

Concert Festival
Third Prize Winner's Recital
Engelman Recital Hall at Baruch Performing Arts Center

April 12, 2015 at 2 p.m.

Program

Eamon Sullivan *NY, piano* _____ R. Schumann - Melodie Op.68 #1

Yuri Sakata *NY, piano* _____ D. Kabalevsky - Clowns Op.39 #20

Nathan Kotchkin *NJ, piano* _____ F. Chopin - Mazurka in A Minor, Op. 68 # 2

Julianna Kholodovsky *NY, piano* _____ B. Dvarionas - Waltz A minor

Dena Kolker *NY, piano* _____ J. Metallidi - Dancing Firefly

Lea Smolyanskiy *NJ, piano* _____ R. Gliere - Romance

Toko Takeda *NY, violin* _____ F. Seitz - Concerto #5, Mov. I

Olivia & Cynthia Lin *NY, piano duo* A. Dvorak - Slavonic Dance E minor Op.72

Jonathan Lee *NY, piano* _____ F. Kuhlau - Sonatina C major

Elizabeth Raczkowski *NY, voice* _____ C. Franck - Panis Angelicus

Ashley Tang *NY, piano* _____ F. Chopin - Waltz Op.64 #2

Aviva Blustin *NY, piano* _____ L. van Beethoven - Sonata Op.27 #2 Mov. I

David Lusinyants *NJ, piano* _____ F. Chopin - Polonaise C sharp minor

Solo Recital Competition Winner

First Prize

Yuri Taguchi



Thirteen year-old Yuri Taguchi has won many awards, including the American Protégé, AADGT, and American Fine Arts Festival. She has performed at Carnegie Hall on numerous occasions.

In 2013, Yuri participated in the AFAF Russian tour as a winner of a concerto competition. She performed Mozart - Concerto in D minor K.466 with the Kostroma Symphony Orchestra. Yuri also participated in a master class at the Moscow Conservatory. In June 2014, Yuri gave her first solo recital at Faust Harrison

Pianos in White Plains, NY and participated in a master class in Austria.

Yuri has been studying piano since she was 6, beginning in her native Japan, then in the United States with Dr. Irena Portenko. She now resides in Berlin, Germany, where she continues her piano studies following her recent acceptance to the Julius Stern Institut of Berlin University of the Arts.

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J.S. Bach - Prelude and Fugue D minor, WTC II

W.A. Mozart - Sonata KV 283 G major

S. Prokofiev - "Juliet as a Young Girl" ("Romeo and Juliet") Op.75

A. Scriabin - Etude Op.8 #4 B major

A. Scriabin - Prelude Op.11 #11 B major

F. Chopin - Impromptu Op.29 A flat major

F. Chopin - Etude Op.10 #5 G flat major

Awards ceremony

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