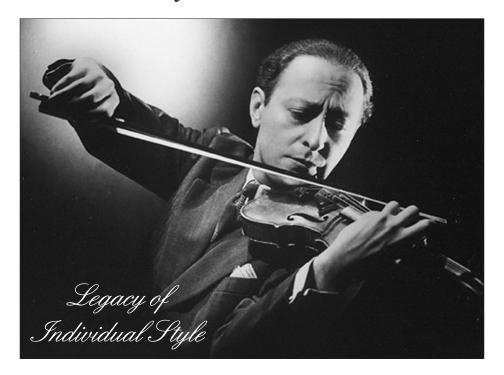
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# Gala Opening Night Faculty Concert

Sunday, June 19, 2016, 7:00 pm Harkness Chapel, Connecticut College

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## Gala Opening Night Concert

## Dedicated to the memory of Joseph Silverstein

## Sunday, June 19, 2016, 7:00 pm

Sarabande (from English Suite #3 BWV 808)

Bach-Heifetz

(1685-1750) (1901-1987)

Sonata #2 "Poeme mystique"

Ernest Bloch (1880–1959)

Andante moderato, Animato, Tempo I; Animato; Moderato L'istesso tempo, (ma un poco lento), moderato assai "Credo in unum Deum!" Piu lento "Gloria in excelsis Deo", Animato; Moderato; Allegro moderato; Tempo iniziale, Molto quieto

Sherry Kloss, violin, Li-Pi Hsieh, piano

"WIDMUNG" (from the song "Dedication") op. 25 #1 Liszt-Schumann (1811–1886) (1810–1856)

Li-Pi Hsieh, piano

## Intermission

Souvenir de Florence op. 70

Tchaikovsky (1840–1893)

Allegro con spirito; Adagio cantabile e con moto; Allegretto moderato; Allegro vivace

> Arturo Delmoni, Jeanne Skrocki, violins Elaine Skorodin, Emily Uematsu\*, violas Ken Kuo, cello, Mark McCormick, contrabass

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## **JASCHA HEIFETZ SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE**

#### Daily Classes

Master-Classes:

9:00 AM-I2:00 NOON AND 3:00-5:30 PM

GUEST MASTER-CLASSES:

2:00 PM AND 7:00 PM AND AS DESIGNATED BELOW

FINAL PARTICIPANTS CONCERTS (DONATION)

Monday: June 20 Arturo Delmoni: "The Art of the Glissando"

(10 am - 12 noon; 2 - 4:30 pm)

Tuesday: June 21 Robert Sherman: Round Table "Wonderful Wood for

Singing Strings" with guest Andrew Ryan (2 pm)

Li-Pi Hsieh: At the Piano: "Understanding the structure of harmonic progressions supporting the melodic line for

COMPLETE music-making" (7 pm)

Wednesday: June 22 Jeanne Skrocki: "Audition skills for success!" (2 pm)

Thursday: June 23 Martin Piecuch: "Conducting for ALL" (2 pm)

Elaine Skorodin: "Reading Chamber Music" (7 pm)

Friday: June 24 Sherry Kloss: "Buongiorno Bella Italia"; Music of

Mario-Castelnuovo Tedesco and Alberto Curci (2 pm)

Saturday: June 25 Nature Walk and Outing

Sunday: June 26 10:00 am/2:00 pm Elmar Oliveira: "Ways of practice,

choices of fingerings and use of bow"

Monday: June 27 Classes by appointment

Final Participants Concert #1 (7 pm)

Tuesday: June 28 Final Participants Concert #2 (3 pm)

Final Participants Concert #3 (7 pm)

## **BIOGRAPHIES (Faculty)**



SHERRY KLOSS Former master teaching associate of Jascha Heifetz, recording artist, concert violinist, music reviewer and author, Miss Kloss is the heiress to the Heifetz-Tononi violin and co-founder of Jascha Heifetz Society. Her recordings, "Forgotten Gems", "Lost and Found Treasures of the Heifetz Legacy", vols. I, II, her book, "Jascha Heifetz Through My Eyes", now translated into Chinese, and proclamations recognizing her achievement as a prominent Pittsburgh artist, have placed her in the forefront of the musical world today. She has held Professorships in Australia, California and Indiana. She took JHS to Italy in 2015.



