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Program

Piano Trio No. 3 Op. 1 No. 3 in C Minor
IV. Finale, Prestissimo
Thompson Wang, Violin
Sedong Hwang, Cello
Ethan Yoshioka, Piano

Piano Trio No. 2, Op. 66
I. Allegro energico e fuoco
Madeleine Fruman, Violin
Anna Fruman, Cello
Yoko Nagafuchi, Piano

Clarinet Trio, Op. 114
I. Allegro
Malaya Nordyke, Clarinet
William Elzey, Cello
Kate Hwang, Piano

Beethoven
(1770-1827)

Felix Mendelssohn
(1809-1847)

Johannes Brahms
(1833-1897)

Paul Schoenfield
(b.1947)

Bohuslav Martinů
(1890-1959)

Maurice Ravel
(1875-1937)

Dmitri Shostakovich
(1906-1975)

Edvard Grieg
(1843-1907)

Maurice Ravel
(1875-1937)

Sonata for Flute, Violin and Piano, H. 254
Dianne Seo, Flute
Ashley Kim, Violin
Natalie Yee, Piano

Café Music
I. Allegro
Amber Correa, Violin
Priscilla Kim, Cello
Emily Uh, Piano

Intermission

Piano Trio
I. Modéré (A minor)
Katharine McMurtrey, Violin
Ryan Choi, Cello
Maya Paredes, Piano

Cello Sonata No. 2, Op. 99
I. Allegro vivace (F major)
Raymond Newell, Cello
Broiana Satow, Piano

Piano Trio No. 2, Op. 67
II. Allegro con brio
Charmaine Lee, Violin
Derek Van Delden, Cello
Sarah Lee, Piano

String Quartet No. 1, Op. 27
I. Un poco andante – Allegro molto ed agitato
Jason Corbin, Violin
Alisa Luera, Violin
David Noble, Viola
Jonathan Kim, Cello

La Valse for Two Pianos (arranged by Lucien Garban)
Nicholas Mendez, Piano
Yoko Rosenbaum, Piano
Meet The Performers

**Ethan Yoshioka, Piano:** Ethan Yoshioka, 16, has studied piano for twelve years and has participated in many competitions earning first place awards from the Southern California Junior Bach Festival, CAPMT, and MTAC VOCE. He has received awards from ENKOR, International Liszt Competition, SYMF, Mozart Festival, and the Los Angeles Bach Festival Concerto Competition. Ethan is a student of Dr. Felix Tao Chang.

**Thompson Wang, Violin:** Thompson Wang is a 10th grade student of Crossroads Arts & Science School. Winner of Westside Concerto Competition and OC Symphony concerto competition, performing with SMC Symphony Orchestra and OC Symphony Orchestra in May and August. Discovery Prize from YMF Concerto Competition, Honorable mention from Culver City Concerto competition and Classics Alive Foundation’s Young Artist Competition.

**Sedong Hwang, Cello:** Sedong Hwang, 14, is currently working with Stan Sharp, a teacher at the Colburn School of Music, and Robert deMaine, the principal cellist of the Los Angeles Philharmonic. Sedong won second place at the ASTA LA-Finals, and qualified to move on to the ASTA State Finals. This is his 3rd year in JCM. He is the 2015-2016 ASB president of Rancho San Joaquin Middle School.

**Yoko Nagafuchi, Piano:** Yoko Nagafuchi, 16, studies piano with Dr. Lorna Griffitt in Irvine, California. She has won first place in many competitions such as the Southern California Junior Bach Festival Complete Works Auditions and CAMPT VIII Concerto Competition, which brought her to perform Concerto No.1 by Frederic Chopin with Orange County Symphony.

**Madeleine Fruman, Violin:** Madeleine Fruman, 14, has been participating in Junior Chamber Music for three years and studies with Deborah Kim. She is a member of the Pacific Symphony Youth Ensembles and University High School Symphony Orchestra. She has participated in All-Southern California Honors Orchestra, Irvine Unified Honors Orchestras, and Idyllwild Summer Symphony Orchestra.

