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KEY NOTES

The Newsletter of the Department of Music

GEORGIA SOUTHERN
CHORALE FUNDRAISER
Georgia Southern Chorale is asking for alumni, parents, and friends to help support student travel to our competition in Europe, 2019. Our hope is that with your support all 32 talented student musicians will be able to travel across Austria and Germany this upcoming May and June, ultimately bringing home a big victory for the Eagles!

With your help, we can reach our goal of raising $5,000 through our crowdfunding site. Every dollar will help us reach our goal and your support is greatly appreciated!

https://www.givecampus.com/schools/GeorgiaSouthernUniversity/southern-chorale-travel-fund

For additional information about the trip in 2019, please contact Dr. Shannon Jeffreys at: csjeffreys@georgiasouthern.edu
We would like to invite music department supporters in the Athens area, and particularly all music department alumni in attendance at the conference, to join the Georgia Southern University Symphonic Wind Ensemble, in Athens, at the Classic Center Theater, on Friday afternoon, January 25, at 2:00 pm, for their featured performance during the 2019 Georgia Music Educators Association In-Service Conference.
Alumni & Friends:

The annual

Georgia Southern University
Department of Music Reception

at GMEA will be

Thursday

January 24 @ 5:30-7:30 p.m.

The location is the same as last year:

Georgia Gameday Center, 250 W. Broad Street, Athens, GA 30601

We hope to see you there!
SOUTHEAST GEORGIA BASSOON DAY

FEBRUARY 2, 2019 | 9 A.M. – 3 P.M.
GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY
Statesboro Campus

HOSTED BY:
Dr. Reed A. Hanna
Instructor of Double Reeds, Georgia Southern University
Principal Bassoon, Augusta Symphony

SPECIAL GUEST CLINICIAN:
Anthony Anurca
Second Bassoon and Contrabassoon, Jacksonville Symphony

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Register using your mobile device or visit GeorgiaSouthern.edu/music
COASTAL SAXOPHONE DAY 2019

MARCH 2, 2019 | 9 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Foy Building, Statesboro Campus
Georgia Southern University

Masterclasses, performances and clinics
On-site saxophone repair specialist
Saxophone ensemble reading session

Open to students in grade 8 to college
$40 Registration fee includes lunch and a t-shirt

REGISTRATION DEADLINE - FEBRUARY 1

GUEST ARTIST:
Jonathan Helton
Professor of Saxophone
University of Florida

Scan the QR code or go to https://tinyurl.com/yczvq6v for registration

SPONSORED BY:

EXHIBITS BY:
Dr. Matt Fallin, Dr. Stephen Primatic, and Armstrong Campus percussion major Andrew Lukin performed for the Savannah Philharmonic's Mallets and Melodies percussion ensemble concert on November 4 at the Lutheran Church of Ascension in Savannah. The concert features members of the Savannah Philharmonic percussion section. Literature to include pieces written for percussion ensemble as well as transcriptions of well-known works for piano and orchestra. https://savannahphilharmonic.org/concerts/mallets-and-melodies/
CONCERT November 1, 2018
Armstrong Tuba-Euphonium Concert
Program and Pictures are attached.
FYI: Two Groups: Bombasso Quartet & Tuba/Euph Ensemble
November 10, 2018
GSU-Armstrong hosted Annual Savannah Tuba Christmas
Over 25 local tubists and euphonium players from Savannah rehearsed in the Armstrong band room and performed at the local malls.
Emma Huennekens

Senior Recital

January 26th, 2019 at 2pm
Carol A. Carter Recital Hall
Georgia Southern University
Dr. Jonathan Murphy, piano

Taylor Kyle

Graduation Recital

January 27th, 2019 5:00pm
Carol A. Carter Recital Hall
Georgia Southern University
Melana Gilreath, piano
Adriel Baralt
Tenor

Ken Chan
Piano

JUNIOR RECITAL
JANUARY 27, 2019 • 5:00 PM
CAROL A. CARTER RECITAL HALL

GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC
The Georgia Southern University Department of Music and Sing at Southern invite you to attend our first Celebration of African American Music to kick off Black History Month! This three-day festival will feature performances and masterclasses by our guest artist percussionist Dr. Jimmy Finnie of Indiana State University, as well as Georgia Southern faculty and students.

Our celebration opens on January 31st with a Steel Drum Clinic at our local Statesboro High School led by Dr. Finnie and Georgia Southern Percussion faculty Dr. Matt Fallin. Dr. Finnie will continue sharing his knowledge of both African diasporic and classical percussion techniques in a public masterclass featuring Georgia Southern percussion students. Mark your calendars for 6pm on January 31st!

The celebration continues with an exciting concert honoring recently rediscovered...
Chicago Renaissance composer Florence B. Price. The concert will feature rarely performed songs, choral numbers, and instrumental works played and sung by our talented faculty and student body. You do not want to miss this rare opportunity to hear this fantastic and heartfelt music!

Our celebration ends with a guest artist/faculty concert featuring Dr. Finnie, Georgia Southern voice faculty member Dr. Marquese Carter, and the Georgia Southern Percussion Ensemble. This concert features Dr. Finnie's arrangements of African American art songs and spirituals for percussion and voice, as well as songs by Margaret Bonds, Florence Price, and living composer Dave Ragland.

We hope to see you here in the Carol A. Carter Recital Hall as we kick off Black History Month by celebrating the diversity of American musical expression!

The concert is free and open to the public.
Internationally renowned trombonist, Peter Steiner will be on the Statesboro campus of Georgia Southern University Performing in recital on Friday, February 8, 2019. In addition to the recital, Mr. Steiner will offer a Master Class featuring students from the trombone studio of Associate Professor of Trombone, Dr. Rick Mason. The time and location for the Master Class is TBA.

At the age of 23, Peter Steiner was appointed Trombonist of the Vienna State Opera and Vienna Philharmonic for the 2016-2017 season. Prior to that engagement he
served as Principal Trombonist with the Colorado Symphony for the 2014-2015 season. He has performed as guest trombonist with the Munich Philharmonic, Staatskapelle Dresden, New York Philharmonic, Dallas Symphony Orchestra, Seattle Symphony Orchestra and BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra.

His 2018-2019 season involves extensive international travel and features over 100 performances, including a 3-month World Tour of the United States, Europe, Asia and South America with Constanze Hochwartner (piano/organ) as Duo Steiner-Hochwartner, as well as solo concerts with orchestras around the globe. Other highlights for this season include a CD release tour throughout Austria and the United States in February 2019, and solo appearances at the Lille (France) Trombone Festival and International Trombone Festival (Indiana, USA).

Mr. Steiner is a Performing Artist for the Thein Instrument Company and performs on his signature model “Bel Canto”.

Dr. Mason stated the Peter Steiner is a young major star who will absolutely amaze the audience with his technique, beautiful sound, and impeccable control.

This event is free and open to the public.
2019 Strings at Southern
CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL

Larisa Elisha
DIRECTOR
VIOLIN

Steven Elisha
DIRECTOR
CELLO

The Elaris Duo

The Chamber Music Gala Recital
7:30 P.M.
FEBRUARY 16
CAROL A. CARTER RECITAL HALL

Georgia Southern Symphony Festival Orchestra Concert
STEVEN ELISHA, CONDUCTOR
3 P.M.
FEBRUARY 17
PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

UPCOMING EVENTS AT ARMSTRONG
For a complete schedule of Upcoming Events in the Department, visit
http://cah.georgiasouthern.edu/music/
and click on "Concerts/Events."

All events are free and open to the public unless otherwise stated.