

DEL SOL STRING QUARTET  
PERFORMANCE/ACTIVITY SCHEDULE  
2010-2011

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2010-2011

Friday, August 27, 2010, 11:00-2:00 pm

Mezzanine, Terminal 1

San Francisco International Airport

**"You Are Hear at SFO" [Tarmac Music]**

**Performance at SFO**

*Three sets. Program selected from following:*

- Sally Beamish (b. 1956, Great Britain): String Quartet No. 2 "Opus California" (1999): II. Golden Gate, III. Dreams Before Lullabies
- Mark Fish (b. 1969): Whatever Happened to the Fireside Fancies? (2007): II. Trees of Sound and Color
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001): I. Toyos
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): I. Variations on Walter Von der Vogelweide's "Song of Palestine", III. Estampie, V. Usul
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "Love Walked In" from *The Goldwyn Follies* (1937)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "S Wonderful" from *Funny Face* (1927)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "I'll Build a Stairway to Paradise" from *George White's Scandals of 1922*
- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)
- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)
- Osvaldo Golijov (b. 1960, Argentina): Tenebrae (2002) (string quartet version 2003): VII. Yrushalem, more????
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango
- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010)

Friday, September 17, 2010, 7:45 – 8:30 am

Martin Luther King Jr. Middle School

1781 Rose Street

Berkeley, CA

**"Composing Together" Demonstration / Introduction Concert**

**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): IV. Rondeaux: Excerpt
- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010): III. Riverfalls
- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)

Monday, September 20, 2010, 7:30

Mainstage, School of the Arts (SOTA)

555 Portola Drive

San Francisco, CA

**"Chamber Music Gala"**

**Featuring the**

### **Del Sol String Quartet and SOTA faculty, artists-in-residence & students**

- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): I. Variations on Walter Von der Vogelweide's "Song of Palestine", III. Estampie
- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)
- Osvaldo Golijov (b. 1960, Argentina): Tenebrae (2002) (string quartet version 2003): VII. Yrushalem
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango

Thursday, September 23, 2010, 6:30-8:30 pm

#### **Open Rehearsal**

- Kui Dong (b. 1966, China): "Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter" Suite (2006): I. Spring
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010): Excerpt
- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010): III. Riverfalls
- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)

Friday, October 1, 2010, 7:30 pm

Berkeley Art Museum, Gallery B

2626 Bancroft Way

Berkeley, CA

#### **"L@TE: Friday Nights @ BAM/PFA: Del Sol String Quartet"**

- Kui Dong (b. 1966, China): "Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter" Suite (2006): I. Spring
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979)
- Osvaldo Golijov (b. 1960, Argentina): Tenebrae (2002) (string quartet version 2003)
- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)
- Improvisations interspersed between pieces

Friday, October 22, 2010, 8:10 – 8:55 am

Longfellow Magnet Middle School

1500 Derby Street

Berkeley, CA

#### **"Composing Together" Demonstration / Introduction Concert**

##### **Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010): III. Riverfalls
- "Mad Libs" Improvisation
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): I. Variations on Walter Von der Vogelweide's "Song of Palestine"

Thursday, October 28th, 2010, 7:00 pm

#### **Open Rehearsal**

- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010): IV. Waves Goodbye
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (2008-09): Excerpt
- MLK: Flamingos in Flip Flops and Llamas in Hats in Race Cars (2010) [WORLD PREMIERE]
- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." [WORLD PREMIERE] (2010): I. Short, excerpt, II. Painfully Beautiful  
with Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

Friday, October 29, 2010, 7:45 – 8:30 am  
Martin Luther King Jr. Middle School  
1781 Rose Street  
Berkeley, CA

**"Composing Together" Reading Session**  
**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Reading of student works

Tuesday, November 2, 2010, [between 1:00 – 3:00]  
School of the Arts (SOTA)  
555 Portola Drive  
San Francisco, CA

**"Shades" Outreach Performance**

*with Amy X Neuburg*

- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010): III. Riverfalls
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (2008-09): Excerpt
- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." (2010): II.  
Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

Wednesday, November 3, 2010, 7:45 – 8:30 am  
Martin Luther King Jr. Middle School  
1781 Rose Street  
Berkeley, CA

**"Composing Together" Rehearsal with advanced groups**  
**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Rehearsal of student works

