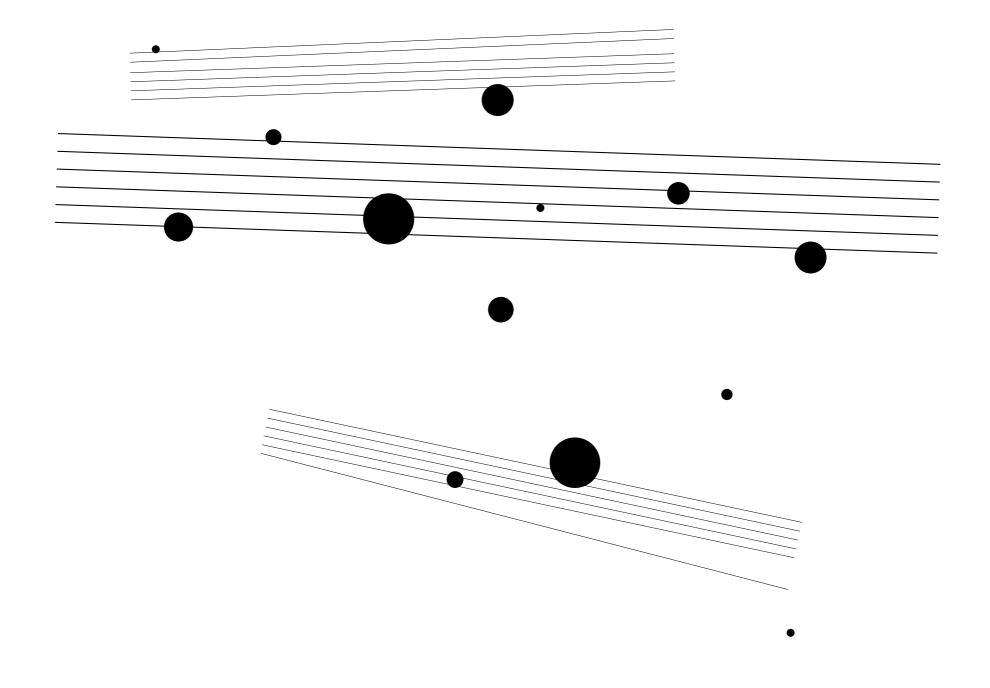
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ANAM MUSIC MAKERS







ANTHONY CHATAWAY

What have you chosen to perform for your recital?

Sonata for Piano and 'arpeggione' by Franz Schubert (tran. for Viola) and York Bowen's Phantasy for viola and piano.

What is significant about this repertoire for you, and for your instrument?

Schubert is always a challenge but it is certainly a rewarding one. This piece challenges one's technique and musicianship on many levels and there's not a lot you can fluke. Also the fact that it wasn't written for the viola adds an extra layer of decision-making and difficulty to performing this work. The Bowen is, I admit, significant to me and not many others, although I hope to change this. It is an acquired taste but I just can't get enough of it for some reason. York Bowen was labelled "The English Rachmaninoff." As far as the viola repertoire goes you will not find anything more lush, romantic and virtuosic. When you hear the ending to this piece you almost want to start laughing because it's so over the top, just when you think he's been ridiculous enough he takes it to another level. The only way to bring it across successfully is to perform it in an equally over the top and ridiculous manner.

What are you most looking forward to in your recital?

Taking the audience for a ride with York Bowen.

What did you learn from last year's recital that will be useful when programming, organising and/or performing this one?

Keep it simple, organise your accompanist in good time and perform your whole recital through at least a week before your recital.

THU 3 OCT, 1PM

Student Beneficiary Support provided by Leighton Holdings



GEORGINA ROBERTS OBOE

What have you chosen to perform for your recital?

I've selected three major works to perform: The Mozart Concerto, Heinz Holliger's Sonate for solo oboe and the Poulenc Sonata for oboe and piano.

What is significant about this repertoire for you, and for your instrument?

The concerto is used as a standard audition piece, so a chance to perform the work without so much pressure will be a pleasant change! I have chosen the Heinz Holliger Sonate because my teacher, Jeff Crellin, was a student of Holliger back in the 1970s, and I have no doubt he will have some terrific first-hand insight into this piece.

What are you most looking forward to in your recital?

I am really looking forward to performing more Poulenc with Gladys Chua (piano) – we last worked together on the Poulenc Trio for oboe, bassoon and piano, which we had so much fun performing on several occasions last year.

What did you learn from last year's recital that will be useful when programming, organising and/or performing this one?

I have learnt that it is necessary in terms of stamina and overall recital length to pay close attention to the overall duration of the pieces you are programming. I seem to always pick very difficult programs...

