Cerovsek, violin; Jeremy Denk, piano; Timothy Eddy, cello; Ayano Kataoka, percussion; Daniel Phillips, violin; Paula Robison, flute; Claremont Trio; Brad Lubman, conductor

JANUARY 24-25 Brooklyn, NY

PRESENTER **Bargemusic** PROGRAM Louis Gruenberg, Four Diversions for String Quartet; Tobias Picker, String Quartet No.2; Roger Sessions, *Canons (to the memory of Igor Stravinsky)*; George Whitefield Chadwick, String Quartet No.4 ARTISTS American String Quartet (Laurie Carney and Peter Winograd, violins; Daniel Avshalomov, viola; Wolfram Koessel, cello) www.bargemusic.org

JANUARY 31 Seattle, WA

PRESENTER **Music of Remembrance** PROGRAM Lori Laitman, *The Seed of a Dream*, for cello, piano and baritone; David Stock, *A Vanished World*, for flute, viola and harp
www.musicofremembrance.org

February

FEBRUARY Charleston, WV

PRESENTER **West Virginia Symphony** Four days of workshops WORKS Darol Anger, *Street Stuff for String Quartet*; Aaron Jay Kernis, *Musica Celestis*; Lev Zhurbin, *Bagel on the Malecon*, and George Crumb, *Black Angels*. ARTISTS Montclair String Quartet www.wvsymphony.org

FEBRUARY 5 Poughkeepsie, NY (Vassar College)

PRESENTING ARTISTS **New York New Music Ensemble** PROGRAM Elliott Carter workshop and concert performances
www.nynme.org

FEBRUARY 5 New York, NY

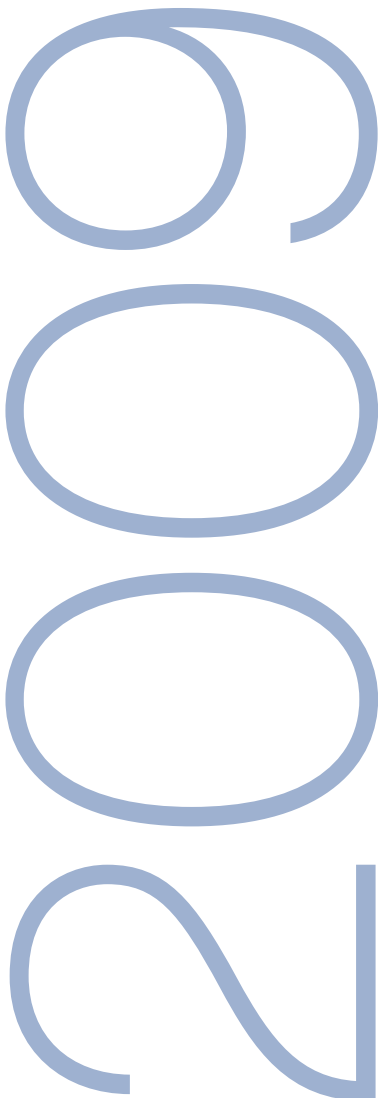
PRESENTER **Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center** PROGRAM *New Music in the Rose*: Ellen Taaffe Zwilich, Piano Trio; George Crumb, Four Nocturnes (*Night Music II*); Pierre Jalbert, Piano Trio; John Harbison, Piano Quintet; and Mark-Anthony Turnage, *Slide Stride*, for piano quintet ARTISTS Musicians of the Society—Gilbert Kalish, Gilles Vonsattel, pianos; Yoon Kwon, Susie Park, violins; Julie Albers, cello; Orion String Quartet (Daniel Phillips, Todd Phillips, violins; Steven Tenenbom, viola; Timothy Eddy, cello) www.chambermusicsociety.org

FEBRUARY 13 Brattleboro, VT

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Western Wind Vocal Ensemble** PROGRAM from *Vessels*, by Philip Glass; Tania León & Michel Camilo, *Batéy*; Meredith Monk, *Basket Rondo*; William Bolcom, *Maternity Ward, Late Show*; S.A. Ward, *America the Beautiful*; Leonard Bernstein, Duke Ellington, George Gershwin, and more www.westernwind.org

FEBRUARY 15 Brooklyn, NY (Brooklyn Public Library)

