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Mimir Chamber Music Festival brings top musicians to campus July 4 - 15

THE MIMIR CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL, ONE of Dallas-Fort Worth's top annual music events, is gearing up for another thrilling season, set for July 4-15 in PepsiCo Recital Hall.

The intensive two-week festival is devoted exclusively to the performance and study of chamber music. It provides an intimate and powerful experience, performed by a world-class collection of professional musicians. Guest artists present five distinctly different public concerts while also teaching and mentoring 20 aspiring young musicians, specially selected to participate in this event.

This year's Mimir concerts are scheduled for July 7, 9, 10, 12 and 15. All concerts are at 7:30 p.m. except the Sunday, July 10 concert which starts at 2 p.m.

There will be an additional free student concert at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 14.

The 8th annual Mimir Chamber Music Festival features guest artist musicians with outstanding

credentials, including members of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, the Cleveland Orchestra, the Cavani String Quartet and TCU School of Music faculty.

The 2005 artists include violinists Nathan Cole, Stephen Rose, Akiko Tarumoto and festival director **Curt Thompson**; violists Kirsten Docter and Richard O'Neill; cellists **Jesús Castro-Balbi** and Brant Taylor; and pianists Alessio Bax, **Harold Martina**, John Novacek and festival associate director, Cliburn gold medalist **José Feghali**.

The annual Mimir Festival is sponsored by the TCU School of Music in collaboration with corporate sponsors and community volunteers.

General admission for Mimir concerts is \$20; admission for seniors, students and *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* Press Pass holders is \$15. For more information, call ext. 5443 or visit www.mimirfestival.org. ♦

Darron Turner accepts asst. vice chancellor position

DARRON TURNER, ASSOCIATE DEAN OF Student Development since 2003, has accepted the position of Assistant Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs, heading a newly created unit titled Inclusiveness and Intercultural Services. IIS will promote diversity and inclusivity as integral to TCU; provide support services for students of color, student athletes and the Community Scholar's program. Turner will report to Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs **Don Mills**.

Designed to provide services for both undergraduate and graduate students, IIS will be a University resource to deal with education equity, student learning, retention, student success and planning institutional policy.

Specific IIS activities include:

* Advising and mentoring students of color, as well as developing and implementing programs for them

* Spearheading the Community Scholars program

* Creating services to better integrate student athletes into the life of the University

* Directing the Center for Inclusiveness activities: annual Conference for Inclusiveness, inclusiveness seminars for faculty and staff, Student Task Force on Inclusiveness, Council on Diversity and collaborations with International Student Affairs

* Increasing awareness of TCU's diversity and

inclusiveness initiatives within the campus community and beyond

* Providing outreach to the city of Fort Worth and area schools

* Securing funds to support such programs as the Center for Inclusiveness, Martin Luther King scholarship program and the Community Scholars Program

* Developing a means of assessing a valid measure of outcomes

In addition, Darron will represent TCU as the official Title IX officer and EEOC officer.

Darron received a bachelor's of social work degree from TCU in 1987 and earned an M.S. degree in human relations and business from Amber University, Garland, TX, in 1995. He worked in various social service positions in local schools and non-profit organizations before beginning his career at TCU in 1994 as director of minority affairs. He has been an active member of numerous boards and committees on campus as well as within the city. Of special note was his recognition as the first recipient of the Wassenich Award for Mentoring in the TCU Community in 2000. ♦

HR's John Weis adds ethics officer responsibilities

CHANCELLOR VICTOR J. BOSCHINI JR. has appointed Associate Vice Chancellor **John Weis** (human resources) to the position of University Ethics Officer. Faculty or staff who

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EVENTS

Today - July 1

Starpoint Intensive Reading Clinic, 9:30-11:30 a.m., 5 years of age-5th grade. Call ext. 7067 for more information.

Today - June 24

Jim Schlossnagle Baseball Camp, hours vary by session, ages 6-18 years, fee \$110-\$225. Call ext. 5656 for more information.

Today - June 23

Joey Rive Tennis Camp, hours vary by session, ages 5-17 years, fee \$200. Call ext. 7951 for more information.

June 21

Health insurance update for TCU retirees, presented by Mary Jo Hatch of CARES, 10-11 a.m., HR Training Room. Call ext. 5255 or ext. 5018 to register.

June 22-25

Jeff Mittie Girl's Basketball Camp, hours vary by session, ages 3rd-12th grade, fee \$245-\$385. Call ext. 7962 for more information.

June 23-September 29

TCU Weight Watchers @ Work, 15 week series, \$180 per member-payment option plans, University Christian Church, 4:45 p.m. Call ext. 6054 for more information.

June 23

Brown Bag Lunch: "Ten Ways to Ruin a Flower Arrangement," presented by Martha Hulme, owner of Gordon Boswell Florists, 12-1 p.m., HR training room. Call ext. 5255 or ext. 5018 to register.

Rockwell Kent: This is My Own, a documentary film photographed by Greg Mansur (RTVF). This recently completed documentary will be screened today and on June 30, Amon Carter Museum, 6 p.m., admission is free. Call ext. 7630 for more information.