**Anna Fruman, Cello:** Anna Fruman, 13, currently attends the Orange County School of the Arts. She is a member of the Pacific Symphony Santiago Strings and the OCSA Symphony Orchestra. Anna has been part of Junior Chamber Music for three years. Anna currently studies with Professor Joon Sung Jun.
Sarah Lee, Piano: Sarah Lee, a high school junior, began studying the piano at age four. She has studied under Dr. Kookhee Hong for six years, and performed at several concerts and competitions during that time. She has performed Mozart Piano Concerto No. 23 and Beethoven Piano Concerto No. 3 with orchestra. Sarah attended the Capistrano International Chamber Music Festival the past summer.

Charmaine Lee, Violin: Charmaine Lee, 13, started violin at 5, and studies with Lucy Qing Huo. She is homeschooled, and this is her 2nd year in JCM. Charmaine was concertmaster for Claremont Young Musicians Intermezzo Orchestra last year, and is now in CYMO. She has won awards from SYMF and MTAC. She won the “Edward Pfeiffer Award” for Most Promising Talent this year.

Derek Van Delden, Cello: Derek is 16 years old, a junior who plays basketball at Troy High School in Fullerton, CA. He has been playing cello since 5th grade, and has been a part of Troy’s Symphony Orchestra and String ensemble and has won 3rd place in a Satori Strings competition.

Kate Mijo Hwang, Piano: Kate Mijo Hwang, 18, first joined JCM as a violist in 2012, then as a pianist from 2013. She recently won several piano competitions, including the 2015 Robert Turner Piano Concerto Competition. She is also the founder/leader of a music volunteering organization, “Musicteers,” through which she strives to share music with her community.

Malaya Norydke, Clarinet: Malaya Norydke, 17, has focused on clarinet for the last 8 years, joining JCM in 2012. She has played with several state honor groups and local groups, including the Colburn Youth Orchestra. Malaya is active in her high school’s music and drama programs and is a volunteer mentor for the Los Angeles Harmony project.

William Ellzey, Cello: William, 17, started studying the cello at age 12. He immediately fell in love and soon realized he wanted to pursue a professional life with the instrument. One of the great pleasures he receives is through playing chamber music. William is forever indebted to JCM for helping him do just that.

Emily Uh, Piano: Emily Uh studies piano with Dr. Minji Noh. Her accomplishments in piano include First Place at the CAPMT Concerto Competition, Gold Medals at the MTAC Theme Festival, and Second Place at the CAPMT Contemporary Music Festival State Competition. She appeared as a soloist with OC Symphony and Celebration of Young Talent Concerto Orchestra.

Amber Correa, Violin: Amber Correa, age 15 and freshman at Orange County School of the Arts, studies violin with Deborah Kim. Awarded 1st place in VOCE, SYMF and multiple concerto competitions, Amber enjoyed the honor of solo performances with LA and OC orchestras. Amber thanks her coaches and JCM for 6 years of inspiration.
Priscilla Kim, Cello: Priscilla started the cello at the age of seven. A ninth grader attending Orange County School of the Arts, she is a student of Laszlo Mezo and a member of Pacific Symphony Youth Orchestra. She recently won the OCSA concerto competition and will perform as a soloist with OCSA Symphony Orchestra in March.

Natalie Yee, Piano: Natalie Yee, 14, has been playing piano since she was 4 years old. She is a high school freshman and has won numerous competitions. This is Natalie’s second time performing at Carnegie Hall, her first time was as a 2nd place winner in the American Protege International Competition of Romantic Music. Natalie enjoys playing golf and hanging out with friends.

Ashley Kim, Violin: Ashley Kim is a freshman honors student at the Orange County School of the Arts. She started violin at age seven and is currently studying with Mr. William Fitzpatrick. She is a multiple times winner of SYMF, and this is her second season of JCM. Ashley is grateful for this experience.

Dianne Seo, Flute: Dianne Seo, 14 is currently a freshman attending Orange County School of the Arts. She started playing the flute at the age of 8. She has played in IUSD Honor’s Orchestra, All Southern Honors Band and Orchestra, and Pacific Symphony Youth Wind Ensemble. She also earned first prize in SYMF.