PRESENTER **Brooklyn Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra** PROGRAM *Music Off the Shelves: Five Folk Songs in Counterpoint*, by Florence Price, with readings from works by African American women writers.
www.brooklynphilharmonic.org



FEBRUARY 19 Chicago, IL

PRESENTER **The University of Chicago Presents** PROGRAM *The Music of Stephen Hartke: The Horse with the Lavender Eye; Meanwhile...; Tituli* ARTISTS eighth blackbird and the Hilliard Ensemble. www.chicagopresents.uchicago.edu

FEBRUARY 21 Brooklyn, NY

(Kumble Theater of the Performing Arts)

PRESENTER **Brooklyn-Queens Conservatory of Music** PROGRAM *An Evening with Cedar Walton & His Music: Bolivia, Firm Roots, Midnight Waltz*, et al. ARTISTS Cedar Walton Trio and Cedar Walton's 10-piece ensemble www.bqcm.org/concerts.htm

FEBRUARY 22-28 Joplin, MO

PRESENTER **Pro Musica** PROGRAM Terry Riley, *Sunrise of the Planetary Dream Collector*; Samuel Barber, String Quartet, Op. 11; William Bolcom, Three Rags; John Corigliano, String Quartet ARTISTS Parker Quartet www.promusicajoplin.org

FEBRUARY 23 Sartell, MN

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Cantus** Day-long program at Sartell High School, ARTIST-IN-RESIDENCE PROGRAM: Eric Whitacre, *Lux Aurumque*; Maura Bosch, *Any Given Day*; "Daniel, Daniel Servant of the Lord" (arr. Undine Smith Moore); "Oolichan-Sliammon," (chant, arr. Stephen Hatfield); "Deep River" (arr. Harry T. Burleigh); "Witness" (arr. Moses Hogan) www.cantusonline.org

FEBRUARY 24 New York, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center** World premieres of CMSLC commissions by William Bolcom and George Tsontakis

March

MARCH 2 Poughkeepsie, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Cantus** PROGRAM: *Lux Aurumque*, Eric Whitacre; *Shall I Compare Thee*, Stephen Paulus; *A Sound Like This* (a new commission), Edie Hill; Maura Bosch, *Any Given Day*; Daniel Gawthrop, *There Is Sweet Music*; *Oolichan-Sliammon* (chant, arr., Stephen Hatfield); *Deep River* African Spiritual (arr. Harry T. Burleigh); *Witness*, an African Spiritual (arr. Moses Hogan)

MARCH 8 Mt. Kisco, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Music from Copland House** PROGRAM *An Appetite for Music: Works by Aaron Jay Kernis, Leonard Bernstein, Richard Danielpour*, et al. www.coplandhouse.org

MARCH 10-25 Westchester County, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Music from Copland House** SCHOOL PROGRAM *Flight to Freedom: Music by Richard Danielpour*

MARCH 11 St. Paul, MN

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Zeitgeist** PROGRAM Works of Terry Riley, John Cage, and Frederic Rzewski Performed by the Zeitgeist ensemble: Heather Barringer, percussion; Patti Cudd, woodwinds; Pat O'Keefe; percussion Shannon Wettstein, piano www.zeitgeist.org

MARCH 14 Seattle, WA

PRESENTER: **Music of Remembrance** PROGRAM Paul Schoenfield, *Ghetto Songs* ARTISTS Morgan Smith, baritone; Angela Niederloh, mezzo-soprano; David Klein, narrator; Mikhail Shmidt, violin; Laurie DeLuca, clarinet; Walter Gray, cello; Jonathan Green, double bass; Mark Salman, piano www.musicofremembrance.org

MARCH 16 St. Paul, MN

PRESENTER **Zeitgeist** PROGRAM Pieces written for Zeitgeist by John Cage, Terry Riley, Frederic Rzewski ARTISTS Zeitgeist (Heather Barringer, percussion; Patti Cudd, woodwinds; Pat O'Keefe; percussion; Shannon Wettstein, piano)

MARCH 19-APRIL 4 Savannah, GA

PRESENTER: **Savannah Festival** www.savannahmusicfestival.org

MARCH 21 Kansas City, MO

PRESENTER **The Friends of Chamber Music** PROGRAM William Bolcom, *Octet: Double Quartet*; Esa-Pekka Salonen, *Homunculus*; Derek Bemel, *Passing Through* ARTISTS Guameri and Johannes string quartets www.chambermusic.org

