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Upcoming Events

January 2018

JMU Jazz Combos	Tues., Jan. 16 @ 7 pm, Artful Dodger
Faculty Recital – Jaclyn Wappel, <i>harp</i>	Wed., Jan. 17 @ 8 pm, Anthony-Seeger*
Masterpiece Season – So Percussion	Fri., Jan. 19 @ 8 pm, Concert Hall*
Special Event – Tromblow'in Festival	Sat., Jan. 20 @ 7 pm, Concert Hall*
JMU Jazz Combos	Tues., Jan. 23 @ 7 pm, Artful Dodger
Concerto Aria Competition Finals	Thurs., Jan. 25 @ 7 pm, Concert Hall
Men's Chorus Invitational	Fri., Jan. 26 @ 4 pm, Concert Hall*
Guest Artist – John Haines-Eitzen, <i>cello</i>	Fri., Jan. 26 @ 8 pm, Recital Hall*
School of Music Auditions	Sat., Jan. 27 All Day, Forbes Center
The Jacob Roege String Quartet	Sat., Jan. 27 @ 8 pm, Anthony-Seeger*
DMA Lecture/Recital – Benjamin Bergey, <i>conducting</i>	Sun., Jan. 28 @ 2 pm, Concert Hall
DMA Recital – Jianda Bai, <i>violin</i>	Sun., Jan. 28 @ 5 pm, Recital Hall

*These concerts provide student credit for MUS 195.

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FORBES CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

JAMES MADISON UNIVERSITY

School of Music

presents the Doctoral Recital of

Sheena Ramirez,
soprano

Chyh Shen Low, *piano*

Sunday, December 17, 2017
5 pm
Recital Hall



Savage Splendor: Songs by Living Composers

Peacock
from "Spirits", a faithless song-cycle

Lucas Garner
(b. 1993)

Pictures of the Floating World

Zachary Wadsworth
(b.1983)

- I. The Garden by Moonlight
- II. Opal
- III. September, 1918
- IV. Storm-Racked
- V. Aubade
- VI. A Dream in Wartime

5-Minute Intermission

Try Me Good King
(Last Words of the Wives of Henry VIII)

Libby Larsen
(b. 1950)

- I. Katherine of Aragon
- II. Anne Bolyn
- III. Jane Seymour
- IV. Anne of Cleves
- V. Katherine Howard

Natural Selections

Jake Heggie
(b. 1961)

- III. Alas! Alack!
- II. Animal Passion

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*This recital is presented in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree Doctor of Musical Arts.
Sheena Ramirez is from the studio of Kevin McMillan.*