MON 28 OCT, 2:15PM

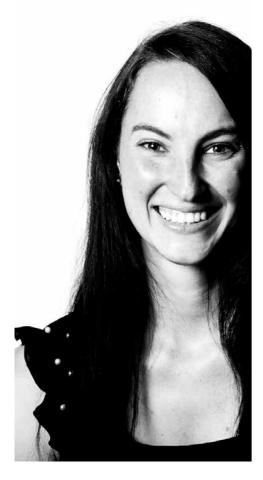
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WHAT WE DO

The Australian National Academy of Music (ANAM) is dedicated to the artistic and professional development of the country's most exceptional young musicians. ANAM's vision is to develop the country's future music leaders, distinguished by their artistic skill, imagination, courage, and by their contribution to a vibrant Australian music culture.

The only institute of its kind in Australia and one of the few in the world, ANAM's 2013 cohort consists of 71 students from across Australia. Based in the South Melbourne Town Hall, ANAM's students take part in the professional performance program, an intensive yearlong course of one-to-one

lessons, master classes and public performances. Renowned for its innovation and energy and adventurous programming, ANAM is committed to the advancement of contemporary and Australian composition.



KAYLIE MELVILLE PERCUSSION

What have you chosen to perform for your recital?

My recital program started with John Cage's beautiful work *Child of Tree* – a guided improvisation for a percussionist using plant materials. I was intrigued by the idea of playing an amplified cactus! I've chosen the other works in my program to link to nature or the I Ching (the Chinese 'Book of Changes'), both of which were huge influences on Cage.

What is significant about this repertoire for you, and for your instrument?

This repertoire is significant because Cage was very involved in early writing for percussion. His works really challenge ideas of what can and can't be an instrument, and what we consider music to be. These are questions that I think musicians in the 21st century are still thinking about, and it's interesting to consider where those lines are (or if they exist at all!)

What are you most looking forward to in your recital?

I find that the beauty of Cage's music is that it really encourages you to listen more closely to unusual or unexpected sounds from everyday objects. It's an idea I'm looking forward to sharing with everyone!

What have you found most challenging or most satisfying when programming your recital?

One of the biggest challenges in programming a percussion recital is often sourcing all of the instruments you need and then making sure you can play them. I'm currently learning to play the kalimba, an African thumb piano, for one of my pieces. In the world of percussion there's always something new to learn!

TUE 29 OCT, 1PM

Student Beneficiary Support provided by Stan Perron Charitable Fund



ROHAN DASIKA BASS

What have you chosen to perform for your recital?

Concerto for Double Bass in D Major by Carl Ditters Von Dittersdorf.

Grenzübertritt (Crossing Beyond) for Viola, Cello and Double Bass by Viktor Suslin.

Concerto for Double Bass by Eduard Tubin.

What is significant about this repertoire for you, and for your instrument?

The Dittersdorf is one of the most standard of standard pieces in the double bass repertoire, and something that every double bassist has to grapple with at some point in their lives -I'm looking forward to trying to put as much of myself as possible into such a well-known piece. Grenzübertritt is a piece I only came across this year whilst aimlessly browsing YouTube, and in my opinion makes one of the most convincing arguments for the double bass becoming a more mainstream chamber music instrument. There is an incredible variety of colours produced by just three instruments, ranging from the most intimate sounds to almost orchestral textures. The Tubin concerto is becoming more and more appreciated by bassists these days, and is dramatic and virtuosic in a manner barely seen in our repertoire. It will be hard!

What are you most looking forward to in your recital?

Playing music with some friends that I've admired musically for a very long time.

What have you found most challenging or most satisfying when programming your recital?

I've never really had to attempt to organise ensembles before, and trying to navigate our schedules to get together and play is challenging, but worth it! I guess also playing all the notes in tune and in time will be fairly difficult to achieve as well...

THU 31 OCT, 2:15PM



GEMMA TOMLINSONCELLO

What have you chosen to perform for your recital?

For my first ANAM recital I will be performing Beethoven's 3rd sonata for cello and piano in A major, and the Shostakovich sonata for cello and piano.

What is significant about this repertoire for you, and for your instrument?

These two works brought me to choose a path in music and cello performance. I studied the first movement of the Shostakovich in depth for a school music assignment, and became obsessed with his language throughout that process. I was learning the movement at the time as well, and fell in love with the experience of collaborating with a pianist to create such meaningful chamber music. The Beethoven was one of the first cello works I heard live, and the piece has always been a favourite since.

What are you most looking forward to in your recital?

I am really looking forward to the collaboration with my associate artist, Louisa Breen. As both works are sonatas, I feel it is very much about sharing musical ideas with the pianist to create a unique yet accurate interpretation of the works. I have really enjoyed working with Louisa so far throughout this process.

What have you found most challenging or most satisfying when programming your recital?

The Beethoven is such a significant work for cello, and I feel it a challenge to present an interesting and original take on it, particularly as I have been listening to recordings of this work for years!

MON 4 NOV, 11AM

Student Beneficiary Support provided by Anonymous



KIM WORLEY CELLO

What have you chosen to perform for your recital?

My upcoming recital will feature works linking the cello to the human voice, including a couple of song transcriptions (one of which I plan to do myself!) a vocalise or two, for which I will be joined by soprano Karen Fitzgibbon and two great cello sonatas by Barber and Boccherini with pianist Leigh Harrold, both of which contain cantabile (or "singing") elements.