**ELAINE SKORODIN** With an illustrious career as soloist, recitalist, chamber musician and educator, Ms. Skorodin has performed with the orchestras of Baltimore, Chicago, Denver, Indianapolis, Milwaukee, National and St. Louis. Touring extensively throughout Europe after capturing a major prize in the Paganini Violin Competition, her programs included many premieres of American compositions. She was a student in the very first Jascha Heifetz Master class at UCLA.



**JEANNE SKROCKI** Equally at home on the violin and piano, Ms. Skrocki has an established career as soloist, chamber musician, educator, recording artist and concertmaster. The middle of three generations of violinists, she made her solo debut with the Los Angeles Philharmonic at age 14. Teachers included her mother, Bonnie Bell, Manuel Compinsky and Jascha Heifetz. Currently Artist in Residence at the University of Redlands, CA, she also holds a degree in Aeronautical Engineering from Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo.



**Li-Pi HSIEH** Internationally recognized piano soloist, chamber musician and educator, is a native of Taiwan. She has studied with Richard Goode, Claude Frank and Peter Serkin and holds a Master of Music degree from the Mannes School of Music. Her musical partnerships with Erick Friedman, Sidney Harth and Aaron Rosand bespeak her association with the great Auer legacy, carried on at our annual JHSymposium.







## **BIOGRAPHIES** (Guests)



**KEN KUO** cellist, native of Taipei, Taiwan received degrees from Juilliard (B.M.) and Yale University (M.M.) where he was awarded the "Aldo Parisot" prize. His many performances and recordings include classical, folk and jazz repertoire. Founder of "The Connecticut School of Music, creator of Connecticut Musical Artists Foundation, he has held positions at Yale, in Taiwan and Colombia. He plays the 1700 Mateo Goffriller cello.



MARK McCORMICK, contrabass, earned both his B.M. and M.M. degrees from the Manhattan School of Music. He has performed in every major concert hall of New York City and in the festivals of Spoleto, Waterloo, and the Texas International Double Bass Symposium. As a recording artist, he may be heard on the Vox, Bridge, Newport Classic and Koch International labels, and in his role as Principal Bassist on a recording of Music of Alan Hovhaness, was nominated for a Grammy award. Since 1997, Mr. McCormick has been travelling the world as a member of the United States Coast Guard Band. He was recently appointed to the Pre-College faculty of Manhattan School of Music.



Building her career as soloist, chamber and orchestral musician, **EMILY UEMATSU** is a Graduate of Pre-College Juilliard, Chapman University, (B.M.), (minor in Film Studies), and Rice University (M.M). Winner of The Parnassus Society Award, and the Itzhak Perlman Endowed Scholarship at Rice, she has collaborated with Joseph Silverstein, Ani Kavafian and Alexander Kerr. A participant of JHS since the age of 9, she continues her commitment to honor the JH legacy.

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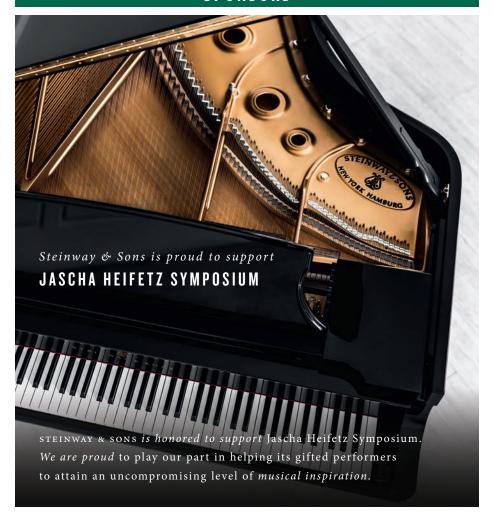
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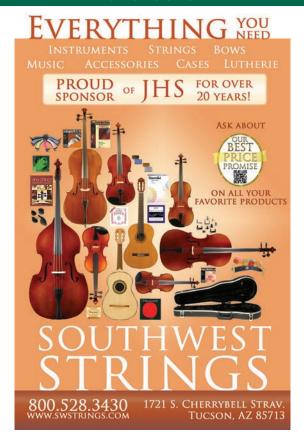
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