MARCH 25 New York, NY

PRESENTER **Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center** PROGRAM Derek Bemel, *Passing Through*; William Bolcom, *Octet: Double Quartet* ARTISTS Guameri String Quartet, Johannes String Quartet www.chambermusicsociety.org

MARCH 26-29 Seattle, WA

PRESENTER **Cornish College of the Arts** PROGRAM *Drums Along the Pacific*, an homage to the percussion concerts organized by John Cage and Lou Harrison in the Pacific Northwest in the 1940s. ARTISTS Pacific Rims Percussion Quartet, pianist Stephen Drury; tenor John Duykers; the Seattle Chamber Players; Gamelan Pacifica. www.cornish.edu

MARCH 27 Houston, TX

PRESENTER **Da Camera of Houston** PROGRAM Osvaldo Golijov *Dreams and Prayers of Isaac the Blind*; Roberto Sierra, *Songs from the Diaspora*. ARTISTS St. Lawrence String Quartet www.dacamera.com

MARCH 29 Chicago, IL

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Cube Contemporary Chamber Ensemble** PROGRAM Henry Cowell, Quartet for flute, oboe, cello and harpsichord; Joan Tower, *Petroushkates*; Bruce Saylor, new work for violin, viola, clarinet, cello and piano; Laurel Firant, *Dance* for violin and piano; George Crumb, *Gnomic Variations*; Michael Daugherty, *Sinatra Shag* ARTISTS Lawrence Axelrod, keyboards/conductor; Caroline Pittman, flute; Douglas Brush, percussion; Dane Richeson, percussion; Christie Miller, clarinets; Janice Misurell-Mitchell, flute/voice; Patricia Morehead, oboe/English horn; Phil Morehead, keyboards/conductor www.cubeensemble.com

MARCH 29 Cedar Falls/Waterloo, IA (University of Northern Iowa)

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Cantus** PROGRAM Eric Whitacre, *Lux Aurumque*; Stephen Paulus, *Shall I Compare Thee?*; Edie Hill, *A Sound Like This*; Maura Bosch, *Any Given Day*; Daniel Gawthrop, *There Is Sweet Music*; *Oolichan-Sliammon* (chant, arr., Stephen Hatfield); *Deep River* (arr. Harry T. Burleigh); *Witness* (arr. Moses Hogan)



April

APRIL 2 New York, NY

PRESENTER **Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center**
PROGRAM: Sebastian Currier, *Verge*; John Zorn, *Necronomicon*
ARTISTS Inon Barnatan, piano; Erin Keefe, Yoon Kwon, Arnaud Sussmann, violins; Richard O'Neill, viola; Fred Sherry, cello; Tara Helen O'Connor, flute; Jose Franch-Ballester, clarinet

APRIL 3 Houston, TX

PRESENTER **Da Camera of Houston** PROGRAM Dafnis Prieto
Sextet Afro Cuban jazz www.dacamera.com

APRIL 2 & 5 Milwaukee, WI

PRESENTER **University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee** PROGRAM
American Sounds Project "Unruly Music"—a residency featuring compositions by sfSound members and UWM composition students. ARTISTS sfSound (core group: Kyle Bruckmann, oboe; Matt Ingalls, clarinet; John Ingle, saxophone; Christopher Jones, piano, bassoon, conductor; Monica Scott, cello; Erik Ulman, violin) www4@uwm.edu

APRIL 5 Mt. Kisco, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Music from Copland House** PROGRAM
Re-discovering William Schumann, with Joseph Polisi and the Copland House ensemble www.coplandhouse.org

APRIL 7 Houston, TX

PRESENTER **Da Camera of Houston** PROGRAM Erich Korngold,
String Quartet No. 2; Richard Lavenda, Quintet for Strings
ARTISTS Chiara String Quartet (Rebecca Fischer and Julie Yoon, violins; Jonah Sirota, viola; Gregory Beaver, cello)

APRIL 17 & 19 New York, NY

PRESENTER **Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center**
PROGRAM George Tsontakis *Knickknacks* and Piano Quartet No. 3
ARTISTS: Opus One Piano Quartet (Anne-Marie McDermott, piano; Ida Kavafian, violin; Steven Tenenbom, viola; Peter Wiley, cellist)