Friday, November 5, 2010, [7:45 – 8:30 am] time TBD  
Martin Luther King Jr. Middle School  
1781 Rose Street  
Berkeley, CA

**"Composing Together" Final Concert**  
**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- MLK #1: "The Drunken Penguins Broke Out of Alcatraz" (2010) WORLD PREMIERE
- MLK #2: "Ninja Macaroni Penguins of the Flying Bagel Learn to Play the Violin on Jupiter" (2010) WORLD PREMIERE
- MLK #3: "Ruby-Slippered Dinosaurs Eating Churros" (2010) WORLD PREMIERE
- MLK Advanced Group: "Flamingos in Flip Flops and Llamas in Hats in Race Cars" (2010) WORLD PREMIERE  
with MLK advanced string students

Friday, November 5, 2010, 8:00 pm  
Caroline H. Hume Concert Hall  
San Francisco Conservatory of Music  
50 Oak Street

San Francisco, CA

**"Celebration Concert / Honoring the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Conservatory's Chamber Music Program / and Bonnie Hampton"**

- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): I. Variations on Walter Von der Vogelweide's "Song of Palestine", III. Estampie

Sunday, November 7, 2010, 9:00 – 10:00pm

KALW-FM

500 Mansell Street

San Francisco, CA

**"Then and Now" with Sarah Cahill, KALW-FM**

**Live Radio Performances and Interview**

With Charlton and Kate

Sunday, November 7, 2010, 10:00 – 10:45 pm

KPFA-FM

1929 Martin Luther King Jr. Way

Berkeley, CA

**"Discreet Music" with Dean Suzuki, KPFA-FM**

**Live Radio Interview**

With Rick and Amy X Neuburg

Wednesday, November 10, 2010, 3:00-4:00 pm

**"Classical Wednesday" with Norman Masonson, KWMR-FM**

**Live Radio Interview**

With Charlton, Ron Bruce Smith, and Rick (all phoning in from Kate's home)

Saturday, November 13, 2010, 11:00 am

San Francisco Community Music Center

544 Capp Street

San Francisco, CA

**"Shades" Outreach Performance**

*with Amy, Joan and Daniel in attendance.*

- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." (2010): I. Short (excerpt), III. Fez

Amy X Neuburg, voice

- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010): I. Dive (excerpt), II. Cascade, III. Riverfalls

- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

Saturday, November 13, 2010, 8:00 pm

Yerba Buena Center for the Arts FORUM

701 Mission Street

San Francisco, CA

**Home Season Performances "Shades"**

- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." WORLD PREMIERE (2010)

Amy X Neuburg, voice

- Osvaldo Golijov (b. 1960, Argentina): Tenebrae (2002) (string quartet version 2003)
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (2008-09) WORLD PREMIERE
- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010) WORLD PREMIERE
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010) WORLD PREMIERE

Sunday, November 14, 2010, 2:00 pm

The Dance Palace

503 - B Street

Point Reyes Station, CA

**Home Season Performances "Shades"**

- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." (2010)  
Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Osvaldo Golijov (b. 1960, Argentina): Tenebrae (2002) (string quartet version 2003)
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (2008-09)
- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010)
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

Friday, November 19, 2010, 7:30 pm

Samovar Hall

1077 Independence Avenue

Mountain View, CA

**Samovar Performance**

- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." (2010)  
Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Osvaldo Golijov (b. 1960, Argentina): Tenebrae (2002) (string quartet version 2003)
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (2008-09)
- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010)
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

Monday, November 29, 2010, 8:10 – 8:55 am

Longfellow Magnet Middle School

1500 Derby Street

Berkeley, CA

**"Composing Together" Rehearsal with advanced groups**

**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Rehearsal of student works

Wednesday, December 1, 2010, 8:10 – 8:55 am

Longfellow Magnet Middle School

1500 Derby Street

Berkeley, CA

**"Composing Together" Reading Session**

**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Reading of student works

Friday, December 3, 2010, 8:10 – 8:55 am

Longfellow Magnet Middle School

1500 Derby Street  
Berkeley, CA

**"Composing Together" Rehearsal with advanced groups**  
**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Rehearsal of student works

Wednesday, December 8, 2010, 8:10 – 8:55 am  
Longfellow Magnet Middle School  
1500 Derby Street  
Berkeley, CA