What is significant about this repertoire for you, and for your instrument?

As a singer myself, I am drawn to those elements in music which either emulate or attempt to capture the essence of the expressive flow that is found in vocal music, and for this reason the music I have chosen to perform sits close to my heart. It has also been said that the timbre and range of the cello is the most similar of all the instruments to the voice and one finds evidence that composers have taken advantage of this similarity in their writing for the instrument.

What are you most looking forward to in your recital?

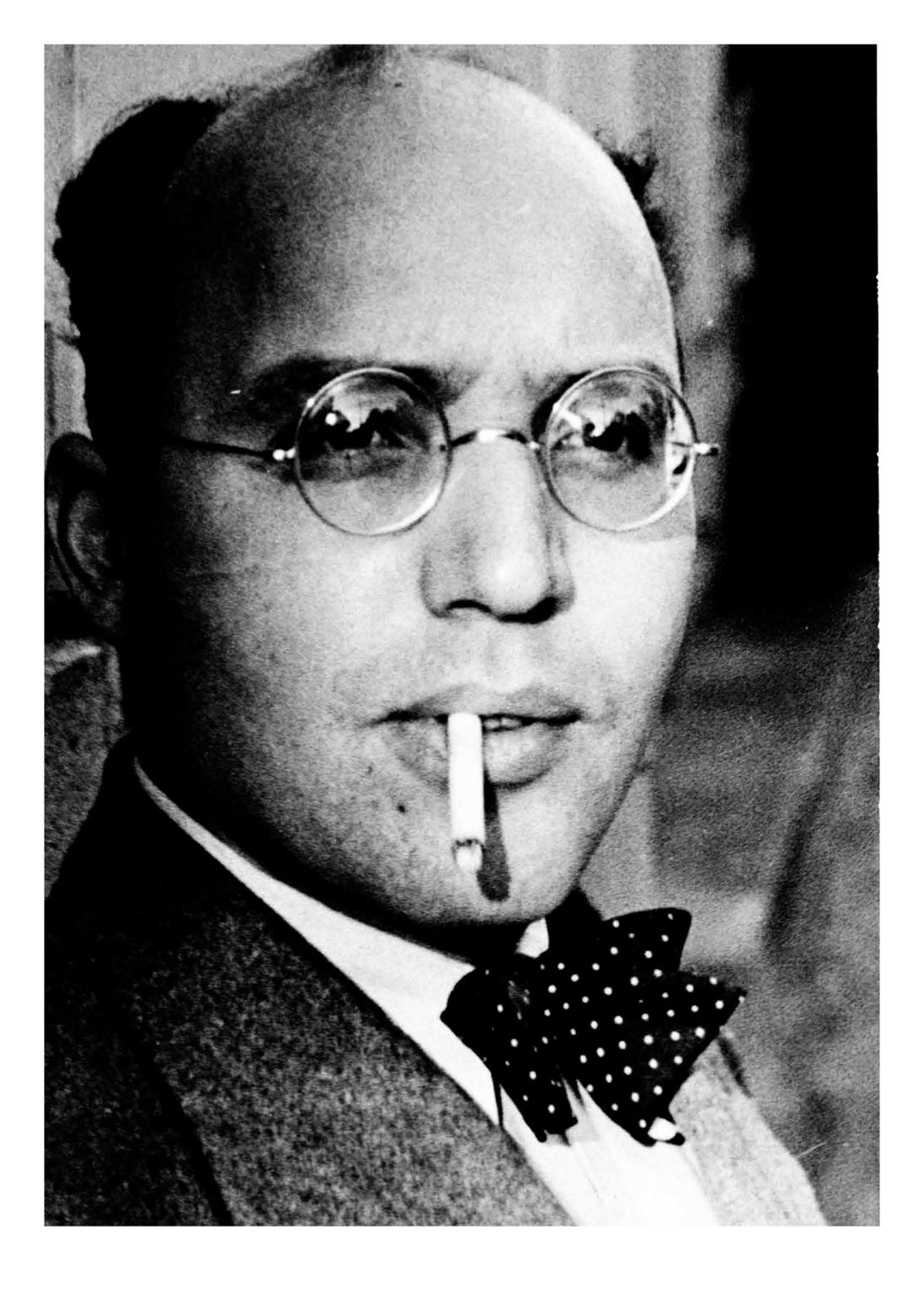
The opportunity to share wonderful music, both with colleagues on stage and with friends, family and other supporters who come along to listen. And of course the celebrations afterwards!

What did you learn from last year's recital that will be useful when programming, organising and/or performing this one?

I have had a couple of bites at the cherry (so to speak) already, with a recital earlier this year as well as the one last year, and I think that each time you get up on stage in that context it is more familiar and so a little bit more comfortable. On the other hand, organising and performing a solo recital is never easy and takes a lot of thought, preparation and hard work at the instrument - you just hope that it pays off with a rewarding experience for all involved.