APRIL 18 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe New Music** PROGRAM Paul Moravec:
The Time Gallery; *Useful Knowledge (A Franklin Fantasy)*
ARTISTS David Felberg, violin; Cherokee Randolph, viola; Sally Guenther, cello; Carol Redman, flute; Melissa Pena, oboe; James Shields, clarinet; David Tolen, percussion; Lydia Brown, piano; John Boehr, baritone www.sfnm.org

APRIL 18 Seattle, WA

PRESENTER **Music of Remembrance** PROGRAM Steve Reich,
Different Trains; Daniel Asia, *Breath in a Ram's Horn*
ARTISTS Elisa Barston, violin; Walter Gray, cello; Susan Gulkis Assadi, viola; Ross Hauck, tenor; Mina Miller, piano; Mikhail Shmidt, violin; Ross Hauck, tenor
www.musicofremembrance.org

APRIL 24 Chicago, IL

University of Chicago Presents PROGRAM Music by Edgar Meyer
ARTISTS Edgar Meyer, bass; Amy Dorfman, piano
www.chicagopresents.uchicago.edu

APRIL 25 Danbury, CT

PRESENTER **Western Connecticut State University**
PROGRAM Amy Beach, Quintet for Flute; Laura Kaminsky, String Quartet; Joan Tower, String Quartet No. 3
ARTISTS Manhattan String Quartet (Eric Lewis, violin; Calvin Wiersma, violin; John Dexter, viola; Chris Finckel, cello); Kerry Walker, flute www.wcsu.edu

APRIL 25 & 26 Brooklyn, NY

PRESENTER **Bargemusic** PROGRAM Irving Fine, String Quartet; Robert Sirota, Triptych; Henry Cowell, String Quartet No. 3, "Mosaic"; Walter Piston, String Quartet No. 1.
ARTISTS American String Quartet (Laurie Casey and Peter Winograd, violins; Daniel Avshalomov, viola; Wolfram Koessel, cello)
www.bargemusic.org

APRIL 26 Norfolk, VA

PRESENTER **Virginia Arts Festival** PROGRAM selections from Charles Mingus, Thelonious Monk, Harry Patch, Terry Riley, Raymond Scott and John Zorn
ARTISTS Kronos Quartet
www.vafest.org

May

MAY 2 Dallas, TX

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Voices of Change** PROGRAM Steven Hartke
Oh, Them Rats Is Mean in My Kitchen for Two Violins
ARTISTS Maria Schleuning, violin; Kaori Yoshida, violin.
Program also presented 4/24 at Cuellar Elementary and Plano West Senior High School www.voicesofchange.com

MAY 5 Cortlandt Manor, NY

PRESENTER **Music from Copland House** PROGRAM *Exploring Copland and His World*, with Alex Ross
ARTISTS Copland House ensemble and guests

MAY 6 Portsmouth, VA

PRESENTER **Virginia Arts Festival** PROGRAM *Pushing New Boundaries*: Ellen Taaffe Zwilich, Septet
ARTISTS Kalichstein-Laredo-Robinson Trio and Miami String Quartet

MAY 7 New York, NY

PRESENTER **Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center**
PROGRAM David Ludwig, *Haiku Catharsis*; George Tsontakis, *Duo*; William Bolcom, *Let Evening Come*; Kristin Kuster, *Ando: light against shade*; William Bolcom, *Graceful Ghost*, from *Three Rags*
ARTISTS Amy Burton, soprano; Inon Barnatan, Gilles Vonsattel, Wu Han, pianos; David Finckel, cello; Escher String Quartet; Tara Helen O'Connor, flute; David Shifrin, clarinet; Ayano Kataoka, percussion

MAY 9 Brooklyn, NY

(Brooklyn Conservatory Concert Hall)
PRESENTER **Brooklyn Queens Conservatory of Music** ARTISTS
Avery Sharpe Trio www.bqcm.org

MAY 9 New York, NY

(Zankel Hall)
PRESENTER **Carnegie Hall Society** PROGRAM Elliott Carter, Cello Sonata, selections from Eight Pieces for Timpani, Quintet for Piano and Winds.
ARTISTS Daniel Barenboim, piano, with members of the Staatskapelle Berlin; cellist Claudius Popp and percussionist Torsten Schönfeld
www.carnegiehall.org

MAY 15 Chicago, IL

PRESENTER **University of Chicago Presents** PROGRAM: World premieres of works by University of Chicago grad students Jacob Bancks, Andy Jasinski, Dylan Schneider, Takuma Tanikawa

MAY 15-17 Virginia Beach, VA

PRESENTER **Virginia Arts Festival** PROGRAM *The American Avante-Garde*: Terry Riley, *In C*; John Cage, *Third Construction*, Christopher Rouse, *Bohnam*; works by Steve Reich.

