PLU Opera Gala

Saturday, November 4, 2023 at 7:30pm Lagerquist Concert Hall, Mary Baker Russell Music Center

Pacific Lutheran University

The College of Professional Studies and School of Music, Theatre & Dance present



PLU Opera Gala

Barry Johnson, stage director
James L. Brown, conductor
Northwest Sinfonietta, orchestra
Amy Boers, rehearsal pianist
Sheila Bristow, rehearsal pianist
Art Giddings, stage services
Caitlyn Babcock, assistant director

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Welcome to Lagerquist Concert Hall.

Please disable the audible signal on all watches and cellular phones for the duration of the concert. Use of cameras, recording equipment and all digital devices is not permitted in the concert hall.

PROGRAM

Overture

No. 4, Trio

No. 8, Adele's Laughing Song

No. 9, Watch Duet

No. 10, Czardas

No. 11, Act 2 Finale

CAST

Rosalinda	Madison Zantello
Adele	Ellie O'Brien
Eisenstein	Kendan Bendt
Orlofsky	Caitlyn Babcock
Falke	Dominic Walker
Sally	Jessica Heinauer
Frank	Harry Gomes

CHORUS

(all above plus those listed below)

Soprano Mezzo-soprano Caroline Bergren Isabella Daltoso

Erin Burson Lizveth Delgado-Olvera Hannah McVay Lillian Gundersen **Emily Morse** Kyla Rivera Katie Olson Josie Sanders Kaitlyn Owen Mariana Vargas

Tenor Bass

Jack Burrows Ryan Lelli

Dane Schmidt Isaiah Utto-Galarneau

Joseph Stitzel

INTERMISSION

Trouble in TahitiLeonard Bernstein (1918-1990)

CAST

Sam Jack Burrows Isabella Daltoso Dinah

Caitlyn Babcock (cover)

Trio:

Soprano **Emily Morse Tenor** Dane Schmidt Dominic Walker **Baritone**

NORTHWEST SINFONIETTA

Flute/Piccolo Violin 1 Cello **Trumpet** Emily Kelly, concertmaster Mara Finkelstein Jennifer Rhyne

Karin Choo Grant Olsen

Janis Upshall Bass

Violin 2 Ramon Salumbides

Mary Manning Karen Sorensen Lea Fetterman

Viola

Padua Canty Steve Cresswell Jay Scott

Oboe/English horn Horn

Selina Greso Sandon Lohr

Trombone Clarinet Angelique Poteat Tony Portela

Bassoon/Contrabassoon **Timpani** Francine Peterson

Matt Drumm

Fall Events

at Pacific Lutheran University

ALL MUSIC EVENTS ARE IN MARY BAKER RUSSELL MUSIC CENTER, LAGERQUIST CONCERT HALL UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

SEPTEMBER

10 Sunday, 3pm

Artist Series: Erik Steighner, Saxophone, free admission

24 Sunday, 5pm

High School Woodwind Workshop Showcase, free admission

OCTOBER

5 Thursday, 5:15pm

Andrew Kozar Trumpet Masterclass. Mary Baker Russell Music Center Room 322, free admission

5 Thursday, 7:30pm

Artist Series: Andrew Kozar, Trumpet, free admission

9 Monday, 5:30pm

Corrine Byrne Voice Masterclass. Mary Baker Russell Music Center Room 334, free admission

12 Thursday, 7:30pm

University Jazz Ensemble. Eastvold Auditorium, Karen Hille Phillips Center

13 Friday, 12pm

Orchestra Festival concert, free admission

15 Sunday, 3pm

University Wind Ensemble

17 Tuesday and 18 Wednesday, 7:30pm

Choral Concert

22 Sunday, 3pm

South Sound Saxophone Ensemble, free admission

24 Tuesday, 7:30pm

University Symphony Orchestra

NOVEMBER

2 Thursday, 1:45pm

Covert Ensemble Saxophone Masterclass. Mary Baker Russell Music Center Room 334, free admission

4 Saturday, 7:30pm

PLU Opera Gala. Tickets: \$40 adult; \$35 senior citizen (60+), military, alumni, PLU faculty/staff (limit 2); \$25 PLU students (limit 1); \$20 children under 12

10 Friday, 7:30pm

Choral Union

11 Saturday, 5pm

Artist Series: PLU Faculty Brass Showcase

12 Sunday, 3pm

Angela Meade Vocal Competition, free admission

12 Sunday, 7:30pm

PLUtonic/Gold Rush, free admission

15 Wednesday, 7:30pm

Keyboard Students Recital, free admission

17 Friday, 7:30pm

University Jazz Ensemble. Eastvold Auditorium, Karen Hille Phillips Center

18 Saturday, 3pm

Woodwind Students Recital, free admission

18 Saturday, 4:30pm

Brass Students Recital, free admission

18 Saturday, 7:30pm

Percussion Ensemble, free admission

19 Sunday, 12pm

Artist Series: Camas Woodwind Quintet. Jennie Lee Hansen Recital Hall, free admission

19 Sunday, 3pm

University Wind Ensemble & University Concert Band

19 Sunday, 7:30pm

Guitar Orchestra & Guitar Ensemble, free admission

21 Tuesday, 7:30pm

Steel Band. Eastvold Auditorium, Karen Hille Phillips Center, free admission

28 Tuesday, 5:30pm

Saxophone Quartets & Jazz Combos. The Cave, Anderson University Center, free admission

NOVEMBER. Cont.

29 Wednesday, 7:30pm

Piano Ensemble, free admission

DECEMBER

Light, A PLU Christmas Concert

Tickets go on sale Tuesday, November 1

Saturday, December 2, at 7:30pm - Lagerquist Concert Hall Sunday, December 3, at 2pm - Lagerquist Concert Hall Monday, December 4, at 7:30pm - Benaroya Hall, Seattle Saturday, December 9, at 7:30pm - Lagerquist Concert Hall Sunday, December 10, at 2pm - Lagerquist Concert Hall

3 Sunday, 7:30pm

PLU Ringers, free admission

5 Tuesday, 6pm

Chamber Music Kaleidoscope, free admission

5 Tuesday, 7:30pm

String Kaleidoscope, free admission

6 Wednesday, 7:30pm

Sølvvinden Flute Ensemble, free admission

7 Thursday, 7:30pm

Sounds of Christmas, featuring University Singers and Knights Chorus

10 Sunday, 7:30pm

Composers Forum. Jennie Lee Hansen Recital Hall, free admission

JANUARY

6 Saturday, 5 and 6:30pm

Northwest High School Honor Band, free admission

14 Sunday, 5pm

PLU Honor Orchestra for Strings, free admission

To Order Tickets:

On Line: www.plu.edu/musictickets

At the Concert: Lobby Desk in Mary Baker Russell Music Center or Karen Hille Phillips Center (depending on performance location)

CONCERTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

All ticket sales are final - no refunds

MUSIC EVENT TICKET PRICES: \$16 GENERAL PUBLIC; \$12 PLU FACULTY/STAFF, ALUMNI, MILITARY, SENIORS (60; \$8 IMMEDIATE FAMILY OF PERFORMERS, PATRONS UNDER 18; FREE TO PLU STUDENTS WITH STUDENT ID. CONCERTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND SOME CONCERTS MAY BE ADDED AFTER PUBLICATION. www.plu.edu/music/calendar (updated October 2, 2023)