News & Notes

Musique 21 (Michigan State University Contemporary Ensemble) performed Rob Smith’s “Sprint” on April 6. Kutztown University and Sonoma State University will present performances of Smith’s “Dance Mix” in late April. Timothy Hester performed Smith’s “Essential Torque” on March 31 in the last concert of Musique’s 10th season.

Daniel Webbon’s (Masters composition student from the studio of Rob Smith) composition for string trio “For thee, O Absolom, my son!” was performed at the Fast Forward Austin Festival on April 15th.

Mark Buller (DMA composition student from the studio of Rob Smith) was commissioned in April by Houston Grand Opera Company to compose an art song as part of their “Houston Artists Respond” program. Recent and upcoming performances as part of his residency with Da Camera include premieres of works on April 19 of “Haikus” for childrens choir, HGO Company Opera Stars and “The Town Musicians of Bremen” for Wind Sync Woodwind Quintet and Lovett Elementary String Orchestra in late May.

Ben Malmer (tuba student from the studio of Mark Barton) won a position in the Round Top Music Festival this summer.

Nathan Cunningham (tuba student from the studio of Mark Barton) won positions with the Bay View Music Festival and the Summer Brass Institute and Festival at Menlo School in San Francisco.

Upcoming Events

Monday, April 23, 6:30 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Jennifer Willis, flute (Studio of Jennifer Keeney)

Monday, April 23, 7:30 pm
PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE II
Alec Warren, Blake Wilkins, directors
Works by Deitz, Long, Sejourne, Hasenflug

Tuesday, April 24, 6 pm
Whittaker Bass Studio Recital
MSM Room 175

Tuesday, April 24, 6 pm
Student Recital – Honors College Commons
Alyssa Weathersby, soprano (Studio of Melanie Sonnenberg)

Tuesday, April 24, 6:30 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Janice Fehlauer, piano (Studio of Tali Morgulis)

Tuesday, April 24, 7 pm
Flute Music by French Composers
Dorough Studio Recital - MSM Room 118
Works by Bozza, Enesco, Gaubert, Faure

Tuesday, April 24, 7:30 pm
Student Recital – Fair Haven United Methodist Church
Patrick Clappell, trombone (Studio of Brad White)

Wednesday, April 25, 6:30 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Jennifer Marie Lee, piano (Studio of Tali Morgulis)

Wednesday, April 25, 7:30 pm
SYMPHONIC BAND / WIND ENSEMBLE II
David Bertman, Troy Bennefield, Marion West, directors
Works by Strauss, Arnold, Neuman, Mackey

Wednesday, April 25, 8:30 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Jennifer Dennison, clarinet (Studio of Randal Griffin)

Thursday, April 26, 6:30 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Elspeth Bacher, flute (Studio of Jennifer Keeney)

Thursday, April 26, 6:30 pm
Student Recital – Choral Recital hall
Aamir Siddik, piano (Studio of Nancy Weems)

Thursday, April 26, 8:30 pm
Farewell to Seniors Red Carnation Concert
CONCERT CHORALE / CONCERT WOMEN’S CHORUS
UNIVERSITY MEN’S CHORUS / UNIVERSITY WOMEN’S CHORUS
Betsy Cook Weber, Justin Smith, conductors
Works by Lauridsen, Gilbert and Sullivan

Thursday, April 26, 8:30 pm
Student Recital – Choral Recital Hall
Do Hee Kim, piano (Studio of Nancy Weems)

Friday, April 27, 6:30 pm
Trombone Choir Recital
Brian Kauk, director
Dudley Recital Hall

Friday, April 27, 6:30 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Geraldine Ong, piano (Studio of Nancy Weems)