THU 7 NOV, 11AM

Student Beneficiary Support provided by ANAMsyndicate: Robert Gibbs & Tony Wildman, William Murdoch & Richard O'Dwyer, Susan Pelka, Marie Rowland and Anonymous



AS A MAN, KURT WEILL WAS THE **CITIZEN OF TWO COUNTRIES, GERMANY** AND THE UNITED STATES. AS A **COMPOSER HE HUNG HIS HAT PRETTY** WELL EVERYWHERE. THE CONCERT HALL, THE OPERA HOUSE, THE SYNAGOGUE, THE CABARET AND THE **BROADWAY THEATRE WERE ALL HIS** ABODE AT LEAST ONE TIME OR OTHER, AND HE OCCUPIED THEM ALL WITH AN EASE AND A SUCCESS THAT MOST OTHER COMPOSERS CAN ONLY ENVY.

He was Jewish in a time and place when that spelled danger. Born in 1900 the son of a German cantor, young Kurt grew up in Dessau and impressed the local synagogue with his prowess as an organist, having taught himself piano at home. As a teenager he expanded his musical horizons by playing evenings at a local beer hall. His first formal studies were with Humperdinck, revered composer of Hansel and Gretel, but he found Humperdinck's style stifling. In 1921 he met the mentor he had been searching for in Ferruccio Busoni, virtuoso pianist and visionary composer. It was a musical love-match. Weil was Busoni's devoted disciple for the remaining three years of the older composer's life.

By the 1920s most composers were out of sympathy with Wagner, but few were as downright vitriolic as Busoni, who claimed that the creator of the Ring, Tristan and Parsifal had debased music by exaggerating

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its voluptuous side. 'Lascivious' was his summing up. He urged on all his pupils the value of economy and clarity of sound.

It's a shame that Busoni never heard the work that marked his greatest pupil's coming-of-age. When Weill completed his landmark Concerto for Violin & Winds in May 1924, Busoni was dying of kidney disease. He would have admired the crystalline clarity Weill achieved. No one had ever written a violin concerto that sounded quite like this: one violin, winds, percussion and one double bass. And no big, mushy tunes to drug the listener into a torpor, but a totally new soundscape that seemed to plug directly into Berlin's noisy nightlife, its honking traffic and its clanging electric trams. Wagner would have hated it.

Weill was, in fact, right at the forefront in his thinking. In one of those curious coincidences that illuminate musical history, Weill was completing his concerto at exactly the same time Stravinsky was writing his Concerto for Piano and Winds, without either knowing what the other was up to.

British violinist Anthony Marwood has always made it his mission to tread the road less travelled. He has probably commissioned and premiered more new violin concertos than any other player alive, and pieces that often get overlooked by other virtuosos are his meat and potatoes. His performance of Weill's Concerto, which he has recorded for Hyperion, is a natural extension of his award-winning turn as the Soldier in Stravinsky's The Soldier's Tale, Marwood being the first actual violinist to play the role on stage. There is a grittiness to both pieces which Marwood seems to thrive on. The fearless abandon with which he plunges into the jet-plane energy of Weill's finale is jaw-dropping.

So where do you go after a heady night in Berlin? You head for the hills, of course. Marwood will follow up this über-urban music in his ANAM concert by directing what is perhaps the most beautiful valentine ever composed to country life, Beethoven's Pastoral Symphony.

PERFORMANCE #16

Sat 7 Dec, 7pm Weill Violin Concerto Beethoven Symphony No. 6 Pastorale

Anthony Marwood violin **ANAM Orchestra**

Anthony Marwood's ANAM Residency is generously supported by Janet Holmes à Court AC

Performance #16 **Concert Sponsor**



S O F I T E L







AUSTRALIAN CHAMBER ORCHESTRA: THE CROWD

FRI 11 OCT, 8PM

Chopin Nocturne No.7

Crumb Black Angels: Bones and Flutes

Dean Dispersal **Debussy** Syrinx

Feldman Three Voices: Slow Waltz

Leifs Quartetto III, El Greco: Mvt.4

Schubert Symphony No. 8, Unfinished: Mvt. 1

Shostakovich The Age of Gold: Polka

Sibelius Kuolema: Scenes with Cranes. Scene VI Tognetti Battle for the Crowd, Mosh Maggot, Chorale,

Rain, Ecstasis, Bells, Train

Trad. Icelandic (arr. Stearne) Fagurt er í Fjörðum

Richard Tognetti director/violin

Jon Frank film

Australian Chamber Orchestra

ANAM Orchestra

The Consort of Melbourne

Peter Tregear Co-Artistic Director

Warren Trevelyan-Jones Co-Artistic Director

Venue Palais Theatre, St Kilda

Tickets Full \$45 - \$105 Conc \$40 - \$90 Under 30 \$45

Bookings ticketmaster.com.au

AUSTRALIAN CHAMBER ORCHESTRA: THE CROWD

SUN 13 OCT, 2PM

Chopin Nocturne No.7

Crumb Black Angels: Bones and Flutes

Dean Dispersal **Debussy** Syrinx

Feldman Three Voices: Slow Waltz

Leifs Quartetto III, El Greco: Mvt.4

Schubert Symphony No. 8, Unfinished: Mvt. 1 Shostakovich The Age of Gold: Polka

Sibelius Kuolema: Scenes with Cranes, Scene VI

Tognetti Battle for the Crowd, Mosh Maggot, Chorale, Rain, Ecstasis, Bells, Train