**"Composing Together" Final Concert**  
**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Longfellow Group #1: Freezer Sharks vs. the Microwave Tigers (2010) WORLD PREMIERE
- Longfellow Group #2: Chocolate Frog Mango Tango (with Pushups) (2010) WORLD PREMIERE
- Longfellow Group #3: Purple Howler Monkey Takes a Bath (2010) WORLD PREMIERE
- Longfellow Group #4: The Lazy Dragon and the Chicken (2010) WORLD PREMIERE
- Longfellow Advanced Group: "Karate: Luco vs. the Ice Cream" (2010) WORLD PREMIERE with Longfellow advanced string students

Wednesday, December 15, 2010, 11:00-2:00 pm  
International Terminal  
San Francisco International Airport

**"You Are Hear at SFO" [Tarmac Music]**  
**Performance at SFO**

*Three sets. Programs chosen from the following:*

- Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750, Germany): Harmonized chorales (selections)
- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "I'll Build a Stairway to Paradise" from *George White's Scandals of 1922*
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "Love Walked In" from *The Goldwyn Follies* (1937)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "'S Wonderful" from *Funny Face* (1927)
- Osvaldo Golijov (b. 1960, Argentina): Tenebrae (2002) (string quartet version 2003)
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979)
- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010)
- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)
- Hyo-shin Na (b. 1959, Korea): Song of the Beggars (1998)
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango
- Peter Sculthorpe (b. 1929, Australia): String Quartet No. 16 (2005)
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

Wednesday, December 15, 2010, circa 7:00 – 9:00 pm  
Hub SoMa ("The Hub"), Main Space  
901 Mission Street (S.F. Chronicle Building), Suite 105  
San Francisco, CA

**"PresentSound"**

*also did an improvisation on words from the audience*

- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

- W. Jay Sydeman (b. 1928): Gopherbroke for solo violin (c. 1980's)  
with Rick
- György Ligeti (1923-2006, Romania): Sonata for solo cello (1948): I. Dialogo  
with Kathryn
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): Calligraphy No. 5 for solo viola (2003)  
with Charlton
- Stephen Kent (b. 1958, England): "Tjilpi 2" (1988) for solo didgeridoo  
with Stephen Kent
- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): Nonette for solo violin and electronics WORLD  
PREMIERE  
with Kate and Amy X Neuburg
- Peter Sculthorpe (b. 1929, Australia): String Quartet No. 16 (2005)  
with Stephen Kent, didgeridoo
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango  
with Stephen Kent, didgeridoo
- "The Crowd Jam" based on traditional Aboriginal Chant  
Stephen Kent, didgeridoo and percussion; Del Sol, vocals

Thursday, January 6, 2011, 9:50 - 10:35 am  
Lowell High School  
1101 Eucalyptus Drive  
San Francisco, CA

**"Composing Together" Demonstration / Introduction Concert  
Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010): III. Riverfalls
- "Mad Libs" Improvisation
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): I. Variations on Walter Von der Vogelweide's "Song of Palestine"

January 13-16, 2011  
Westin New York at Times Square  
270 – West 43<sup>rd</sup> Street  
New York, NY

**Chamber Music America 33<sup>rd</sup> National Conference**  
*Charlton and Jane attend.*

Friday, January 21, 2011, 8:20-9:16  
Hercules Middle/High School  
1900 Refugio Valley Road  
Hercules, CA

**"Composing Together" Demonstration / Introduction Concert  
Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

*No Kate (sick)*

- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010): III. Riverfalls
- "Mad Libs" Improvisation
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): I. Variations on Walter Von der Vogelweide's "Song of Palestine"

Friday, January 28, 2011, circa 7:00 – 9:00 pm  
Hub SoMa ("The Hub")  
901 Mission Street (S.F. Chronicle Building), Suite 105  
San Francisco, CA

**"PresentSound"**

- Kui Dong (b. 1966, China): "Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter" Suite (2006): I. Spring
- W. Jay Sydeman (b. 1928): "The Little Balloon Man" for solo violin & narrator (c. 1980's)  
with Rick and Charlton
- ZHOU Long (b. 1953, China): Song of the Ch'in (1982)
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): Nayshâboorák (Calligraphy No. 6) (2006)

Monday, February 7, 2011, 9:50 - 10:35 am  
Lowell High School  
1101 Eucalyptus Drive  
San Francisco, CA

**"Composing Together" Rehearsal with advanced groups**

**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Rehearsal of student works

Wednesday, February 9, 2011, 10:00 – 11:00 am  
Lowell High School  
1101 Eucalyptus Drive  
San Francisco, CA