Friday, April 27, 7:30 pm
TEXAS MUSIC FESTIVAL JAZZ PROJECT
Noe Marmolejo, director
Katy/West Houston Jazz Festival
Katy High School Performing Center, 6331 Highway Blvd.
Info: www.WestHoustonJazz.com or 281-396-2270
Cancelled Saturday, April 28, 12 pm
JAZZ ORCHESTRA / Katy/West Houston Jazz Festival
Saturday, April 28, 12 pm
Student Recital – Choral Recital hall
Elizabeth Chan, percussion (Studio of Blake Wilkins)
Saturday, April 28, 2:30 pm
Student Recital – Choral Recital Hall
Amanda Sellers, flute (Studio of Peggy Russell)
Saturday, April 28, 5:00 pm
Student Recital – Room 118
Matthew Cash, piano (Studio of Nancy Weems)
Saturday, April 28, 7:30 pm
SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
Franz Anton Krager, conductor
CLEMENTS HIGH SCHOOL CHAMBER STRINGS
Ginger Wolfe, guest conductor
Laura Cividino, violin (MSM Concerto Competition Winner)
Floyd: The Pilgrimage
Sibelius: Violin Concerto in D Minor
Respighi: Fountains of Rome
Sunday, April 29, 12 pm
Student Recital – Choral Recital Hall
Zachary Miller, cello (Studio of Vagram Saradjian)
Sunday, April 29, 12 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Robert Sturdy, tuba (Studio of Mark Barton)
Sunday, April 29, 2:30 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Daniel Saenz, cello (Studio of Vagram Saradjian)
Sunday, April 29, 2:30 pm
Student Recital – Choral Recital Hall
Nathan Cunningham, tuba (Studio of Mark Barton)
Sunday, April 29, 5 pm
Student Recital – Choral Recital Hall
Correan Barker, clarinet (Studio of Randall Griffin)
Sunday, April 29, 5 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Melinda Harrison, soprano (Studio of Melanie Sonnenberg)
Sunday, April 29, 7:30 pm
Student Recital – Choral Recital Hall
Henry Darragh, conducting (Studio of Noe Marmolejo)
Monday, April 30, 6:30 pm
Student Recital - Dudley Recital Hall
Austin Dean, tenor (Studio of Melanie Sonnenberg)
Monday, April 30, 7:30 pm
Student Recital – Organ Recital Hall
Hyeok Lee, conducting (Studio of Charles Hausmann)
Monday, April 30, 7:30 pm
Student Recital – Igleria Episcopal San Mateo
Christopher Ellis Reyes, bassoon (Studio of Elise Wagner)
Monday, April 30, 8:30 pm
Student Recital – Room 185
Luke Hubbley, percussion (Studio of Blake Wilkins)
Monday, April 30, 8:30 pm
Student Recital – Dudley Recital Hall
Mary Brooke Quarles, soprano (Studio of Cynthia Clayton)
Tuesday, May 1, 6:30 pm
Hester Chamber Recital
Dudley Recital Hall
Friday, May 4, 8 pm
Student Recital – Saints Catholic Church
Paulo Gomes, conducting (Studio of Charles Hausmann)
Tuesday, May 8, 7 pm
Student Recital – Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart
Christin H. Backer, organ (Studio of Robert Bates)
Friday, May 11, 7:30 pm
Guest Recital
Ana Maria Otamendi, pianist/coach
(Houston Grand Opera Studio)
Dudley Recital Hall

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW...
GRADUATE ADVISING
Graduate students may call Doug Goldberg at 713-743-3314 to schedule an advising appointment.

UNDERGRADUATE ADVISING
Carrie Young will see walk-in students with registration needs as available.

LIBRARY
The library is located on the 2nd floor and is open
Monday – Thursday: 8am – 8pm, Friday: 8 am – 5 pm
Saturday: 10 am – 2 pm, and Sunday: 2 pm – 8 pm

IMPORTANT INFORMATION
MSM Administration office: 713-743-3009
MSM Concert Information: 713-743-3313
Undergraduate Advisor: 713-743-3172
Graduate Advisor: 713-743-3314
Scholarship Coordinator: 713-743-5934
UH Registration: 713-743-1010
UH-Financial Aid: 713-743-1096
Campus Police: 713-743-3333
MSM Web site: www.music.uh.edu
MSM Current Student Web site: www.uh.edu/musicstudents

IMPORTANT DATES
Last day of class: 4/30/12
Make up day/Reading Period: 5/1/12
Final Examination Period: 5/2-5/10/12
Commencement/Official Closing: 5/11/12

MOORES SCHOOL OF MUSIC BUILDING HOURS:
Monday – Friday: 7 am – 11 pm
Saturday: 8 am – 6 pm
Sunday: 12 noon – 8 pm

Deadline For Upscale Weekly Submissions - Wednesday at 5:00 pm