MAY 16 Brooklyn, NY

(Brooklyn Public Library)
PRESENTER **Brooklyn Philharmonic Orchestra** PROGRAM *Off the Shelves*, a free family concert of music by American composers www.brooklynphilharmonic.org

MAY 17 Chicago, IL

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Cube Contemporary Music Ensemble**
PROGRAM: Margaret Brouwer, *Skyriding*, for flute, violin, cello and piano; Janice Misurell-Mitchell, *Everything Changes* for flute/voice and percussion; William Bolcom, *Aubade*, for oboe and piano; Ralph Shapey, *Discourse Two*, for violin, cello, clarinet and piano; Ralph Shapey, *Discourse Encore* for violin, cello, clarinet and piano; Terry Riley, *Cinco de Mayo* for piano four hands; Rachel Eubanks, *Five Interludes* for solo piano; Samuel Barber, *Despite and Still*, for voice and piano
ARTISTS Lawrence Axelrod, keyboards/conductor; Caroline Pittman, flute; Douglas Brush, percussion; Dane Richeson, percussion; Christie Miller, clarinets; Janice Misurell-Mitchell, flute/voice; Patricia Morehead, oboe/English horn; Phil Morehead, keyboards/conductor
GUEST ARTISTS baritone Daniel Billings and the Belsky Maxwell Duo.

MAY 17 Edina, MN

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Cantus Vocal Ensemble** PROGRAM Eric Whitacre, *Lux Aurumque*; Maura Bosch, *Any Given Day*; "Daniel, Daniel, Servant of the Lord" (arr. Undine Smith Moore); "Oolichan-Sliammon" (chant, arr. Stephen Hatfield); "Deep River" (arr. Harry T. Burleigh); "Witness" (arr. Moses Hogan) www.cantusonline.org

MAY 28 Newport News, VI

PRESENTER **Virginia Arts Festival** PROGRAM: Samuel Barber, String Quartet, Op. 11; George Gershwin, *Lullaby*; Copland's original version of *Appalachian Spring* ARTISTS New England Conservatory String Quartet; members of the Virginia Symphony

MAY 28 Chicago, IL

PRESENTER: **University of Chicago Presents** PROGRAM: World premieres of compositions by U of C students Alex Berezowsky, Fusun Koksal, April Mok, and Stephen Winfield

June

JUNE 4 Washington, DC

PRESENTER **Duke Ellington Jazz Festival** PROGRAM: Works by Jelly Roll Morton ARTISTS Allyn Johnson, piano; Jamal Brown, flute; Herman Burney, bass

JUNE 6-7 Brooklyn, NY

PRESENTER **Bargemusic** PROGRAM Ruth Crawford (Seeger), String Quartet; Charles Ives, String Quartet No.1 ("A Revival Service"), and George Tsontakis, String Quartet No. 4 ("Beneath Thy Tenderness of Heart") ARTISTS American String Quartet

JUNE 14 Cortlandt Manor, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Music from Copland House** PROGRAM *The Composer's Hour*, with Ned Rorem (Music by Ned Rorem)

JUNE 17-18 Durham & Winston-Salem, NC

PRESENTER: **Magnolia Baroque Festival** PROGRAM Moravian music, including works by J.F. Peter and W. Pieci, C.H. Graun, et al. ARTISTS Andrew Willis, keyboard; Gesa Kordes, violin; and festival musicians www.magnoliabaroque.com

JUNE 21-JULY 1 Norfolk, CT

PRESENTER **Norfolk Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM *The Virgil Thomson Project* (a workshop for young composers on the setting of texts) Performance by Susan Narucki of Thomson songs on 6/27 PARTICIPATING GUEST FACULTY Narucki, Anthony Tommasini, Ned Rorem, Scott Wheeler, et alia. www.norfolkmusic.org

