

TICKETS

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Season Subscription	\$120	\$150	
Single tickets**	\$20	\$25	\$10

* Limited Seating. All Sales are Final. * Surcharge of \$5 at the door on the evening of the concerts
**Group tickets available for 10 people or more
Limited parking is available in the Hunter Museum lot, along High Street and Walnut Street. Paid parking is available at the Houston Museum and the Republic lots on Walnut and 3rd Streets. Please do not park in the traffic circle in front of the Museum or in the Bluff View parking lots.

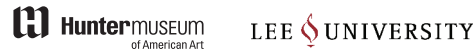
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- 1 Phone: 423.267.0968
- 2 Online: www.huntermuseum.org/learn/string-theory
- 3 In person: Hunter Museum of American Art

*String Theory patrons will receive 10% off your entire meal at Easy Bistro & Bar on the evening of the concerts.
** All concerts will be rebroadcast through the generous support of WSMC 90.5 FM.
***The October 13th, 2011 concert is funded in part by a grant from the South Arts and The Tennessee Arts Commission in partnership with the National Endowment for the Arts.

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- Opportunity to host a private concert in your home
- Dedication of one concert in your honor
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- Twelve complimentary tickets for use during the season
- Additional tickets at special prices
- Prominent acknowledgment in concert programs
- Corporate sponsors receive prominent placement of company logo on String Theory publicity materials

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- Additional tickets at special prices
- Prominent acknowledgment in concert programs
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ESPRESSIVO \$1,000

- Eight complimentary tickets for use during the season
- Additional tickets at special prices
- Acknowledgment in concert programs
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DOLCE \$500

- Four complimentary tickets for use during the season
- Additional tickets at special prices
- Acknowledgment in concert programs

PICCOLO \$250

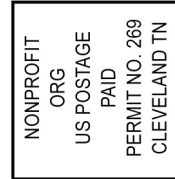
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- Additional tickets at special prices
- Acknowledgment in concert programs

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Randolph Rogers (1825-1892), Ruth Gleaning, 1851, White marble. Height: 47 inches (life sized). Collection of Hunter Museum of American Art. Museum purchase, 2011.6

String Theory

2011-2012

AT THE HUNTER

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH LEE UNIVERSITY
& THE HUNTER MUSEUM OF AMERICAN ART



26 EXTRAORDINARY MUSICIANS
6 THURSDAY EVENINGS
1 SPECTACULAR SEASON!

Gloria Chien, Founder and Artistic Director
David Finckel and Wu Han, Artistic Advisors

Dear Friends,

It is with great excitement that I invite you to join me for the 3rd season of String Theory at the Hunter!

The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center will return to open our season after their heroic journey here last winter. Artistic Director, Wu Han, will be back with three brilliant young musicians. We are confident that there will be no snow in October!

In December, we will feature our first horn virtuoso, William VerMeulen, joined by violinist and Music Director of the acclaimed La Jolla Summer-Fest, Cho-Liang Lin, in a program ending with the beloved Horn Trio of Johannes Brahms.

Legendary violinist Jaime Laredo and his wife, cellist Sharon Robinson will, in celebration of their 35th wedding anniversary, premier a new composition written by Grammy-Winning-Composer, Richard Danielpour. Thanks to a generous gift by Ms. Sherry Keller Brown, String Theory is part of a nationwide consortium of eight chamber music presenters sharing this special commission.

One of the most engaging speakers on stage today, Rob Kapilow will bring his signature program, What Makes It Great®, to Chattanooga for the first time. The evening will center on Beethoven's Kreutzer Sonata, featuring Bulgarian violinist, Bella Hristova,

The internationally renowned Miro Quartet will make their Chattanooga debut in March with a program featuring Haydn's Joke Quartet, and the rarely heard Elgar Piano Quintet.

Our explosive season finale will be a program featuring 8 marvelous string players. The evening will begin with Shostakovich's electrifying Octet, followed by Dvorak's Terzetto, ending with a personal favorite, Mendelssohn Octet, which will be the perfect celebration of our 3rd season!

I am truly thrilled that String Theory at the Hunter is able to bring Chattanooga another great season of exceptional artists and marvelous chamber music!



Warmly,
Gloria

We are so fortunate to have music of
this caliber in Chattanooga!
- Gary Chazen



Chief Curator
Ellen Simak



Dr. Thomas
Wolf



Maestro Robert
Bernhardt



Miro String
Quartet

We are excited to present two Artful Connections led by Hunter Chief Curator Ellen Simak. For our season opener on October 13th, Ellen will be joined by Music Director Emeritus of the Chattanooga Symphony, Maestro Robert Bernhardt. Dr. Thomas Wolf, Arts Consultant and Artistic Director of the Bay Chamber Concerts will join us on December 8th. These special events will bring the audience inside the Hunter Galleries, beginning at 5:30pm.

Please join us for Musical Dialogues with our featured artists on stage on January 19th, February 9th, March 8th, and April 19th, beginning at 6:00pm.

CONCERTS

ARTFUL CONNECTIONS

5:30pm in the Hunter galleries with Chief Curator Ellen Simak
October 13th, 2011: Maestro Robert Bernhardt
December 8th, 2011: Dr. Thomas Wolf

MUSICAL DIALOGUES

6:00pm in the Lobby
January 19th, 2012
February 9th, 2012
March 8th, 2012
April 19th, 2012



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Castillo



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O'Neill



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CONCERTS

6:30pm

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13TH, 2011

"Four by Four"

The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center on Tour

WU HAN, piano

YURA LEE, violin*

RICHARD O'NEILL, viola*

JAKOB KORANYI, cello*

Works by Haydn, Françaix and Dvorák

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8TH, 2011

CHO-LIANG LIN, violin*

WILLIAM VERMEULEN, horn*

GLORIA CHIEN, piano

Works by DiLorenzo, Ravel and Brahms

THURSDAY, JANUARY 19TH, 2012

JAIME LAREDO, violin

SHARON ROBINSON, cello*

GLORIA CHIEN, piano

PATRICK CASTILLO, guest speaker

Works by Stravinsky, Danielpour**, Debussy and Chopin

**Southern Premier of "Inventions on a Marriage" by Grammy-Winning-Composer, Richard Danielpour – co-commissioned by String Theory with a gift from Sherry Keller Brown in memory of Dorothy Barckman Keller

*Chattanooga Debut

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH, 2012

What Makes It Great?® with ROB KAPILOW*

BELLA HRISTOVA, violin*

GLORIA CHIEN, piano

Beethoven "Kreutzer" Sonata

THURSDAY, MARCH 8TH, 2012

MIRO STRING QUARTET*

GLORIA CHIEN, piano

Works by Haydn and Elgar

THURSDAY, APRIL 19TH, 2012

ERIN KEEFE, violin

MEG FREIVOGEL, violin*

KRISTOPHER TONG, violin

SEAN LEE, violin/viola

SUNMI CHANG, violin/viola*

MAIYA PAPACH, viola*

DANIEL MCDONOUGH, cello*

RAMAN RAMAKRISHNAN, cello*

PATRICK CASTILLO, guest speaker

Works by Shostakovich, Dvorák, Mendelssohn