News & Notes

Jonathan Booker (studio of ??) participated in presentation at the first annual Graduate Research and Scholarship Projects Day on October 31 at the University Center Ballroom and Theatre-Room 210 presented by the Graduate School and the Provost office. Adam Plantz (studio of ??) also participated in this showcase of the rich array of graduate research-related activities across all disciplines.

The “Spirit of Houston” including Cougar Marching Band, Cougar Dolls, Cougar Cheerleaders and featured Twirlers, will be marching in the Veterans Day Parade on Tuesday, November 11 in downtown Houston.

Fifteen members of the Moores School of Music Symphony Orchestra have been invited to participate in the 60th anniversary concert of the Leipzig Academic Orchestra on Monday, November 24. Founded by current music director, Horst Foerster, as the third orchestra of the city of Leipzig, Germany, the orchestra presents an annual season of sold out concerts in the famous Gewandhaus, one of the most prestigious concert halls in the world. The celebratory program will feature Stravinsky’s Firebird Suite and Beethoven’s 9th Symphony with soloists and the Berlin Oratorio Choir, all led by Maestro Foerster. The students will travel to Leipzig, historically home to such famous composers as Bach and Mendelssohn, to perform with the orchestra and explore Houston’s sister city. Maestro Foerster has appeared in Houston on several occasions with the Leipzig Academic Orchestra and as guest conductor at the Immanuel and Helen Olshan Texas Music Festival. For over ten years, the orchestra has invited the annual winner of the Cynthia Woods Mitchell Young Artist Competition, held at the Texas Music Festival, to appear on their concert series in Leipzig.

Upcoming Events

Monday, November 10, 7:30 pm
PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE
Blake Wilkins, director
Works by Viñao, Deane, Wilkins

Monday, November 10, 7:30 pm
UH FLUTE FORUM
Aralee Dorough, flute; Jennifer Keeney, flute; Paula Page, harp
Flute Strings: An evening of chamber music with harp and guitar friends: Works by Bizet, Ibert, Persichetti, Fauré
Choral Recital Hall

Monday, November 10, 5:30 pm & 6:30 pm
Guest Recital & Master Class
ARMY FIELD BAND SAX QUARTET
MSM Room 175

Tuesday, November 11, 6:30 pm
FLUTE STUDIO RECITAL
Dudley Recital Hall

Tuesday, November 11, 8 pm
DOUBLE BASS STUDIO RECITAL
MSM ROOM 175

Tuesday, November 11, 3 pm
FACE Promenade Series presents
CONCERT CHORALE
Betsy Cook Weber, conductor
Something Old, Something New, Something Borrowed, Something Blue: Works by Brahms, Britten, Horvit, Poulenc, Berlin, Parton

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6823 Cypresswood Drive
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Wednesday, November 12, 6 pm
CHAMBER MUSIC RECITAL
Dudley Recital Hall

Wednesday, November 12, 8:30 pm
Student Recital
Abigail Silva, harp (Studio of Paula Page)
Dudley Recital Hall

Wednesday, November 12, 8:30 pm
Student Recital
Nicolas Diaz, percussion (Studio of Blake Wilkins)
Choral Recital Hall
Upcoming Events

Thursday, November 13, 7:30 pm
WIND ENSEMBLE
David Bertman, director
Nancy Weems, piano
Tali Morgulis, piano
Poulenc: Piano Concerto for Two Pianos
Maslanka: Symphony No. 4

Thursday, November 13, 8:30 pm
Student Recital
Xin Liu, violin (Studio of Kirsten Yon)
Dudley Recital Hall

Friday, November 14, 8:30 pm
Student Recital
Mayara Velasquez, cello (Studio of Vagram Saradjian)
Dudley Recital Hall

Friday, November 14, 8:30 pm
Student Recital
Zachary Gutierrez, percussion (Studio of Blake Wilkins)
Choral Recital Hall

Saturday, November 15, 12 pm
Student Recital
Christopher Kimball, percussion (Studio of Blake Wilkins)
Choral Recital Hall

Saturday, November 15, 12 pm
Student Recital
Letica Dos Santos, piano (Studio of Timothy Hester)
Dudley Recital Hall

Saturday, November 15, 2:30 pm
Student Recital
Blake Lein, Tuba (Studio of Mark Barton)
Dudley Recital Hall

Saturday, November 15, 5 pm
Student Recital
Alison Anchors, saxophone (Studio of Dan Gelok)
Choral Recital Hall

Saturday, November 15, 5 pm
Student Recital
Emily Robinson, soprano (Studio of Cynthia Clayton)
Choral Recital Hall

Saturday, November 15, 7:30 pm
Student Recital
Christopher Song, clarinet (Studio of Randall Griffin)
Choral Recital Hall

Saturday, November 15, 7:30 pm
Student Recital
Laura Bleakley, piano (Studio of Timothy Hester)
Choral Recital Hall

Sunday, November 16, 2:30 pm
Guest Recital
Cathy Lysinger, Alex McDonald, piano duo
Works by Brahms, Debussy, Rachmaninoff, Bolcom
Dudley Recital Hall

Sunday, November 16, 3 pm
A.I. Lack Series Guest Master Class
William Preucil, violin
(Concertmaster, Cleveland Orchestra)
Choral Recital Hall