Williams Chamber Players

Chen Yi (b. 1953) and YangKo for Solo Violin and Two Percussionists

Joana Genova, violin; Matthew Gold and Jay Sager, percussion

W.A. Mozart (1756 – 1791)

Trio in B flat Major, K. 502 (1786)

Joana Genova, violin; Matthew Gold and Jay Sager, percussion

Zachary Wadsworth (b. 1983)

Present and Future (2015) a song cycle for soprano and piano
text by Christina Rossetti (1830-1894)

I. A Bride Song
II. Hand in Hand
III. A Smile and a Sigh
IV. Pastime
V. Grown and Flown
VI. Present and Future

Kerry Ryer-Parke, soprano; Zachary Wadsworth, piano

***Intermission***

Dmitri Shostakovich (1906 – 1975)

Trio in E Minor, op. 67 (1944)

Joana Genova, violin; Nathaniel Parke, cello; Elizabeth Wright, piano

Friday, February 12, 2016
8:00 p.m.
Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
Williamstown, Massachusetts

Please turn off cell phones.
No photography or recording is permitted.
The Williams Chamber Players is a faculty chamber ensemble, founded at Williams in 1999. Its purpose is to present concerts for the college and community throughout the academic year. Antecedents of the Williams Chamber Players are The Williams Trio, founded in 1970, and the Group for 20th Century Music, founded in 1989. Repertoire for concerts is drawn from the standard chamber music with special attention to music of the 20th and 21st centuries, and to music by Williams composers. Musicians are normally drawn from the ranks of Artists in Residence, Artist Associates, and other faculty, as well as occasional visiting artists.

Zachary Wadsworth’s compositions have been heard in venues around the world, from Washington’s Kennedy Center to Tokyo’s Takinogawa Hall, and have been performed by such ensembles as the choir of Westminster Abbey, the Yale Schola Cantorum, the Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra, and the Atlanta Philharmonic Orchestra. As the 2012-2013 recipient of the Douglas Moore Fellowship for American Opera, Wadsworth was in residence at the Metropolitan Opera and the Santa Fe Opera. In 2014, he had his Carnegie Hall debut.

Wadsworth earned graduate degrees from Cornell University (DMA) and Yale University (MM), and is an honors graduate of the Eastman School of Music (BM). Originally from Richmond, Virginia, Wadsworth (b. 1983) has previously taught at the Interlochen Center for the Arts and the University of Calgary in Alberta, Canada.

Upcoming Events:

- Sat Feb 13 2pm Club Zambezi Dance Party! '62 Center, CenterStage
- Sun Feb 14 3pm Berkshire Soloist Competition Recital Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Tue Feb 16 6pm Berkshire Symphony Soloist Competition Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Wed Feb 17 4:15pm Faculty Talk with Prof. Zachary Wadsworth Bernhard, room 30
- Thu Feb 18 8pm Jazz Faculty Concert Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Wed Feb 24 8pm Chan E. Park, Korean p’ansori - Visiting Artist Series Thompson Memorial Chapel
- Fri Feb 26 5:30pm All-Night Marathon of Voices Bernhard, room 30
- Tue Mar 1 4:15pm David Metzer – Class of 1960 Lecture Bernhard, room 30
- Wed Mar 2 12:15pm Faculty Talk with Prof. Tendai Maparutsa Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Fri Mar 4 7:15pm Pre-Concert Talk with Ronald Feldman, conductor of the Berkshire Symphony Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Fri Mar 4 8pm Berkshire Symphony Chapin Hall
- Sat Mar 5 2pm Berkshire Symphony Family Concert Chapin Hall
- Sat Mar 5 4pm Faculty Recital: Joana Genova, violin Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Wed Mar 9 12:15pm MIDWEEKMUSIC Chapin Hall
- Wed Mar 9 3:30pm Master Class: Stephen Hough, piano - Visiting Artist Series Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Wed Mar 9 3:30pm Master Class: Steven Isserlis, cello - Visiting Artist Series Chapin Hall
- Wed Mar 9 8pm Stephen Hough, piano; Steven Isserlis, cello - Visiting Artist Series Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Fri Mar 11 4:15pm Alex Ross – Class of 1960 Lecture Bernhard, room 30
- Fri Mar 11 8pm Williams Chamber Players Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Wed Mar 16 12:15pm MIDWEEKMUSIC Chapin Hall
- Thu Mar 17 7pm Brass Ensemble “Brass Bash” Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Wed Apr 6 4:15pm Master Class: Orion Weiss and Anna Polonsky - Visiting Artist Series Chapin Hall
- Wed Apr 6 8pm Orion Weiss and Anna Polonsky, piano duo - Visiting Artist Series Brook Hall
- Fri Apr 8 8pm Sierra Leone’s Refugee All Stars - Visiting Artist Series Chapin Hall
- Sat Apr 9 8pm Kusika/Zambezi Marimba Band Chapin Hall
- Sun Apr 10 2pm Kusika/Zambezi Marimba Band Spring concert Chapin Hall
- Mon Apr 11 8pm Anne Robert, violin - Visiting Artist Series Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall
- Tue Apr 12 4:15pm Master Class Anne Robert, violin - Visiting Artist Series Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall

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