

DEL SOL STRING QUARTET
PERFORMANCE/ACTIVITY SCHEDULE
2012-2013

REVISED 2013-06-18

2012-2013

Tuesday, October 2, 2012, 11:00am - 6:00 pm
Wednesday, October 3, 2012, 10:00am - 5:00 pm

Film Recording

- Stephen Trask (b. 1967, US): Music for Film "*Lovelace*"

October 14-18, 2012

Sichuan Conservatory of Music
Chengdu, China

"Autumn Sound" Chengdu Contemporary Music Festival 2012 (CCMF)

Tuesday, October 16, 2012, 4:30 pm
Concert Hall 2
Sichuan Conservatory of Music
Chengdu

Chengdu Contemporary Music Festival Performance

- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village (2007) ASIA PREMIERE
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979)
- SHI Ziwei (b. 1963, China): Portrait (2007)
- Mason Bates (b. 1977): Bagatelles for string quartet and electronica (2011) ASIA PREMIERE
- Chinary Ung (b. 1942, Cambodia): Spiral X: "In Memoriam" for amplified string quartet (2007) ASIA PREMIERE

Wednesday, October 17, 2012, 4:30 pm
Concert Hall 3
Sichuan Conservatory of Music
Chengdu

Chengdu Contemporary Music Festival Performance

- Kui Dong (b. 1966, China): "Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter" Suite (2006): I. Spring ASIA PREMIERE
- HU Xiao: Monolog on the string for viola solo (2008) WORLD PREMIERE

Sunday, October 28, 2012, 3:00-6:00 pm
Stanford, CA

"Live at the Living Room" (House Concert)

- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001): I. Toyos, II. Tarqueada

- Mason Bates (b. 1977): Bagatelles for string quartet and electronica (2011): III. "On a Wire: Mating Dance"
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): I. Variations on Walter Von der Vogelweide's "Song of Palestine", III. Estampie, IV. Rondeaux
- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village (2007)
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango (encore)

Saturday, November 10, 2012, 8:00 pm
 Peninsula Jewish Community Center
 800 Foster City Boulevard
 Foster City, CA

"Up Close at the PJCC presents Del Sol String Quartet"

- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001)
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979)
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango

Thursday, November 15, 2012, 1:10-2:10 pm
 Ruth Asawa San Francisco School of the Arts (SOTA)
 555 Portola Drive
 San Francisco CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 1

- Chris Jonas (b. 1966): GARDEN; Chapter One "Night" (2009): V. Blue Trees, III. Blocks [Excerpts]
- Improvisations on Two words, and structured improvisation on "The Taxi" by Amy Lowell
- Matthew Cmiel (b. 1989): "Invocation" (2012): Excerpt [WORLD PREMIERE]

Friday, November 16, 2012, 7:00 pm
 San Francisco, CA

House concert

- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001): IV. Chasqui
- Lembit Beecher (b. 1980): "These Memories May Be True" (2012): I. Old Folk Song, II. The Legend of The Last Ship (and Other Collective Memories) [WORLD PREMIERE]
- Irene Sazer (b. 1959): "Thunder" (2012) [WORLD PREMIERE]
- Chris Jonas (b. 1966): GARDEN; Chapter One "Night" (2009): V. Blue Trees, III. Blocks
- Peter Sculthorpe (b. 1929, Australia): String Quartet No. 16 (2005): V. Freedom

Sunday, December 2, 2012, 9:00 pm
 KALW-FM
 500 Mansell Street
 San Francisco, CA
 "Then and Now" with Sarah Cahill, KALW-FM

Live Radio Interview

With Charlton and Kate

Monday, December 3, 2012, 7:58am, 12:58pm, and 5:58pm (airtimes), and posted online (Interviewed on November 20, 2012)
 KDFC-FM

KDFC "The State of the Arts" with host Jeffrey Freymann-Weyr

Tuesday, December 4, 2012, 7:00-9:15 pm

Z Space

450 Florida Street

San Francisco, CA

"Del Sol Days: Composition Student Workshop with Del Sol & Gabriela Lena Frank"

(different order than printed program)

- Mario Godoy (b. 1988): "Cut and Run" (2012) WORLD PREMIERE
- Rafael Valle (b. 1985): "∞" for (2010, rev. 2012) WORLD PREMIERE ?
- Rachel Devorah Trapp (b. 1986): "Milk" (2012) WORLD PREMIERE