July

JULY 1 Burlington, VT

PRESENTER **Green Mountain Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM W. Bolcom, Second Sonata; J. Harbison, *Abu Ghraib*; G. W. Chadwick, Piano Quintet in E-flat Major ARTISTS Kevin Lawrence, violin; Brian Suits, piano; Paul Orgel, piano; Elizabeth Chang, violin; Sophie Arbuckle, violin; Lemby Veskimets, viola, Robert Jesselson, cello www.uvm.org/gmcmf

JULY 8 Burlington, VT

PRESENTER **Green Mountain Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM John Knowles Paine, Piano Trio, Opus 32 ARTISTS Arik Braude, violin; Brooks Whitehouse, cello; David Feurzeig, piano

JULY 15 Kalamazoo, MI

PRESENTER **Fontana Chamber Arts** PROGRAM Works by Charles Ives ARTISTS Thomas Meglioranza, baritone; Reiko Uchida, piano www.fontanachamberarts.org

JULY 17 Burlington, VT

PRESENTER **Green Mountain Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Henry Cowell, *Homage to Iran*; Paul Schoenfield, *Carolina Reveille* ARTISTS Kevin Lawrence, violin; Dmitri Shteinberg, piano; Stephanie Ezerman, violin; Matthew Daline, viola; Steven Pologe, cello

JULY 17-AUGUST 1 North Adams, MA

PRESENTER **Massachusetts Museum of Contemporary Art** PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS Reich's *Music for 18 Musicians*, Morton Feldman's *Why Patterns* ARTISTS Bang on a Can fellows and faculty www.massmoca.org

JULY 17-18 Pittsburgh, PA

PRESENTER/ARTISTS **Pittsburgh New Music Ensemble** PROGRAM Michael Daugherty: *Jackie's Song* ARTISTS Lindsey Goodman, flute; Campbell MacDonald, clarinet; Nathalie Shaw, violin; Norbert Lewandowski, cello; David Skidmore, Daniel Schlosberg, piano; Kevin Noe, conductor www.pnme.org

JULY 24 Kalamazoo, MI

PRESENTER **Fontana Chamber Arts** PROGRAM Jazz standards and originals ARTISTS Helen Sung Trio

JULY 24-25 Pittsburgh, PA

PRESENTER/ARTISTS **Pittsburgh New Music Ensemble** PROGRAM: George Crumb: *Eleven Echoes of Autumn* ARTISTS Lindsey Goodman, flute; Campbell MacDonald, clarinet; Nathalie Shaw, violin; Norbert Lewandowski, cello; David Skidmore, percussion; Conon Hanick, piano; Kevin Noe, conductor www.pnme.org

JULY 25 Mt. Monadnock region, NH

PRESENTER **Monadnock Music** PROGRAM Melinda Wagner, *Four Settings* ARTISTS Haleh Abghari and Ilana Davidson, sopranos; Janna Baty, mezzo-soprano; Adela Pena and Joel Pitchon, violins; Jonathan Bagg, viola; Donald Berman, piano; Laura Gilbert, flute; Steven Jackson, clarinet; Rafael Popper-Keizer and Jing Li, cellos; Deborah Sponheimer and Raphael Popper-Keizer, basses; Daniel Lippel, guitar; Douglas Perkins, percussion www.monadnockmusic.org

JULY 26 Mt. Monadnock region, NH

PRESENTER **Monadnock Music** PROGRAM: Settings of Richard Wilbur poems by James Bolle, Jonathan Elliott, Stephen Jaffe, Mark Kuss, Eric Moe, and Caroline Mallonée ARTISTS Ilana Davidson, soprano; Janna Baty, mezzo-soprano; Adela Pena and Joel Pitchon, violins; Jonathan Bagg and Stephanie Fong, violas; Rafael Popper-Keizer, cello; Donald Berman, piano; Laura Gilbert, flute; Steven Jackson, clarinet; Daniel Lippel, guitar

JULY 26-27 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Gunther Schuller, Quintet for Horn and Strings ARTISTS Julie Landsman, horn; and the Miró Quartet www.sfcmf.org