**"Composing Together" Reading Session**

**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Reading of student works

Friday, February 11, 2011

**CD release date of *Since When Has the Bright Moon Existed?* (OM 1018-2)**

- Kui Dong (b. 1966, China): "Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter" Suite for String Quartet, Matouqin (Horse-head Fiddle), Sheng (Mouth-organ), Suona (Chinese Double-reed Wind Instrument), Zheng (Chinese Horizontal Harp), Yangqin (Hammer Dulcimer) and Chinese Percussion (2006)

with Duo Huang and Melody of China (Hong Wang, Wanpeng Guo, Yangqin Zhao, Gangqin)

Monday, February 14, 2011, 9:50 - 10:35 am  
Lowell High School  
1101 Eucalyptus Drive  
San Francisco, CA

**"Composing Together" Final Concert**

**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Lowell Group #1: Murder on a Stormy Night (2011) WORLD PREMIERE
- Lowell Group #2: Day in the Life of a Firefighter (2011) WORLD PREMIERE
- Lowell Group #3: Midnight Magic (2011) WORLD PREMIERE
- Lowell Group #4: Rollercoaster Metaphor (2011) WORLD PREMIERE
- Lowell Advanced Group: Burning Desires of War (2011) WORLD PREMIERE  
with Lowell advanced string students



Saturday, February 19, 2011, 7:30 pm

Eugene and Agnes E. Meyer Auditorium, Freer Gallery of Art, Smithsonian Institute  
Jefferson Drive at 12th Street, SW  
Washington, DC

**Bill and Mary Meyer Concert Series. After Five: "Del Sol String Quartet"**

- ZHOU Long (b. 1953, China): Song of the Ch'in (1982)
- Hyo-shin Na (b. 1959, Korea): Song of the Beggars (1998)
- Paul Yeon Lee (b. 1970, Korea): Ari, Ari... ari (2008)
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): Nayshâboorák (Calligraphy No. 6) (2006)
- Koji Nakano (b. 1974, Japan): Time Song III: Reincarnation: "The Birth of a Spirit" (String Quartet Version) (2010) [AMERICAN PREMIERE]
- Kui Dong (b. 1966, China): "Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter" Suite for String Quartet, Matouqin (Horse-head Fiddle), Sheng (Mouth-organ), Suona (Chinese Double-reed Wind Instrument), Zheng (Chinese Horizontal Harp), Pipa (Chinese Lute) and Chinese Percussion (2006) EAST COAST PREMIERE  
with Hong Wang (erhu), Gao Hong (pipa), Hu Jianbing (sheng) and Yang Yi (guzheng)

Sunday, February 20, 2011, 2:00 pm

Terrace Theater  
Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts  
2700 - F Street, NW  
Washington, DC

**S&R Foundation presents: The Music of Composer Koji Nakano  
"Innovation and Tradition: A Confluence of Musical Cultures"**

- Koji Nakano (b. 1974, Japan): Time Song III: Reincarnation: "The Birth of a Spirit" (String Quartet Version) (2010) AMERICAN PREMIERE

Friday, March 4, 2011, 8:00 pm

Kanbar Hall  
Eugene & Elinor Friend Center for the Arts  
Jewish Community Center of San Francisco  
3200 California Street  
San Francisco, CA

**Other Minds Festival XVI**

- David Jaffe (b. 1955): "The Space Between Us" for two string quartets and remote-performed robot percussion and piano, with all instruments spatially distributed throughout the concert hall (2010) WORLD PREMIERE  
with Andrew Schloss, disklavier and Trimpin-rigged instruments, and members of Left Coast Chamber Ensemble (Anna Presler, Phylis Kamrin, Kurt Rohde and Leighton Fong)  
[www.otherminds.org](http://www.otherminds.org)

Tuesday, March 8, 2011, 8:20-9:16

Hercules Middle/High School  
**"Composing Together" Reading Session  
Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Reading of student works

