

THE SUNDERMAN  
CHAMBER MUSIC FOUNDATION  
CONCERT SERIES

*presents*

# LYRA



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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2024  
8:00PM  
PAUL RECITAL HALL  
SCHMUCKER MEMORIAL HALL



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# LYRA

MaryRuth Miller, *Soprano*

Anna Crumley, *Soprano*

Elizabeth Tait, *Mezzo*

Ingrid Johnson, *Mezzo*

Aryssa Leigh Burrs, *Alto*

Cecille Elliott, *Contralto*

Erik Jacobson, *Creative Director*



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## PROGRAM

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When the Earth Stands Still	Don MacDonald
Haec Dies	Leonora d'Este
Hymn of Axiom	Vienna Teng arr. Kerry Marsh
Aure volanti	Ellen Gilson Voth
Moonrise	Blake Morgan
Golden Hour	JVKE arr. Emily Drum
A Nightingale Sang in Berkeley Square	arr. Gene Puerling
At Last	Warren & Gordon arr. Kerry Marsh
Lose Your Head	London Grammar arr. Cecille Elliott
When Sunny Gets Blue	Marvin Fisher arr. Anna Crumley

Rise Up My Love

Leslie Savoy Burrs

Tryin' to Get Home

trad.  
arr. Anthony Trecek-King

Dark Out of the Night

Peter Eldridge  
arr. Erik Jacobson

Bridge over Troubled Water

Paul Simon

Blue Skies

Irving Berlin  
arr. Michael Wheaton



# LYRA

Lyyra is the newest professional ensemble from The VOCES8 Foundation, striving to create world-class musical experiences that inspire audiences. Six incredibly talented and unique women collaborate to shape the virtuosic sound of Lyyra, bringing expertise in a variety of genres and musical traditions. Lyyra tours nationally and seeks to redefine the genre of treble voice music in the choral landscape, serving as an example of the astonishing capabilities of the full spectrum of the female voice. They are dedicated to sharing knowledge and opening doors for those voices who may be underrepresented in choral music.

Lyyra is passionate about music education and is part of The VOCES8 Foundation, a nonprofit that actively promotes 'Music Education For All'. Engaging in a broad range of in-person work collaborating with schools, universities, and community organizations, The VOCES8 Foundation reaches up to 40,000 people each year. The US foundation runs a highly successful Scholar program, where young professionals at the beginning of their singing career learn the skills to be successful in today's choral landscape, at no cost to the singer. The professional groups also spearhead a robust program with foundation teaching artists to create meaningful and lasting relationships with communities in one of many educational hub regions around the country.

Learn more about the foundation!



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## UPCOMING SUNDERMAN CONSERVATORY EVENTS

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October 20 • 2:30pm *Faculty Recital*, Paul Recital Hall  
*Elly Toyoda, violin and Scott Crowne, piano*

October 26 • 8pm *Sunderman Sings – Voice Area Recital*, Paul Recital Hall

November 1 • 3pm *Jr. Recital: Libby Carpenter, soprano*, Paul Recital Hall

November 1 • 8pm *Choir Concert*, Paul Recital Hall

November 2 • 7pm *Sr. Recital: Michael Tropp, trombone*, Paul Recital Hall

November 3 • 2:30pm *Sr. Recital: Brayton Alkinburgh, saxophone*, Paul Recital Hall

November 8 • 3pm *Sr. Hnrs. Recital: Micah Smith, viola*, Paul Recital Hall

November 9 • 8pm *Jazz Ensemble*, Majestic Theater

November 10 • 2:30pm *Sr. Recital: Penelope Michua-Brooks, oboe*, Paul Recital Hall

November 15 • 3pm *Jr. Recital: Moxe Meiri, violin*, Paul Recital Hall

November 15 • 8pm *Wind Symphony Concert*, Majestic Theater

November 16 • 7pm *Sr. Recital: Evan Hilborn, tenor*, Paul Recital Hall

November 22 • 8pm *Symphony Orchestra*, Majestic Theater

November 23 • 8pm *Jazz Combo*, Paul Recital Hall

December 5 • 6:30pm *Piano Citizens Recital*, Paul Recital Hall

December 6 • 8pm *Choir Concert*, Christ Chapel



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Conservatory faculty, and visiting performers.*

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