Wednesday, December 5, 2012, 4:00-6:00 pm

Z Space

450 Florida Street

San Francisco, CA

"Del Sol Days: Open Rehearsal with Del Sol & Commissioned Composers"

- Dylan Mattingly (b. 1991): "Gone, gone, gone" (2012) [WORLD PREMIERE]
- Irene Sazer (b. 1959): "Thunder" (2012) [WORLD PREMIERE]

Wednesday, December 5, 2012, 8:00-10:00 pm

Z Space

450 Florida Street

San Francisco, CA

"Del Sol Days: Open Rehearsal with Del Sol & Commissioned Composers"

- Lembit Beecher (b. 1980): "These Memories May Be True" (2012) [WORLD PREMIERE]
- Matthew Cmiel (b. 1989): "Invocation" (2012) [WORLD PREMIERE]

Thursday, December 6, 2012, 8:00 pm

Z Space

450 Florida Street

San Francisco, CA

"Del Sol Days: Concert #1: Multi-media production, 'GARDEN', Chapter 1: Night"

- Chris Jonas (b. 1966): GARDEN; Chapter One "Night" (2009)

Friday, December 7, 2012, 8:00 pm

Z Space

450 Florida Street

San Francisco, CA

"Del Sol Days: Concert #2: Del Sol String Quartet with ZOFO Duet"

- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): These Walls (2011)
- Lembit Beecher (b. 1980): "These Memories May Be True" (2012) WORLD PREMIERE
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001)
- Matthew Cmiel (b. 1989): "Invocation" (2012) WORLD PREMIERE
- Joe Dudell (b. 1972, Great Britain): "Vaporize" for piano-4 hands (2000)
ZOFO Duet (Eva-Maria Zimmermann and Keisuke Nakagoshi)
- Kui Dong (b. 1966, China): "Shall We Play?" (2012): for piano duet, toy pianos and string

quartet (2012)

with ZOFO Duet (Eva-Maria Zimmermann and Keisuke Nakagoshi) US PREMIERE

Saturday, December 8, 2012, 8:00 pm

Z Space

450 Florida Street

San Francisco, CA

"Del Sol Days: Concert #3: Del Sol String Quartet with Stephen Kent, didjeridu"

- Irene Sazer (b. 1959): "Thunder" (2012) WORLD PREMIERE
- Dylan Mattingly (b. 1991): "Gone, gone, gone" (2012) WORLD PREMIERE
- Mason Bates (b. 1977): Bagatelles for string quartet and electronica (2011) SAN FRANCISCO PREMIERE
- Stephen Kent (b. 1958, Great Britain): "Fire in the Belly" for solo didjeridu
Stephen Kent, didgeridoo
- Peter Sculthorpe (b. 1929, Australia): String Quartet No. 16 (2005)
with Stephen Kent, didgeridoo
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango (encore)
with Stephen Kent, didgeridoo

Thursday, December 20, 2012, 1:00–9:30 pm

Friday, December 21, 2012, 9:45 am-1:45 pm

San Francisco, CA

Recording for Sono Luminus "Del Sol/ZOFO"

- Mason Bates (b. 1977): Bagatelles for string quartet and electronica (2011)
- Kui Dong (b. 1966, China): "Shall We Play?" (2012): for piano duet, toy pianos and string quartet (2012)
with ZOFO Duet (Eva-Maria Zimmermann and Keisuke Nakagoshi)

Tuesday, January 15, 2013, 1:10-2:10 pm

Ruth Asawa San Francisco School of the Arts (SOTA)

555 Portola Drive

San Francisco, CA

School Program: Music & Movement, Session 1

with Janice Garrett, Tanya Bello and Tegan Schwab

January 17-20, 2013

Westin New York at Times Square

270 – West 43rd Street

New York, NY

Chamber Music America 35th National Conference

Charlton attends.