JULY 30 Brunswick, ME

PRESENTER **Bowdoin International Music Festival** PROGRAM *George Crumb and Protégés* ARTISTS: Ofer Ben-Amots, *Odessa Trio* (Muneko Otani, violin; Cai GoGwilt, cello; Nathaniel LaNasa, piano); Pierre Jalbert, *Icefield Sonnets* (Jennifer Penner and Alexandra Rice, violins; Thomas Ziegler, viola; TBA, cello); George Crumb, *Vox Balaenae (Voice of the Whale)* (Joshua Smith, flute; Avery Waite, cello; Nathaniel LaNasa, piano) www.summemusic.org/gamper_festival.php

JULY 31 Pittsburgh, PA

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Pittsburgh New Music Ensemble** PROGRAM David Lang: *Dance/Drop* ARTISTS Lindsey Goodman, flute; Campbell MacDonald, clarinet; Nathalie Shaw, violin; Norbert Lewandowski, cello; David Skidmore, percussion Danny Spiegel, piano; Kevin Noe, conductor



August

AUGUST 1 Brunswick, ME

PRESENTER **Bowdoin International Music Festival** PROGRAM *George Crumb and Protégés* George Crumb, *Makrokosmos* (Emma Tahmizian, piano); David Crumb, *Improvisations on an English Folk Tune* (Laura Block, flute; Ashlee Miller, clarinet; Muneko Otani, violin; Hyewon Kim, cello; Jacob Ertl, piano; David Crumb, conductor); Michael Fiday, *9 Haiku* (Bethanne Walker, flute; Nathaniel LaNasa, piano); *George Crumb, Night of the Four Moons* (Anna Crumb, alto; Jennifer Nelson, alto flute/piccolo; Sam Cogburn, banjo; Brendan Faegre, percussion; Avery Waite, cello; Simone Fontanelli, conductor)

AUGUST 1 Pittsburgh, PA

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Pittsburgh New Music Ensemble** PROGRAM David Lang, *Dance/Drop* ARTISTS Lindsey Goodman, flute; Campbell MacDonald, clarinet; Nathalie Shaw, violin; Norbert Lewandowski, cello; David Skidmore, percussion Danny Spiegel, piano; Kevin Noe, conductor

AUGUST 2 Brunswick, ME

PRESENTER **Bowdoin International Music Festival** PROGRAM *George Crumb and Protégés*: George Crumb, *Echoes of Eight Decades*; Noam Faingold, *Zrikhat Hashemesh* (Sunrise); George Crumb, *Eine Kleine Mitternacht Musik* (Peter Basquin); Ricardo Zohn-Muldoon, *Jácaras* (Muneko Otani, violin; Andre Emelianoff, cello; Jacob Ertl, piano)

AUGUST 8 Mt. Monadnock, NH & environs

PRESENTER **Monadnock Music** PROGRAM: Nathan Michel, *Little Piece in Two Parts*, Stuart Saunders Smith, *Songs I-X*; G. Crumb, *Madrigals, Bk. II*; F. Rzewski, *Song and Dance*; Nathan Davis, *Simple Songs of Birth & Return*, George Crumb, *Madrigals Book I*; *Madrigals*; Minoru Miki, *Marimba Spiritual*. ARTISTS Tony Arnold and Emma Tahmizian, sopranos; Nathan Davis, Douglas Perkins, David Schotzko, percussion; Laura Gilbert, flute; Steve Jackson, clarinet; Robert Black, bass; Daniel Lippel, guitar; Stacey Shames, harp www.monadnockmusic.org

AUGUST 9-10 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM Marc Neikrug, *Green Torso* and *Green Torso Too* ARTISTS Opus One (Ida Kavafian, violin; Steven Tenenbom, viola; Peter Wiley, cello; Anne-Marie McDermott, piano) www.sfcmf.org

AUGUST 9 Cortlandt Manor, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Music from Copland House** PROGRAM Works by W.G. Still, S. Barber, Pierre Jalbert, and J. Higdon www.coplandhouse.org

AUGUST 16 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM G. Tsontakis, *Stimulus Package* ARTISTS Real Quiet (Felix Fan, cello; Andrew Russo, piano; David Cossin, percussion)

AUGUST 20 Santa Fe, NM

PRESENTER **Santa Fe Chamber Music Festival** PROGRAM: Jerod Impichchaachaaha' Tate, *À Bec Quintet*. ARTISTS R. Carlos Nakai, Northern Plains flute; Tara Helen O'Connor, flute; Todd Levy, clarinet; Sunshine Simmons, bass clarinet; and Theodore Soluri, bassoon