Friday, March 11, 2011, 8:20-9:16

Hercules Middle/High School

**"Composing Together" Rehearsal with advanced groups**

**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Rehearsal of student works

Tuesday, March 15, 2011, 8:20-9:16

Hercules Middle/High School

**"Composing Together" Final Concert**

**Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Hercules Group #1: "Underwater Love Affair: The Jellyfish and the Girly Shark" (2011) WORLD PREMIERE
- Hercules Group #2: "The Toy Box Suite" (2011) WORLD PREMIERE
- Hercules Group #3: "Gilbert the Girafagon Climbs Mt. Everest to Consult with Personal Trainer, Faye Fox" (2011) WORLD PREMIERE
- Hercules Advanced Group: "The Sultry Elephant and the Ladybug" (2011) WORLD PREMIERE with Hercules advanced string students

Thursday, March 17, 2011, 7:00 pm (music starts 7:30 pm)

**Open Rehearsal**

- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995): II & IV.
- R. Murray Schafer (b. 1933, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (1981): II. Allegro energico
- Adriana Isabel Figueroa Mañas (b. 1966, Argentina): Tangoimpressions (2001): I. Audacious Tango
- Sally Beamish (b. 1956, Great Britain): String Quartet No. 2 "Opus California" (1999): II. Golden Gate, III. Dreams Before Lullabies

Friday, April 1, 2011, 8:00 pm

Old First Church

1751 Sacramento Street

San Francisco, CA

**Old First Concerts**

**"Del Sol String Quartet"**

- Improvisation on Eine kleine Nachtmusik (April Fools tribute)
- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)
- ZHOU Long (b. 1953, China): Song of the Ch'in (1982)
- R. Murray Schafer (b. 1933, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (1981): II. Allegro energico
- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995)
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): Nayshâboorák (Calligraphy No. 6) (2006)

Saturday, April 9, 2011, 2:30-5:00 PM

San Francisco International Airport

Ticket Lobby Stage

**Community Open House, Grand Re-Opening of Terminal 2**

*Anthony Blea subs for Kate. Program chosen from:*

- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "Love Walked In" from *The Goldwyn Follies* (1937)

- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "S Wonderful" from *Funny Face* (1927)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "I'll Build a Stairway to Paradise" from *George White's Scandals of 1922*
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979)
- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010)
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango
- Peter Sculthorpe (b. 1929, Australia): String Quartet No. 16 (2005)

Monday, April 11, 2:00 pm  
 Studio B, ODC Dance Commons  
 351 Shotwell Street  
 San Francisco, CA

**StringWreck Open Rehearsal**

- With Tanya Bello, Dudley Flores, Tegan Schwab and Nol Simonse
- Run of "StringWreck"

Wednesday, April 13, 2011, 4:30-6:00 pm  
 Pavilion, Performing Arts Center  
 California Polytechnic State University  
 San Luis Obispo, CA

**"StringWreck" Masterclass for youth symphony members**

- with Janice Garrett, Charles Moulton and StringWreck dancers  
 With Tanya Bello, Dudley Flores, Tegan Schwab and Nol Simonse

Thursday, April 14, 2011, 11:00 – 12:00 noon  
 Pavilion, Performing Arts Center  
 California Polytechnic State University  
 San Luis Obispo, CA

**String Quartet masterclass**

Coaching university student string quartets: Beethoven #4, first mvt, and Brubeck-Cohen Blue Rondo

Friday, April 15, 2011, 8:00 pm  
 Cal Poly Arts, California Polytechnic State University  
 Alex & Faye Spanos Theatre  
 One Grand Avenue  
 San Luis Obispo, CA

**Cal Poly Arts Presents "StringWreck"**

**Collaboration with Janice Garrett & Dancers, and Charles Moulton**

- With Tanya Bello, Dudley Flores, Tegan Schwab and Nol Simonse
- Kui Dong (b. 1966, China): "Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter" Suite (2006): I. Spring
  - Mark Fish (b. 1969): Whatever Happened to the Fireside Fancies? (2007): II. Trees of Sound and Color
  - DSSQ: Improvisation on Mark Fish
  - Adriana Isabel Figueroa Mañas (b. 1966, Argentina): Tangoimpressions (2001): I. Audacious Tango
  - Sally Beamish (b. 1956, Great Britain): String Quartet No. 2 "Opus California" (1999): II. Golden Gate, III. Dreams Before Lullabies