Tuesday, January 22, 2013, 2:30-4:10

Oakland School For the Arts (OSA)

530 - 18th Street

Oakland, CA

School Program: Music & Movement, Session 1

with Janice Garrett and Tegan Schwab

Friday, January 25, 2013, 8:40-9:30 am
Hillsdale High School
3115 Del Monte Street
San Mateo, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 1

- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)
- Béla Bartók: (1881-1945, Hungary): String Quartet No. 3, Sz. 85 (1927): Excerpt
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001): VI. Coqueteos: Excerpt
- Improvisations on Two words, and structured improvisation on "The Taxi" by Amy Lowell

Tuesday, January 29, 2013, 2:30-4:10
Oakland School For the Arts (OSA)
530 - 18th Street
Oakland, CA

School Program: Music & Movement, Session 2

with Janice Garrett and Tegan Schwab

- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)

Thursday, January 31, 2013, 1:10-2:10 pm
Ruth Asawa San Francisco School of the Arts (SOTA)
555 Portola Drive
San Francisco CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 2

- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001): IV. Chasqui

Friday, February 1, 2013, 8:40-9:30 am
Hillsdale High School
3115 Del Monte Street
San Mateo, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 2

Sunday, February 3, 2013, 3:00 pm
Angelico Hall
Department of Music and Performing Arts
Dominican University of California
50 Acacia Avenue
San Rafael, CA

Guest Artist Series: "Del Sol String Quartet"

- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)
- Daniel Ward (b. 1966, USA): These Walls (2011)
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979)
- Béla Bartók: (1881-1945, Hungary): String Quartet No. 3, Sz. 85 (1927)
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001)
- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango

Tuesday, February 5, 2013, 1:10-2:10 pm
Ruth Asawa San Francisco School of the Arts (SOTA)
555 Portola Drive
San Francisco CA

School Program: Music & Movement, Session 2
with Janice Garrett and Tegan Schwab

Friday, February 8, 2013, 8:40-9:30 am
Hillsdale High School
3115 Del Monte Street
San Mateo, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 3

Thursday, February 14, 2013, 2:45-3:30 pm
Lowell High School
1101 Eucalyptus Drive
San Francisco, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 1

- Improvisations on Two words, and structured improvisation on "The Taxi" by Amy Lowell

Tuesday, February 19, 2013, 7:30 pm
Southside Theater
Fort Mason, Bldg. D
San Francisco, CA

Mini-Opera "Green Sneakers" Performance

- Ricky Ian Gordon (b. 1956): "Green Sneakers" for Baritone, Empty Chair, String Quartet and Piano (2008), libretto by composer WEST COAST PREMIERE
Jesse Blumberg, baritone; John De Los Santos, director

Monday, February 25, 2013, 5:00 – 6:50 pm
Crean Hall, OH 103
Chapman University
201-299 E. Palm Ave (Grand Street)
Orange, CA

"The Division of Music Theory/Composition is pleased to present a special event featuring:

the Del Sol String Quartet with Special Guest Dr. Chinary Ung"

- Chinary Ung (b. 1942, Cambodia): Spiral X: "In Memoriam" for amplified string quartet (2007)
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): I. Variations on Walter Von der Vogelweide's "Song of Palestine", V. Usul

Tuesday, February 26, 2013, 5:00–7:00 pm
Recital Hall

Clayes Performing Arts Center
California State University, Fullerton
12th Annual CSUF New Music Festival "Voice in the 21st Century"

"CSUF New Music Festival Presents:

Del Sol String Quartet

Lecture-Demo Workshop

Just Intonation - A New Way of Listening"

- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995)

Tuesday, February 26, 2013

Official Release Date for Sono Luminus "Zia"

Wednesday, February 27, 2013, 8:00 pm

Vaughncille Joseph Meng Concert Hall

Clayes Performing Arts Center

California State University, Fullerton

12th Annual CSUF New Music Festival "Voice in the 21st Century"

"Del Sol String Quartet and Voice: featuring guest composer in residence Chinary Ung in celebration of his 70th Birthday"

With Chinary Ung and Ken Ueno in attendance

- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995)
- Chinary Ung (b. 1942, Cambodia): Spiral X: "In Memoriam" for amplified string quartet (2007)
- Ken Ueno (b. 1970, US): *Peradam* (2011)
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): *Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout* (2001)

Thursday, February 28, 2013, 10:00-11:15 am

Room 254

Clayes Performing Arts Center

California State University, Fullerton

12th Annual CSUF New Music Festival "Voice in the 21st Century"

"Lecture-Demo Workshop: Vocalizing Instrumentalists, Composers that Sing! Del Sol Quartet, Susan Ung, Chinary Ung, Ken Ueno, discuss their work"

Lecture with composers Chinary Ung and Ken Ueno

- Chinary Ung (b. 1942, Cambodia): Spiral X: "In Memoriam" for amplified string quartet (2007): Excerpt
- Ken Ueno (b. 1970, US): *Peradam* (2011): Excerpt