Trad. Icelandic (arr. Stearne) Fagurt er í Fjörðum

Richard Tognetti director/violin

Jon Frank film

Australian Chamber Orchestra

ANAM Orchestra Cantillation

Venue Sydney Opera House

Tickets Full \$45 - \$105 Conc \$40 - \$90 Under 30 \$45

Bookings ticketmaster.com.au

THE HAYDN PROJECT **Melbourne International Arts Festival**

MON 21 OCT, 12PM

Britten 3 Divertimenti for String Quartet

Bridge Rhapsody Trio

Haydn String Quartet in F minor, Op. 20, No. 5

TUE 22 OCT, 12PM

Haydn String Quartet in G minor, Op. 20, No. 3

Britten String Quartet in C major No. 2

WED 23 OCT, 12PM

Haydn String Quartet in D major, Op. 20, No. 4

Shostakovich String Quartet No. 12

THU 24 OCT, 12PM

Haydn String Quartet in C major, Op. 20, No. 2

Britten String Quartet in D major No. 1

FRI 25 OCT, 12PM

Purcell Fantasias in Four Parts

Stravinsky Three Pieces for String Quartet Haydn String Quartet in A major, Op. 20, No. 6

ANAM Musicians ANAM Faculty

Venue MIAF Festival Hub

Tickets Free

SOUND BITE

FRI 25 OCT, 1PM

Program to be advised

ANAM Musicians

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall

Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free)

Bookings tickets at the door

THE HAYDN PROJECT

Melbourne International Arts Festival

SAT 26 OCT, 12PM

Haydn String Quartet in E-flat major, Op. 20 No. 1

Britten String Quartet

ANAM Musicians ANAM Faculty

Venue MIAF Festival Hub

Tickets Free

EMERALD HILL FESTIVAL

SUN 27 OCT, 11AM - 5PM

For details please call (03) 9645 7911

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall and surrounds

Tickets Free event

ANAM RECITAL MON 28 OCT, 11AM

Beethoven Sonata for horn and piano in F major, Op. 17

Strauss Nocturno for horn, Op. 7

Mozart Quintet for horn and strings in E-flat major

Sebastian Dunn horn

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

MON 28 OCT, 1PM

Humphries Come Out Closer

Kerry Aria

Rota Concerto for trombone

Schumann Three Romances, Op. 94

Sandström Sång till Lotta

lain Faragher trombone

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

MON 28 OCT, 2:15PM

Poulenc Sonata for oboe and piano

Holliger Oboe sonata

Mozart Concerto for oboe in C major, K314

Georgina Roberts oboe

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

TUE 29 OCT, 11AM

Healey Myths for solo timpani

Philidor Marche de timbales

Carter Eight Pieces for Four Timpani (selections) Strauss Grand Waltz from Der Rosenkavalier

Wagner Funeral Music from Die Walküre

Treloar Sudhana's Steps

Brent Miller percussion

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

TUE 29 OCT, 1PM

Takemitsu Rain Tree Cage Child of Tree Pertout Pi (Obstruction)

Norgard I Ching

Westlake Entomology Kaylie Melville percussion

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

TUE 29 OCT, 2:30PM

Griswold Simple Addition

Brophy Coil Cangelosi Naglfar Miki Marimba Spiritual

Matthew Brennan percussion

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookinas ti s at the doo

ANAM RECITAL

WED 30 OCT. 2:15PM

Hughes New work Messiaen Le cossyphe d'Heuglin

Sciarrino Perduto in una città d'acque **Messiaen** Le moqueur polyglotte from

Des canyons aux étoiles... Moore Sensitive Spot

Jacob Abela piano

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

THU 31 OCT, 11AM

Mozart Concerto for horn in E-flat major, K. 417

Plog Trio for brass

Larsson Concertino Op. 45, No. 5

Kara Hahn horn

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

THU 31 OCT, 1PM

Program to be advised

Louisa Trewartha trumpet

Venue South Melbourne Town Hal Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

THU 31 OCT, 2:15PM

Dittersdorf Double bass Concerto in D major

Suslin Crossing Beyond **Tubin** Double bass Concerto Rohan Dasika double bass Venue South Melbourne Town Hall

Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free)

Bookings tickets at the door

NOVEMBER

ANAM RECITAL

FRI 1 NOV, 11AM

Bach Toccata in C minor

Debussy Preludes, selections from Book I & Book II Scriabin Piano Sonata No. 3 in F-sharp major

Laurence Matheson piano

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

FRI 1 NOV, 1PM

Cherubini Horn sonata No. 1 Cherubini Horn sonata No. 2 **Hindemith** Sonata for horn and piano