AUGUST 26 Syracuse, NY

(Everson Art Museum)

PRESENTER **Skaneateles Festival** PROGRAM R. N. Dett, *Selected Spirituals* for baritone and piano; Virgil Thomson, *Five Portraits*, for Cello and Piano; M. Torke, *Corner in Manhattan*, for string quartet. ARTISTS Jupiter String Quartet; John Novacek, piano; Derrick Smith, baritone www.skanfest.org

AUGUST 27 Skaneateles, NY

(First Presbyterian Church)

PRESENTER **Skaneateles Festival** PROGRAM R. Nathaniel Dett, *Selected Spirituals* for baritone and piano; Virgil Thomson, *Five Portraits*, for Cello and Piano; Leonard Bernstein: *Suite from West Side Story*, for Clarinet and Piano; Michael Torke, *Corner in Manhattan*, for string quartet ARTISTS Elinor Freer, piano; Thom Filicia, narrator; John Novacek, piano; Derrick Smith, baritone; José Franch Ballester, clarinet; David Ying, cello; Jupiter String Quartet

AUGUST 28 Skaneateles, NY

(First Presbyterian Church)

PRESENTER **Skaneateles Festival** PROGRAM Samuel Barber, *Sonata for Cello and Piano*; C. Pann, "Summer Songs," for narrator and small ensemble; J. Novacek: *Barcarolle*, *Stephen Foster Fantasy for Piano Trio*, and *Four Rags for Clarinet and Piano* ARTISTS Elinor Freer, piano; Thom Filicia, narrator; John Novacek, piano; Derrick Smith, baritone; José Franch Ballester, clarinet; David Ying, cello; Jupiter String Quartet

September

SEPTEMBER 11-26 Grand Canyon, AZ

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Ethel's Foundation for the Arts** (aka ETHEL string quartet) PROGRAM *Concerts at the Grand Canyon Music Festival*; educational outreach for apprentice composers on Navajo and Hopi Reservations www.ethelcentral.com

SEPTEMBER 24 Dahlonega, GA

(North Georgia College and State University)

PRESENTING ARTISTS **American Brass Quintet** PROGRAM to be decided www.americanbrassquintet.org

SEPTEMBER 25 Boston, MA

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Boston Musica Viva** PROGRAM "All-American Grooves" Michael Gandolfi, *Grooved Surfaces*; John Harbison, *The Seven Ages*; Richard Cornell, new work; Elliott Carter, *Triple Duo* PERFORMERS Richard Pittman, music director; Ann Bobo, flute; William Kirkley, clarinet; Robert Schulz, percussion; Geoffrey Burleson, piano; Bayla Keyes, violin; Jan Müller-Szeraws, cello; Pamela Dellal, mezzo-soprano www.bmv.org

SEPTEMBER 26 Pleasantville, NY

PRESENTING ARTISTS **Music from Copland House** PROGRAM *Music of Beach, Copland, Liebermann, and Musto*

October

OCTOBER 2 Boulder, CO

ARTISTS **Kronos Quartet** PROGRAM George Crumb, *Black Angels* www.kronosquartet.org

OCTOBER 3 Kalamazoo, MI

PRESENTER **Fontana Chamber Arts** ARTIST Esperanza Spalding, bassist and vocalist PROGRAM jazz standards and originals www.fontanachamberarts.org

OCTOBER 17 Houston, TEX

PRESENTER **Da Camera of Houston** ARTISTS Charles Lloyd and his Quartet www.dacamera.com

OCTOBER 18 Seattle, WA

PRESENTER **Earshot Jazz** PROGRAM From Ray Charles's 1961 Impulse! release *Genius+Soul=Jazz*, arrangements by Quincy Jones: "From the Heart," "I've Got News for You," "Moanin'," "Let's Go," "One Mint Julep," "I'm Gonna Move to the Outskirts of Town," "Stompin' Room Only," "Mister C," "Strike Up the Band," "Birth of the Blues" ARTISTS Seattle Repertory Jazz Orchestra (in various chamber configurations) with Seattle vocalists Greta Matassa and Bernie Jacobs. GUEST VOCALIST Dean Bowman SPECIAL GUEST Joe Doria on Hammond B3 organ. www.earshot.org