Friday, March 1, 2013, 8:00 pm

Harrison House Music & Arts

6881 Mount Lassen Avenue

Joshua Tree, CA

Harrison House Music & Arts

- Mason Bates (b. 1977): Bagatelles for string quartet and electronica (2011): III. "On a Wire: Mating Dance"
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979) FIRST COMPLETE PERFORMANCE AT HARRISON HOUSE
- Ben Johnston (b. 1926): String Quartet No. 10 (1995)

- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)

Thursday, March 7, 2013, 2:45-3:30 pm

Lowell High School

1101 Eucalyptus Drive

San Francisco, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 2

Friday, March 8, 2013, 2:45-3:30 pm

Lowell High School

1101 Eucalyptus Drive

San Francisco, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 3

Tuesday, March 12, 2013, 8:00-8:50 am

Aragon High School

900 Alameda de las Pulgas

San Mateo, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 1

- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975)
- Improvisations on Two words, and structured improvisation on "The Taxi" by Amy Lowell

Thursday, March 14, 2013, 7:30 – 9:30 pm

San Francisco, CA

"Zia" CD Release Party

- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village (2007)
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): IV. Rondeaux, V. Usul
- Improv
- Mason Bates (b. 1977): Bagatelles for string quartet and electronica (2011): III. "On a Wire: Mating Dance"
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001): I. Toyos, V. Canto de Velorio, VI. Coqueteos

Sunday, March 17, 2013, 10:00 pm

KPFA-FM

1929 Martin Luther King Jr. Way

Berkeley, CA

**"Discreet Music" with Dean Suzuki, KPFA-FM
Live Radio Interview**

Tuesday, March 19, 2013, 6:30-9:00 pm

San Francisco, CA

"Del Sol Quartet House Concert"

- W. Jay Sydeman (b. 1928): "The Little Balloon Man" for solo violin & narrator (c. 1980's) with Rick and Charlton

- DSSQ: Improvisation on words from the audience
- Reza Vali (b. 1952, Iran): Calligraphy No. 5 for solo viola (2003)
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Milagros (2010): VI. Milagrillo — Adios a Churín
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Arrangement: Airampito
- DSSQ: Improvisation on words from the audience
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Trio for violin, viola & cello (1946)
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): III. Estampie

Wednesday, March 20, 2013, 8:00-9:30 am

Aragon High School

900 Alameda de las Pulgas

San Mateo, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 2

Friday, March 22, 2013, 8:00-8:50 am

Aragon High School

900 Alameda de las Pulgas

San Mateo, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 3

Friday, April 5, 2013, 8:00 pm

ODC Theater

3153 - 17th Street

San Francisco, CA

"The Vanishing Languages Project" Performances

- Kevin James: "Dialogues with Vanishing Languages": Counting in Quileute for `cello, percussion, mixed ensemble & tape (2013) WEST COAST PREMIERE
w/surround sound audio content drawn from field recordings of nearly extinct languages
with Speak Percussion and Nonsemble 6

Saturday, April 6, 2013, 8:00 pm

ODC Dance Commons

351 Shotwell Street

San Francisco, CA

"The Vanishing Languages Project" Performances

- Kevin James: "Dialogues with Vanishing Languages" Ainu Inuma for string quartet and fixed media (2013) WEST COAST PREMIERE
w/surround sound audio content drawn from field recordings of nearly extinct languages – Del Sol collaboration features the Ainu language of Hokkaido
- Kevin James: "Dialogues with Vanishing Languages": Counting in Quileute for `cello, percussion, mixed ensemble & tape (2013)
w/surround sound audio content drawn from field recordings of nearly extinct languages
with Speak Percussion and Nonsemble 6

Saturday, April 20, 2013, 7:30 pm

Butcher Auditorium
Jennie Smoly Caruthers Biotechnology Building
University of Colorado Boulder
3415 Colorado Avenue
Boulder, CO

"An Evening of Music and Science with the Del Sol String Quartet"

"Del Sol String Quartet: A Benefit Concert for Colorado Music Festival & Rocky Mountain Center for Musical Arts"

With Nobel Prize winner Tom Cech

- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village (2007)
- Lembit Beecher (b. 1980): "These Memories May Be True" (2012): I, II, IV.
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001): I, IV, V, VI.
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979)
- Mason Bates (b. 1977): Bagatelles for string quartet and electronica (2011): III. "On a Wire: Mating Dance"
- Paquito D'Rivera (b. 1948, Cuba): Wapango (1975) (encore)