Goldmann Trio for horn, violin and piano Claire Linquist horn

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL FRI 1 NOV, 2:15PM

Denisov Sonata for flute and piano Schulhoff Concertino for flute, piccolo, viola and double bass

Hindemith Sonata for flute and piano Kattenburg Sonata for flute and piano

Anna Cooper flute Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free)

Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM AT THE VINEYARD SAT 2 NOV, 12:30PM

Howard Penny cello Mee Na Lojewski cello

Venue Whistler Café, Cellar Door & Garden Merindoc Vineyard, 2905 Lancefield Rd TOOBORAC VIC

Bookings for lunch (03) 5433 5188

ANAM RECITAL

MON 4 NOV, 11AM

Beethoven Cello sonata No. 3 in A Major, Op. 69 Shostakovich Cello sonata in D minor, Op. 40

Gemma Tomlinson cello

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

MON 4 NOV, 1PM

Haydn Concerto in D Bach Suite IV, BWV1010

Brahms Sonata in F major, Op. 99

James Larsen cello

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall **Tickets** \$5 (**ANAM**ates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

MON 4 NOV, 2:15PM

Program to be advised

Cameron Jamieson violin

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall **Tickets** \$5 (**ANAM**ates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

WED 6 NOV, 11AM

Bach Sonata for viola and harpsichord, Shostakovich Sonata for viola and piano

Nelson Yarwood viola

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

WED 6 NOV, 1PM

Bach Sonata for solo violin in C major Prokofiev Sonata for violin and piano in D major

Anne-Marie Johnson violin

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall **Tickets** \$5 (**ANAM**ates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

WED 6 NOV. 2:15PM

Neuling Bagatelle for horn and piano

Bernstein Dance suite

Beethoven Sonata for horn and piano

Phoebe Smithies horn

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

THU 7 NOV, 11AM

Boccherini Sonata for cello and piano in A Major Barber Sonata for cello and piano, Op. 6 Fauré Après un Rêve from Three Songs for voice and piano, Op. 7

Vaughan Williams The Infinite Shining Heavens from

Songs of Travel

Previn Vocalise for soprano, cello and piano

Mendelssohn Song Without Words No. 1 in E major, Op. 19 Mendelssohn Song Without Words No. 1 in E minor, Op. 102

Kim Worley cello

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

THU 7 NOV, 2:15PM

Program to be advised

Nicholas Waters violin

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

FRI 8 NOV, 11AM

Bach Cello suite No. 6 in D major

Schubert Sonata in A minor, D821 Arpeggione

Jack Bailey cello

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

FRI 8 NOV, 1PM

Beethoven Violin sonata No. 8 Franck Sonata for violin and piano

Jessie Regan violin

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

FRI 8 NOV, 2:15PM

Kreisler Recitativo und scherzo-caprice **Handel** Sonata in D major for violin and harpsichord Beethoven Sonata for violin and piano No. 7

Beatrix Pickett violin

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

THE DEAN BROTHERS

SAT 9 NOV. 2:30PM

Brahms Academic Festival Overture **Bruch** Clarinet and Viola Concerto

Dean Ariel's Music **Brahms** *Tragic* Overture Paul Dean clarinet Brett Dean viola

Kenneth Young conductor

ANAM Musicians

Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra

Venue Federation Concert Hall, Hobart **Tickets** Full \$83 Conc \$49 – \$83 **Bookings** tso.com.au 1800 001 190

ANAM RECITAL

TUE 12 NOV, 1PM

Program to be advised

Simon Pauperis double bass Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

TUE 12 NOV, 2:15PM

Bach Keyboard concerto No. 5 in F minor, BWV1056 Brahms Variations on an original theme, Op. 21 Rachmaninov Symphonic Dances for two pianos, Op. 45

Stewart Kelly piano

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

WED 13 NOV, 11AM

Messager Solo de concours for clarinet and piano Widmann Fantasie

Horovitz Sonatina for clarinet and piano Berg Vier stücke for clarinet and piano

Fitkin Gate

Justin Beere clarinet

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

WED 13 NOV, 1PM

Britten Fanfare for St Edmunsbury Bach Brandenburg Concerto No. 2 John Dowland Selected songs

de Jager Untitled

Gruber Exposed Throat for solo trumpet

Josh Rogan trumpet

Venue South Melbourne Town Hal Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

WED 13 NOV, 2:15PM

Program to be advised

William Clark viola

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

ANAM RECITAL

MON 18 NOV, 1PM

Bach Sonata in G minor for oboe and continuo

Dorati Cinq pieces pour le hautbois

Beethoven Trio for two oboes and English horn, Op. 87

Katia Lenzi oboe

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

FELLOWSHIP PROJECT

MON 18 NOV, 7PM

Berio Kol Od **Hope** Liminum Holz Weisse Wunden Callum G'Froerer trumpet **ANAM Musicians**

Venue Northcote Uniting Church Hall Tickets Full \$10 Conc \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** Tickets at the door

ANAM CHAMBER COMPETITION FINAL

FRI 22 NOV, 7PM

ANAM Musicians

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings** anam.com.au (03) 9645 7911

SOUND BITE

TUE 26 NOV, 1PM

Program to be advised

ANAM Musicians

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall **Tickets** \$5 (**ANAM**ates Free) Bookings tickets at the door

PERFORMANCE #15

FRI 29 NOV, 11AM

Mendelssohn Octet Schubert Octet

Anthony Marwood violin

ANAM Musicians Venue South Melbourne Town Hall

Tickets Full \$25

Bookings anam.com.au (03) 9645 7911

This performance will be followed by light refreshments and an opportunity to meet the artists.