Maya Paredes, Piano: A serious chamber musician, Maya has played piano and cello in many ensembles. She has performed as a pianist with JCM chamber music groups for five years and currently studies with Mark Richman. Maya organizes benefit and free community concerts, the most recent of which supported Education Through Music – Los Angeles.

Katharine McMurtrey, Violin: Katharine’s chamber music experience includes two years with the Colburn School’s Chamber Institute as a merit scholar. She was a member of SCSBOA Honors Orchestra, and has played professionally with Moonlight Amphitheatre. Katharine attended the COSMOS program at UCSD, served an internship at UCLA, and plans to study music and biology this fall. She studies with Dr. Cheryl Scheidemantle.

Ryan Choi, Cello: Ryan Choi has studied the cello for nine years and currently studies with John Walz. Recently, Ryan was selected as principal cellist of the Southern California School Band and Orchestra Association’s (SCSBOA) High School Honor Orchestra and placed first in the Junior Bach Festival. He plans to incorporate his passion for music when he attends university.

Raymond Newell, Cello: Raymond Newell has been studying cello for over 10 years. He has been a member of several youth orchestras including the prestigious Denver Young Artists Orchestra. Now living in Orange, California he is the Assistant Principal of the Orange County Youth Symphony Orchestra and studies with Prof. Joon Sung Jun.
Brianna Satow, Piano: Brianna Satow, 16, is a junior in the Pianist Program at the Orange County School of the Arts. She began taking piano lessons at the age of six, and has won awards in various piano competitions. She also successfully gave her debut solo recital at Orange Coast College in 2014. Besides performing as a solo pianist, Brianna loves playing chamber music.

Jason Corbin, Violin: Jason Corbin is a senior at Golden Valley High School in Santa Clarita, California. He has been studying violin and piano since he was 7 years old. He was featured in NPR’s “From the Top” and performed as a soloist with several local orchestras. This is his 8th year with JCM.

Alisa Luera, Violin: Alisa Luera is 17 and attends West Ranch High School as a Junior. She is currently the concertmaster of her school and LAYO (Los Angeles Youth Orchestra). She has studied with Yoko Honda, Idell Low, and Lorenz Gamma. Alisa has participated in musical tours throughout the years in NY, Vienna, and Prague.

David Noble, Viola: David Noble is a junior attending West Ranch High School, and was born and raised in Los Angeles. He began his violin studies at the age of 8 and picked up a viola at the age of 13, although he never had a formal teacher for viola. This year will be his second year participating in JCM.

Jonathan Kim, Cello: Jonathan Kim is currently a high school senior and an avid cellist. He is the principal cellist at West Ranch High School and has studied with Andrew Cook and Dr. Joon Sung Jun. He is also a North Korean activist and aspires to pursue his passion for biochemistry.

Nicholas Mendez, Piano: Nicholas Mendez is a 16-year-old pianist from Pasadena, California. He attends the Colburn Music Academy in Los Angeles, where he studies with Jeff Lavner and Jean-Yves Thibaudet. He has appeared on NPR’s From the Top and is a recipient of the Jack Kent Cooke Young Artist Award.

Yoko Rosenbaum, Piano: Yoko Rosenbaum, 17, is recognized as a “young artist beyond her age” (San Francisco Classical Voice). After making her solo debut with the Los Angeles Doctor’s Symphony at age ten, Yoko has performed internationally in Poland, Russia, Israel, Germany, Austria, Estonia and Finland. Yoko studies with Jeffrey Lavner at the Colburn School of Performing Arts as a Richard D. Colburn Merit Scholar.

Dr. Susan Boettger, Executive Director: Dr. Susan Boettger is the founder and executive director of the Junior Chamber Music program. Through her leadership, JCM has received recognition from the New York Concert Review for its performance at Carnegie Weill Recital Hall, and has performed on KUSC’s Sundays Live. She was a winner of the Juilliard Contemporary Concerto competitions, which resulted in being selected to premiere solo works for the New Juilliard Ensemble at Lincoln Center. She received her MM from Juilliard and her BM (piano) and BA (mathematics) from Rice University. This evening marks the second performance of Junior Chamber Music with DCINY.
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