UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, December 4, 2014 at 7:30 p.m.
**VCU SYMPHONY WITH THE WOMEN’S CHORUS**
Directed by Daniel Myssyk and Erin Freeman. Women’s Chorus will be performing works inspired by the spheres, including Holst’s *Hymns from the Rig Veda* and Mark Gresham’s *The Young Galileo*, with text by Ray Bradbury. The Orchestra will perform Holst’s *The Planets*. Tickets are $7 in advance and $10 at the door.

Friday, December 5, 2014 at 7:30 p.m.
**HOLIDAY GALA**
Join us for our annual holiday gala! This family event benefits the Hospital Hospitality House, and features numerous VCU Music ensembles, faculty and students. Tickets are $10 for adults and $5 for children under 12.

Sunday, January 25, 2015 at 4:00 p.m.
**VCU GUITAR SERIES: THE ROBINSON GUITAR DUO**
Over the past 19 years, the Robinson Guitar Duo of David and Kathy Robinson has been serving the community at weddings, parties, special events, and concerts. They have performed at the first Alexandria Guitar Festival, The Gellman Room, The Glen Allen Cultural Arts Center, and Center Stage. The Robinson Guitar Duo has also performed extensively with the Latin Ballet of Virginia. Tickets are $15 General Admission and $10 for students.

Saturday, January 24, 2015 at 8 p.m.
**MARY ANN RENNOLDS CHAMBER CONCERTS:**
**RACHEL BARTON PINE, VIOLIN**
In both art and life, violinist Rachel Barton Pine has an extraordinary ability to connect with people. Celebrated as a great interpreter of classical works, her performances combine her innate gift for emotional communication and her scholarly fascination with historical research. She plays with passion and conviction across an extensive repertoire and has appeared as soloist with many of the world’s most prestigious orchestras. Audiences are thrilled by her dazzling technique, lustrous tone, and infectious joy in music-making. Tickets are $34.

For more information and additional listings, visit arts.vcu.edu/music.
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CHORAL ARTS SOCIETY,
STRING CHAMBER ENSEMBLE
AND VOCAL CHAMBER ENSEMBLE
“WHAT’S THE TI?”

Wednesday, December 3, 2014 | 7:30 p.m.
Sonia Vlahcevic Concert Hall
W.E. Singleton Center for the Performing Arts
922 Park Avenue | Richmond, Virginia
arts.vcu.edu/music
CHORAL ARTS SOCIETY, STRING CHAMBER ENSEMBLE, AND "WHAT'S THE TIP?"
Tuesday, December 2, 2014 | 7:30 p.m.
Sonia Vlahcevic Concert Hall

CHORAL ARTS SOCIETY
Erin Freeman, conductor

Missa Brevis in D Major, K. 194 ........................................ W. A. Mozart (1756-1791)
Kyrie
Gloria
Credo
Sanctus
Benedictus
Agnus Dei

Cantor: Chloe Fortin
Quartet 1 (Gloria and Credo):
Jennifer Ripley, Soprano; Julia Rubert, Mezzo-Soprano;
Elliot Johnson, Tenor; Patrick Mahoy, Baritone

Quartet 2 (Benedictus and Agnus Dei):
Zarah Brock, Soprano; Amanda Simon, Mezzo-Soprano;
Chris Crowley, Tenor; Alex Harper, Baritone
Laura Candler-White, Piano
Naima Burrs and Katie Woolridge, Violin Stephanie Barrett, Cello

STRING CHAMBER MUSIC
Susanna Klein and Daniel Myssyk, Directors

Three Part Inventions........................................... J.S. Bach (1685-1750) arr. Anonymous
Allegro Moderato
Allegro Vivace

Allegro Moderato
Alana North, Violin Quinton Folks, Viola Dylan Cloyd, Cello

Soundings for Bass Quartet.................................Robert Gibson (b. 1950)
Tenuously
Capricious
Christopher Harrison, Whitney Morelli, Andrew Brunson and Kelly Ali, Bass

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A poster with information about the VCU Arts Project 2015 is also present.

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INVENTION NO. 4 IN B MINOR

J.S. Bach (1685-1750), arr. Anonymous

Reyna Pannell, Violin
Scott Waterland, Viola

QUARTET FOR VIOLIN, VIOLA AND TWO CELLOs, OP. 35

Anton Arensky (1861-1906)

Finale

Kayla Tilghman, Violin
Max Lincoln, Viola
Madison Erskine and Elijah Hall, Cello

QUINTET IN A MAJOR, OP. 18

Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

Scherzo

Patrick Keese and Marissa Resmini, Violins
Galen Foxton and Melissa Miller, Violas
Tyler Martin, Cello

INTERMISSION

VOCAL CHAMBER ENSEMBLE: “WHAT’S THE TI?”

Erin Freeman and Rebecca Tyree, Directors

Psalite (Now We Sing) ......................................... Michael Praetorius (1571-1621)

The First Noel ........................................... Traditional English, Stephen Paulus (1949-2014)

Carol of the Bells ........................................ Ukrainian Christmas Carol, M. Leontovich,

.......................................................... arr. Peter J. Wilhousky

Kačena divoká (The Wild Duck) ......................... Leoš Janáček (1954-1928)

Warm-up ...................................................... Leonard Bernstein (1918-1990)

Come Sunday .............................................. Duke Ellington (1899-1974)

.......................................................... Maggie Mays, Soloist

Russian Dance .............................................. Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky (1840-1893), arr. Jeff Funk

from The Nutcracker Suite

.......................................................... Frankie James, Soloist

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CHORAL ARTS SOCIETY with
VCU THEATER DEPARTMENT AND SPECIAL GUESTS
Kirstin Riegler, director

CANDIDE
(in miniature)

Featuring text and musical selections from Leonard Bernstein’s
operetta as well as excerpts from the original novella by Voltaire.
Excerpts chosen and edited by Kirstin Riegler.

Musical Selections from Candide ............... Leonard Bernstein (1918-1990)
Best of All Possible Worlds, arr. Robert Page

It Must Be So
Kenneth Woods, Tenor

This World - Candide’s Lament, arr. Robert Page
Regan Mason, Soloist

Glitter and Be Gay
Anne O’Byrne, Soprano

Easily Assimilated
Martha Prewitt, Mezzo Soprano

Make Our Garden Grow, arr. Robert Page
Denver Crawford: Candide
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Carmen Wiley: Old Lady
Katie Ellis: Narrator

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