IN CONVERSATION WITH ANTHONY MARWOOD

FRI 29 NOV, 3PM

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets \$5 (ANAMates Free) **Bookings Essential** (03) 9645 7911

DECEMBER

PERFORMANCE #16

SAT 7 DEC, 7PM

Weill Violin Concerto

Beethoven Symphony No. 6 Pastorale

Anthony Marwood violin ANAM Orchestra

Venue South Melbourne Town Hall Tickets Full \$55 Sen \$40 Conc \$30 Bookings anam.com.au (03) 9645 7911

MOSTLY MOZART: CHRISTMAS CONCERTO

WED 18 DEC, 11AM

Corelli Concerto Grosso No. 8, Op.6 Mozart Piano Concerto No. 25 in C major Mozart A Musical Joke in F major

Aidan Boase piano **Orchestra Victoria**

Venue Melbourne Recital Centre Tickets Full \$35 Sen/Conc \$26 Bookings melbournerecital.com.au

Booking Details

ANAMates Membership & Single Tickets

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CONCERTO COMPETITION



JACK BAILEY CELLO

What attracted you to the concerto you are playing?

The Sinfonia Concertante in E minor for cello and orchestra by Sergei Prokofiev is widely considered the most monumental concerto in the standard repertoire in terms of length and technical difficulty, so I found the challenge appealing. Having played lots of Prokofiev's symphonic works in orchestra I really enjoy his musical language which can often be seen to be very tongue-in-cheek and warm in character.

How has your understanding of the piece changed over the time you've been preparing it?

I have been fascinated by this particular piece since I first listened to it about 5 years ago and I was interested to learn that it is in fact a re-working of his 1st cello concerto, Op. 58.

The 1st cello concerto wasn't very successful, however Prokofiev was inspired when hearing the great Russian cellist Mstislav Rostropovich performing it and they decided to collaborate to write the Sinfonia Concertante (or Symphony-Concerto) Op. 125.

Becoming aware of the role Rostropovich played in conceiving the piece gives a great insight into the intentions of the writing and the fact that there are several recordings of Rostropovich performing the piece gives even greater insight.

What's it like to perform with a symphony orchestra in this capacity?

To answer this properly I would have to get back to you after the performance. I am, however, very fortunate that my teacher Howard Penny has had a great deal of experience performing concertos with professional orchestras and has actually performed this particular piece with orchestra so he can give a great deal of advice on what to expect.

There are some key areas that I have been focusing on in preparation for the performance and the main one is sound. In the 2nd Round of the concerto competition I performed with piano in a small room for a small panel of adjudicators. In the Final I will be performing with the Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra in a concert hall with – hopefully – an audience, so everything that I do will need to be on a much larger scale (louder, more articulate and possibly slightly exaggerated at times). I am really looking forward to the opportunity to perform this piece with orchestra.

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AIDAN BOASE PIANO

What attracted you to the concerto you are playing?

The thing that attracted me initially to this work was probably the energy and excitement that it contains. It is overflowing with characters and colours, and I love Prokofiev's musical language – in general, and particularly in this work. Also, the interaction between soloist and orchestra is a fantastic dialogue.

How has your understanding of the piece changed over the time you've been preparing it?

During the time I have lived with this piece I have come to understand more and more about portraying the variety of characters throughout. Getting into these is what makes playing the work so enjoyable and satisfying.

What's it like to perform with a symphony orchestra in this capacity?

It is a great amount of fun to play with a symphony orchestra! I am lucky enough to have played with orchestras a few times and it is really so enjoyable to be able to finally put all your hard work to full use in the setting that these pieces (concertos) were intended for.

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ANNE-MARIE JOHNSON VIOLIN

What attracted you to the concerto you are playing?

I had always really loved the Elgar cello concerto, but hadn't really come across the violin concerto until I heard a recording of James Ehnes playing it. Almost immediately I fell in love with it. My favourite things about the concerto are its extraordinary range of colour and its sheer beauty, richness, expressiveness and depth.

How has your understanding of the piece changed over the time you've been preparing it?

Every time I play it I hear new things. This has only intensified since I learned that I was going to play it with orchestra. This concerto is truly like a huge piece of chamber music.

Knowing the concerto as a whole work has really enhanced my appreciation of its structural brilliance. All three movements are inter-related.

What's it like to perform with a symphony orchestra in this capacity?

