

# UPSCALE UW WEEKLY

UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON  
MOORES SCHOOL OF MUSIC



April 6, 2015

## News & Notes

We are proud to announce that the **Moores School of Music** ranked sixth in a listing of the top *50 Most Beautiful Conservatories and Schools of Music* in the United States by College Degree Search. For more information, visit <http://www.collegedegreesearch.net/most-beautiful-conservatories/>

## Upcoming Events

Monday, April 6, 8:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Shelby Thomspson**, *viola (Studio of Wayne Brooks)*

Dudley Recital Hall

Tuesday, April 7, 6:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Yezhou Tan**, *piano (Studio of Abbey Simon)*

Dudley Recital Hall

Tuesday, April 7, 8:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Laura Schreck**, *soprano (Studio of Melanie Sonnenberg)*

Dudley Recital Hall

Wednesday, April 8, 8:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Ben Nobles**, *trombone (Studio of Brian Kauk)*

Choral Recital Hall

Wednesday, April 8, 8:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Mayetta Inn**, *harp (Studio of Paula Page)*

Dudley Recital Hall

Thursday, April 9, 6:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Aidan Smerud**, *bass-baritone (Studio of Joseph Evans)*

Dudley Recital Hall

Thursday, April 9, 8:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Michelle Jia Hui Wong**, *piano (Studio of Nancy Weems)*

Dudley Recital Hall

EDYTHE BATES OLD/MOORES OPERA CENTER

Friday, April 10, 7:30 pm

Saturday, April 11, 7:30 pm

Sunday, April 12, 2 pm

Monday, April 13, 7:30 pm

### **Rappaccini's Daughter**

by Daniel Catán

**Buck Ross**, *producer/director / Arne Almroth*, *conductor*

Lose yourself in Dr. Rappaccini's enticing garden, which is not only filled with his experimental poisonous plants, but also contains his equally lethal, yet seductive, daughter. Based on a Nathaniel Hawthorne story as retold by the Nobel Prize winning Octavio Paz, the opera explores a Garden of Eden gone awry with lush, sinfully sensuous music awash in orchestral color. This is the last in our series of all of the completed operas of Daniel Catán. Sung in the original Spanish with English surtitles. Opera preview lecture by the wife of the late composer 45 minutes prior to curtain.

Tuesday, April 14, 6:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Alan Cabera**, *double bass (Studio of Dennis Whittaker)*

Dudley Recital Hall

Tuesday, April 14, 8:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Laura Bleakly**, *piano (Studio of Timothy Hester)*

Dudley Recital Hall

Tuesday, April 14, 8:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Adam Plantz**, *composition (Studio of Rob Smith)*

Room 185

Wednesday, April 15, 6:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Amy Sheffer**, *mezzo-soprano (Studio of Melanie Sonnenberg)*

Dudley Recital Hall

Wednesday, April 15, 6:30 pm

### **Student Recital**

**Zach Luftop**, **Raymond Nesser**, and **Daniel Vila**, *percussion*

*(Studios of Alec Warren and Blake Wilkins)*

Choral Recital Hall

## Upcoming Events

Thursday, April 16, 1 pm Free

**A.I. Lack Series Guest Master Class**  
**Barthold Kuijken**, *Baroque flute*  
Choral Recital Hall

Thursday, April 16, 6:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Hannah Pitrie**, *clarinet (Studio of Chester Rowell)*  
Choral Recital Hall

Thursday, April 16, 7:30 pm Free

**A.I. Lack Series Guest Recital**  
**Barthold Kuijken**, *Baroque flute*  
Solo flute works by Telemann, Boismortier, J.S. Bach, C.P.E.  
Bach, Weiss  
Dudley Recital Hall

Thursday, April 16, 8:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Gerardo Mata**, *trumpet (Studio of Jim Vassallo)*  
Choral Recital Hall

Friday, April 17, 6:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Eric Laine**, *saxophone (Studio of Dan Gelok)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

Friday, April 17, 7:30 pm

**BALLET ORCHESTRA / Franz Anton Krager**, *conductor*  
with **HOUSTON BALLET II / Stanton Welch**, *artistic director*  
**Wei Wang**, *oboe soloist*  
Works by Tchaikovsky, Vivaldi, Rossini, Britten

Friday, April 17, 8:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Christopher Abide**, *tenor (Studio of Joseph Evans)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

Saturday April 18, 12:00 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Heath Martin**, *baritone (Studio of Hector Vasquez)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

Saturday, April 18, 12:00 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Matthew Bowman**, *euphonium (Studio of Dan Vinson)*  
Choral Recital Hall

Saturday, April 18, 2:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Hannah Reed**, *euphonium (Studio of Dan Vinson)*  
Choral Recital Hall

Saturday, April 18, 2:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Michael Tenaglio**, *trombone (Studio of Brian Kauk)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

Saturday April 18, 5:00 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Howard Solis**, *baritone (Studio of Timothy Jones)*  
Choral Recital Hall

Saturday, April 18, 5:00 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Evan Withner**, *saxophone (Studio of Dan Gelok)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

Saturday, April 18, 7:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Victoria Flores**, *soprano (Studio of Cynthia Clayton)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

Saturday, April 18, 7:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Delaney Marth**, *flute (Studio of Peggy Russell)*  
Choral Recital Hall

Sunday, April 19, 12:00 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Angela Leonard**, *percussion (Studio of Blake Wilkins)*  
Choral Recital Hall

Sunday, April 19, 12:00 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Yumemi Masui**, *piano (Studio of Nancy Weems)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

Sunday, April 19, 2:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Chenchen Li**, *piano (Studio of Nancy Weems)*  
Choral Recital Hall

Sunday, April 19, 2:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Whitney Robinson**, *mezzo-soprano (Studio of Lynda McKnight)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

Sunday, April 19, 5:00 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Jazmine Olwalia**, *mezzo-soprano (Studio of Melanie Sonnenberg)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

Sunday, April 19, 7:30 pm

**Student Recital**  
**Jack McLaughlin**, *piano (Studio of Abbey Simon)*  
Dudley Recital Hall

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