Friday, April 26, 2013, (time)

San Francisco, CA

Open Rehearsal

- Elena Kats-Chernin (b. 1957, Uzbekistan): Fast Blue Village (2007)
- Gabriela Lena Frank (b. 1972): Leyendas - An Andean Walkabout (2001): V. Canto de Velorio, VI. Coqueteos
- Lembit Beecher (b. 1980): "These Memories May Be True" (2012): III.
- Paweł Mykietyn (b. 1971, Poland): String Quartet No. 2 (2006)
- Lou Harrison (1917-2003): String Quartet Set (1979): III. Estampie
- Mason Bates (b. 1977): Bagatelles for string quartet and electronica (2011): III. "On a Wire: Mating Dance"
- DSSQ: Improvisation on words from Nanci & Lidia (encore)

Sunday, April 28, 2013, 7:00 pm

Saint Aidan's Episcopal Church

101 Gold Mine Drive

San Francisco, CA

Music on the Hill Concert Series

Irene Sazer in attendance

- Joan Jeanrenaud (b. 1956): "Falling Water" (2010)
- Lembit Beecher (b. 1980): "These Memories May Be True" (2012)
- Irene Sazer (b. 1959): "Thunder" (2012)
- Paweł Mykietyn (b. 1971, Poland): String Quartet No. 2 (2006)
- Mason Bates (b. 1977): Bagatelles for string quartet and electronica (2011)

Tuesday, May 7, 2013, 2:15 - 3:30 pm

Children's Day School

333 Dolores Street

San Francisco, CA

School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 1

- Ástor Piazzolla (1921-1992, Argentina)/arr. Jeremy Cohen (2001): Libertango
- Improvisations on Two words, and structured improvisation on "The Taxi" by Amy Lowell

Friday, May 10, 2013, 12:00 noon
(Aired on Friday, May 17, 2013, 12:15 pm)
KRCB-FM, Sonoma County Public Radio
5850 Labath Avenue
Rohnert Park, CA
"Curtain Call" Radio Interview
with host Charles Sepos

Friday May 17, 2013, 9:15 - 10:30 am
Children's Day School
333 Dolores Street
San Francisco, CA
School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 2

Tuesday, May 21, 2013, 2:15 - 3:30 pm
Children's Day School
333 Dolores Street
San Francisco, CA
School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 3

Friday, May 24, 2013, 9:15 - 10:30 am
Children's Day School
333 Dolores Street
San Francisco, CA
School Program: Music & Poetry, Session 4

Friday, June 21, 2013 (Summer Solstice), 5:00 – 9:00 pm
Chimes Chapel and Chamber of Effulgence
Chapel of the Chimes
4499 Piedmont Avenue
Oakland, CA
**"Garden of Memory 2013:
A Columbarium Walk-Through Event"**
5:00 - 6:00
Chamber of Effulgence
• Works by Paweł Mykietyn, Paweł Szymański and others.
6:30 - 6:50
Chimes Chapel
• Peter Sculthorpe: String Quartet No. 12 "From Ubirr"
with Stephen Kent, didjeridu
• Elena Kats-Chernin: Fast Blue Village
with Stephen Kent, didjeridu
7:15 - 8:15
Chamber of Effulgence
• Works by Paweł Mykietyn, Paweł Szymański and others.
8:40 - 9:00

Chimes Chapel

- Peter Sculthorpe (b. 1929, Australia): String Quartet No. 16
with Stephen Kent, didjeridu

Monday, June 24, 2013

Tuesday, June 25, 2013

Wednesday, June 26, 2013

Thursday, June 27, 2013

Recording for Sono Luminus

Sunday, June 30, 2013, 12:30 - 5:30 pm

Monday, July 1, 2013, 12:30 - 5:30 pm

Tuesday, July 2, 2013, 12:30 - 5:30 pm

Wednesday, July 3, 2013, 12:30 - 8:00 pm

San Francisco, CA

QuartetFest! Session I

Sunday, July 7, 2013, 12:30 - 5:30 pm

Monday, July 8, 2013, 12:30 - 5:30 pm

Tuesday, July 9, 2013, 12:30 - 5:30 pm

Wednesday, July 10, 2013, 12:30 - 8:00 pm

San Francisco, CA

QuartetFest! Session II