This will be my first time performing solo with a professional orchestra. I have played with some community orchestras. It is just incredible to have so many people supporting you and adding their own energy, passion, intensity and creativity to the performance. The impact standing there in front of such a tidal wave of musical power is unforgettable – it's an overwhelming, defining experience.

WE SHAKE OUR HEADS IN FRUSTRATION TODAY AS WE READ ABOUT SCHUBERT'S LIFE.

While lesser, now forgotten talents triumphed, Schubert somehow seemed to be forever on the fringe, always just on the brink of major public acclaim but never quite achieving it. Most of his music was heard only by a select (and very lucky) group of friends during his lifetime, and publishers were only interested in a relatively small portion of his songs, disregarding the symphonic and chamber works which we treasure today. His attempt at fame and fortune via the stage proved a dead end, producing only a string of flops. And let's not get started on his love life: Schubert barely got started himself. When he eventually did, he ended up with syphilis. Then, there was his 'melancholia'. Today he'd be treated for clinical depression. In 1824 he informed a close friend, "Each

night when I go to sleep, I hope I will not wake again, and each morning reminds me only of yesterday's unhappiness." Fortunately for us, creativity was Schubert's solace and therapy. Also fortunate was the concerned support of some discerning, loyal and influential friends who kept an eye on the fragile genius. It was Count Ferdinand von Troyer who commissioned Schubert to write a companion piece to Beethoven's monumental Septet. Schubert probably found the commission both flattering and intimidating. He held Beethoven in such high esteem that he became completely tongue-tied in his only face-to-face encounter with the giant.

Schubert's Octet for strings and winds premiered in 1824 at von Troyer's Viennese apartment, and three years later reached a wider audience at the Red Hedgehog, a favourite haunt of Viennese musicians. On the one hand, a suburban tavern seems exactly the right venue for this delectable piece, a song-fest of one hummable tune after another. On the other hand, this is no mere divertimento, as the slow and ineffably mysterious introduction makes clear. "We are entering rich and beautiful terrain here," Schubert seems to say as the music traverses some weird and fantastic modulations, "and there's a lot to take in, so we shouldn't hurry." One is stunned by the audacity of the piece, a six-movement, hour-long symphony of cosmic scope for a mere eight musicians. The 'Great' C major symphony was not far away.

In contrast to Schubert, Felix Mendelssohn was one of Fortune's favourites. Born into a family rich in material assets and intellectual pursuits, his extraordinary gifts were nurtured and applauded from the first moment his infant hands touched the keyboard or put pen to manuscript. Not many budding composers get to hire a private orchestra to play their new works. Mendelssohn did. The twelve astonishing string symphonies he composed between the ages of 12 and 14 were all premiered by professional musicians in the Mendelssohn home.

For many listeners, the first truly great work from the young genius is his String Octet in E flat, composed at the age of 16 (a year after Schubert's Octet.) Its scherzo is one of music's marvels, so ethereal and mercurial it seems to defy all laws of musical gravity. Mendelssohn loved this Octet until the end of his sadly short life. Twenty years after its creation, during which time he'd composed great symphonies, concertos and oratorios, he named this work his favourite, adding that he'd had "a lovely time writing it."

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THE VIOLA IN THIS TRUMPETER'S LIFE



MATT LAING VIOLA

What have you chosen to perform for your recital and what is significant about it for you, and for your instrument?

My entire recital is one work, Morton Feldman's "The Viola in My Life". The work is probably the most large scale viola concertante work of the 20th century, making it significant repertoire for the instrument, and it's arguably one of Feldman's most convincing and concise works, despite its 40 minute duration. I'm not sure if it has ever been performed in Australia in it's full form, as it's quite a logistical effort to make it happen; the four parts of the work are differently orchestrated from one to the next, with varying chamber ensembles in the first two parts, viola and piano in the third, culminating in the final part for full orchestra and solo viola.

How did the idea of performing your recital as part of Callum's Fellowship come about?

It's a work I've been wanting to perform for a long time, and it's a work that Callum really wanted to do as well, so when the opportunity came up and it worked perfectly with each of our schedules, it pretty much had to happen! Initially we were going to only attempt the first three parts, mostly because of the logistical issues of getting an orchestra together, but thanks to Callum's hard work organising it all, there will be the full performance of the Feldman and a Berio orchestral work too, which is really exciting to be involved alongside. It's great to think that if you've got the will to do it, and the people around you to make it happen, you can put on a scratch orchestra in this way.

What are you most looking forward to in the performance?

There's something nice about the responsibility of being the protagonist in such a large-scale work, particularly one that is so viola-centric, in a great hall for the aesthetic of the work.

What did you learn from last year's recital that will be useful when programming, organising and/or performing this one?

Last year my recital was a bit of a complicated mess that came together literally the day before, as it involved plenty of unknowns with electronics, percussion and a new work. I'm still doing something unusual this year, so perhaps I haven't learnt anything in that respect, but I'm looking forward to the process of putting it together and learning from that.

THE VIOLA IN MY LIFE

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