

CLASS OF 2007 CONVOCATION

and

PRESIDENTIAL CONCERT

presented by

THE SHEPHERD SCHOOL OF MUSIC

in celebration of Rice University's

Ninety-Fourth Commencement

Friday, May 11, 2007

7:45 p.m.

Stude Concert Hall

RICE UNIVERSITY

the
Shepherd
School
of Music

PROGRAM

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*Sonata No. 2 in A Minor for
Unaccompanied Violin, BWV 1003*

*Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685-1750)*

III. Andante

Rebecca Corruccini, violin †

Concerto a Cinque

*Johann Wilhelm Hertel
(1727-1789)*

I. Allegro

*Kyle Koronka, trumpet †
Dean Baxtresser, oboe *
Lillian Copeland, oboe †
Jennifer Reid, bassoon *
Bradley Balliett, bassoon †*

*Improvisations on Hungarian
Peasant Songs, Op. 20*

*Béla Bartók
(1881-1945)*

Tiantian Liang, piano †

*Sonata in G Minor for
Cello and Piano, Op. 19*

*Sergei Rachmaninoff
(1873-1943)*

III. Andante

*Kristopher Khang, cello †
Kris Becker, piano †*

Three Preludes

George Gershwin
(1898-1937)

1. *Allegro ben ritmato e deciso*
2. *Andante con moto e poco rubato*
3. *Allegro ben ritmato e deciso*

Kris Becker, piano †

Die Zauberflöte (The Magic Flute), K. 620
Act I, Scene I

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
(1756-1791)

Synopsis: Tamino, a handsome prince who is lost in a forest, is pursued by a serpent. He faints from fatigue, and the three ladies, who are attendants of the Queen of the Night, appear and kill the serpent. Thus begins Mozart's final opera in which Tamino is called upon to rescue the Queen's beautiful daughter from the wise priest Sarastro.

Emily Vacek, soprano *
Andrea Leyton-Mange, soprano *
Kira Austin-Young, mezzo-soprano *
Kris Becker, piano †
Jacob Barton * . . . Tamino
Keith Stonum . . . The Snake

Jubilate Deo

(transcribed by Arthur Frackenpohl)

Giovanni Gabrieli
(c. 1555-1612)

John Williamson, trumpet †
Jonathan Brandt, trumpet †
Larry Hernandez, trumpet †
Kyle Koronka, trumpet †
Mark Holley, trombone †
Colin Wise, trombone †
Christopher Burns, trombone †
Michael Selover, trombone †
Aubrey Foard, tuba †
Ali Jackson, tuba
Cristian Măcelaru, conductor

Receiving the following degrees from Rice University tomorrow:

† *Master of Music*
* *Bachelor of Music*

President David Leebron
and his wife Ping Sun will greet
students and their families and guests
in the Grand Foyer following the concert.



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