- George Antheil (1900-1959): String Quartet No. 2 (1927): IV. Presto – Cadenza finale
- "Wall of Sound" (Solo Improvisations)
- Durwynne Hsieh (b. 1963): Five Friends for solo unaccompanied violin (2000): V. Pesante – Allegro: excerpt
- Traditional, arr. DSSQ: Black is the Color (Of My True Love's Hair)
- György Ligeti (1923-2006, Romania): Sonata for solo cello (1948): I. Dialogo
- Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750, Germany): Sonata No. 3, BWV 1005, for solo violin: III. Largo
- Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky (1840-1893, Russia)/arr. Lynne Latham: Dance of the Sugar-Plum Fairy from *The Nutcracker* (excerpt)
- R. Murray Schafer (b. 1933, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (1981): II. Allegro energico
- Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750, Germany): Sonata No. 1, BWV 1001, for solo violin: I. Adagio
- "Square Dance" (Rhythmic Musical Improvisation)
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango
- TAN Dun (b. 1957, China): "Little Cabbage" from Ghost Opera
- Max Reger (1873-1916, Germany): Suite No. 1, opus 131d, for solo viola: I. Molto sostenuto
- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)
- Traditional French, arr. DSSQ: "Ah! vous dirai-je, Maman" (published 1761) ["Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star"]

Tuesday, April 19, 2011, 11:45-12:30 pm

Hertz Hall

University of California, Berkeley

Berkeley, CA

**Performance for Edmund Campion class**

- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995): First movement (performed twice, with discussion)

Tuesday, April 19, 2011, 7:00 – pm

Hub SoMa ("The Hub")

901 Mission Street (S.F. Chronicle Building), Suite 105

San Francisco, CA

**"PresentSound"**

- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)
- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995)
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010) (encore)

Friday, April 22, 2011, 8:00 pm (Del Sol plays 9:00)

Cafe Orwell

Global Pulse

247 Varet Street (betw. White and Bogart Streets)

Brooklyn, NY

**"The Super Coda presents: Amy X Neuberg and the Del Sol String Quartet"**

*Opening Act: Dream Zoo*

*Closing Act: The Curious Shape of Hens*

- Amy X Neuberg (b. Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." [EAST COAST PREMIERE] (2010) with Amy X Neuberg, voice

- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (2008-09) [EAST COAST PREMIERE]
- Quasi-improvisational untitled work  
with Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995): 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> movements [EAST COAST PREMIERE]
- R. Murray Schafer (b. 1933, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (1981): II. Allegro energico
- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)

Saturday, April 23, 2011, 8:00-9:30 pm

Gershwin Hotel

7 - East 27th Street

New York, NY

**"Contagious Sounds Series: Del Sol String Quartet"**

- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village 2 (2007)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "Love Walked In" from *The Goldwyn Follies* (1937)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "I'll Build a Stairway to Paradise" from *George White's Scandals of 1922*
- ZHOU Long (b. 1953, China): Song of the Ch'in (1982)
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)
- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995), 1<sup>st</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> movements
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): Nayshâboorák (Calligraphy No. 6) (2006)
- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975) (encore)

Sunday, April 24, 2011, 6:00 pm

**House Concert**

- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." (2010)  
with Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (2008-09)
- Quasi-improvisational untitled work  
with Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): "Difficult " and "Shrapnel" from *The Secret Language of Subways*  
with Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): Nayshâboorák (Calligraphy No. 6) (2006)

Monday, April 25, 2011, 7:30 pm

Leonard Nimoy Thalia, Symphony Space

**Cutting Edge Concerts New Music Festival 2011**

ALL NEW YORK PREMIERES

- Amy X Neuburg (b. 1962, Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." [EAST COAST PREMIERE] (2010)  
with Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): String Quartet No. 3 (2008-09) EAST COAST PREMIERE
- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995)
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): Nayshâboorák (Calligraphy No. 6) (2006)

Tuesday, May 10, 2011, 2:15-3:30 pm  
Children's Day School  
333 Dolores Street  
San Francisco, CA

**"Composing Together" Demonstration / Introduction Concert  
Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010): III. Riverfalls
- Structured improvisations on two poems

Monday, May 23, 2011, 6:30 – 8:30 pm

**SFFCM (San Francisco Friends of Chamber Music) Fundraising Concert**

Performance Order TBD

- George Antheil (1900-1959): String Quartet No. 2 (1927): 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> movements
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)  
Wapango
- Chinary Ung (b. 1942, Cambodia): Spiral X: "In Memoriam" for amplified string quartet (2007)
- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)

Tuesday, May 24, 2011, 2:15-3:30 pm  
Children's Day School  
333 Dolores Street  
San Francisco, CA

**"Composing Together" Reading Session  
Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Reading of student works

Friday, May 27, 2011

**Open Rehearsal**

- Astor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001): I & II
- George Antheil (1900-1959): String Quartet No. 2 (1927): 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> movements
- Chinary Ung (b. 1942, Cambodia): Spiral X: "In Memoriam" for amplified string quartet (2007)
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

Tuesday, June 7, 2011, 2:15-3:30 pm  
Children's Day School

**"Composing Together" Reading Session  
Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Reading of student works

Tuesday, June 14, 2011, 3:45 pm

Children's Day School

### **Children's Day School Graduation 2011**

#### **"Composing Together" Performance**

#### **Educational project with Katrina Wreede**

- Children's Day School Students: "Pride" (2011) WORLD PREMIERE  
with poem narrated by students of Children's Day School
- Children's Day School Students: "Springtime" (2011) WORLD PREMIERE  
with poem narrated by students of Children's Day School

Thursday, June 16, 2011, 7:00 pm

#### **Open Rehearsal**

- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): *Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout* (2001): Third, fourth, fifth, sixth mvts.
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): *String Quartet No. 3* (2008-09): Excerpt
- Chinary Ung (b. 1942, Cambodia): *Spiral X: "In Memoriam"* for amplified string quartet (2007)
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010) (encore)

Tuesday, June 21, 2011 (Summer Solstice), 6:45-9:00 pm

Chamber of Effulgence

Chapel of the Chimes

4499 Piedmont Avenue

Oakland, CA

#### **"Garden of Memory 2011:**

#### **A Columbarium Walk-Through Event"**

*Two sets. Music performed (not in order):*

- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): *Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout* (2001)
- Amy X Neuburg (b. Great Britain): "Lonely. Strange hats." [WORLD PREMIERE] (2010): I. Short, II. Painfully Beautiful, IV. Short  
with Amy X Neuburg, voice
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): *Libertango*  
with Stephen Kent, didgeridoo
- Peter Sculthorpe (b. 1929, Australia): *String Quartet No. 16* (2005) [24:00]: I, II, IV, V.  
with Stephen Kent, didgeridoo
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): *String Quartet No. 3* (2008-09)
- Chinary Ung (b. 1942, Cambodia): *Spiral X: "In Memoriam"* for amplified string quartet (2007)
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): *Nayshâboorák* (Calligraphy No. 6) (2006)
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

Tuesday, June 21, 2011, 12:30 - 5:00 pm

Wednesday, June 22, 2011, 12:30 - 5:00 pm

Thursday, June 23, 2011, 12:30 - 5:00 pm

Friday, June 24, 2011, 12:30 - 8:00 pm

#### **QuartetFest! Session I**

Guest Artist: Janice Garret and Charles Moulton

Monday, June 27, 2011, 4:00 pm  
Elizabeth S. Lenna Hall  
Chautauqua Institute  
One Ames Avenue  
Chautauqua, NY

**Chautauqua Institution**

**Logan Chamber Music Series: "Del Sol String Quartet" "HearTear"**

- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): *Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout* (2001)
- Ronald Bruce Smith (b. 1961, Canada): *String Quartet No. 3* (2008-09)
- Chinary Ung (b. 1942, Cambodia): *Spiral X: "In Memoriam"* for amplified string quartet (2007)
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): *Nayshâboorák (Calligraphy No. 6)* (2006)

Tuesday, July 5, 2011, 12:30 - 5:00 pm  
Wednesday, July 6, 2011, 12:30 - 5:00 pm  
Thursday, July 7, 2011, 12:30 - 5:00 pm  
Friday, July 8, 2011, 12:30 - 8:00 pm

**QuartetFest! Session II**

Guest Artist: Janice Garret and Charles Moulton

Friday, August 26, 2011, 11:00-2:00 pm  
Mezzanine, Terminal One  
San Francisco International Airport  
**"You Are Hear at SFO" [Tarmac Music]**

**Performance at SFO**

*Three sets. Program selected from following:*

- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): *Wapango* (1975)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "Love Walked In" from *The Goldwyn Follies* (1937)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "S Wonderful" from *Funny Face* (1927)
- George Gershwin (1898-1937)/arr. Bill Thorp: "I'll Build a Stairway to Paradise" from *George White's Scandals of 1922*
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): *String Quartet Set* (1979)
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): *Libertango*
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): "La Sangre de la Luna" (2010)

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