June 27-28

Jim Schlossnagle Baseball Camp, hours vary by session, ages 6-18 years, fee \$110-\$225. Call ext. 5656 for more information.

Clarinet and Percussion Camps, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., middle school and high school aged students, fee \$60-\$100. Call ext. 7341 for more information.

June 29

Module II of the Management Training Institute: "Trends in Employment Law" presented by Carla Vogel, attorney and adjunct faculty member in the Neeley School of Business, 8 a.m.-noon, DRH 272. Call ext. 5255 or ext. 5018 for more information.

June 30-July 1

Jim Schlossnagle Baseball Camp, hours vary by session, ages 6-18 years, fee \$110-\$225. Call ext. 5656 for more information.

June 30-July 4

Frog Camp, Alpine A.

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wish to report a possible ethics violation or discuss a concern are urged to contact John at ext. 5020 or call the Ethics & Compliance Hotline at 1-877-888-0002. Reports may be made anonymously to this number if the caller so desires.

The TCU Code of Conduct Policy outlines the conduct and policy compliance expected of all members of the University community. Besides employees, this encompasses consultants, vendors, contractors, trustees and individuals who perform volunteer service for TCU.

To read the TCU Code of Conduct Policy in its entirety, visit the Web site at <http://www.tcu.edu/codeofconduct.asp>. ♦

Midland minister Tommy Potter named fundraising exec at Brite Divinity School

THE REV. DR. THOMAS N. (TOMMY) POTTER has accepted the position of Major Gift Officer at Brite Divinity School, effective July 18, 2005. He has been senior minister of First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) of Midland, TX since 1992.

A 1971 graduate of TCU, Potter attended Brite Divinity School and received a master of theology degree from Perkins School of Theology at SMU in 1975. He earned a Doctor of Ministry degree from Brite in 1999.

Prior to serving his Midland congregation, Potter had been senior minister of Central Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Waco, TX (1982-1992), pastor of Highlands Christian Church of Dallas, East Dallas Christian Church and First Christian Church of Mesquite, TX. He is a member of the General Board of the Christian Church.

Potter and his wife, Kathleen, have five children and four grandchildren. ♦

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Greg Mansur film to be screened at Carter Museum

THE ONLY THING RTVF PROFESSOR Greg Mansur wanted to do was create a documentary with Frederick Lewis, a close friend and professor in Ohio University's School of Telecommunications. But both may have gotten more than they bargained for when they chose Rockwell Kent as the subject of their documentary.

Greg and Lewis ended up dedicating 10 years of their lives in order to recreate Kent's. The pair even rented a 56-foot sailboat with crew to recreate Kent's solo sail to Cape Horn.

Their hard work resulted in the documentary *Rockwell Kent: This is My Own*, which will be shown in two 90-minute parts at 6 p.m. June 23 and 30 at the Amon Carter Museum in Fort Worth. The documentary also will be shown at the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C. on June 18.

For more information on the documentary, contact Greg at ext. 7253. ♦

Counseling Center offering suicide intervention skills free to faculty and staff

AN APPLIED SUICIDE INTERVENTION SKILLS Training (ASIST) workshop is scheduled to be offered on campus from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. July 13-14 in the Student Center, rms. 205-206.

Monica Kintigh (counseling center) reminds that the sessions are free to TCU faculty and staff, \$100 to outside participants. Space is limited to 20 per workshop.

"Participation in this workshop provides the non-professional with the tools to recognize and estimate risk, and become more effective in helping people who are at risk of attempting suicide," says Monica.

LPC and Social Work CEUs are available.

For more information, or to reserve a space in the workshop, contact Monica at m.kintigh@tcu.edu. ♦

KUDOS

TCU graduate Paul Sanchez has been awarded a Fulbright Scholarship and selected as a Fulbright student grantee to Spain. He graduated from TCU in May 2005 as a piano performance major/Spanish minor, with a 4.0 GPA.

He will be studying Spanish piano music in the Master of Spanish Music program at the Academia Marshall in Barcelona under the guidance of the legendary Spanish pianist Alicia de Larrocha.

BIRTHS

Congratulations to **Gaylene Tierney** (financial services) and her husband, Sean, on the birth of a daughter, Ayden Genae, June 3 at Harris Hospital. She weighed 5 lbs. 15 oz. and was 18" long.

DEATHS

Sympathy is extended to **Maggie Thomas** (journalism) on the death of her daughter, Janet Dromgoole of New York City, who passed away

June 11 in St. Louis, MO. A memorial service was held June 15 at University Christian Church, with burial in Greenwood Memorial Park. The family has requested memorial contributions be made to Locks of Love, 2925 10th Ave. North, Suite 102, Lake Worth, FL 33461, or to Sierra House Fund at UCC, 2720 S. University Drive, Fort Worth, 76109.

Condolences go to **Bob Seal** (library) on the death of his father, Merle Seal, June 8 in Canton, OH. Funeral services were held there June 11.

CLASSIFIEDS

APARTMENT FOR LEASE: 3828 West 7th, Northeast corner 7th and Belle. 1 and 2 bedrooms available, lots of closet space, central heat and air, carpet, all kitchen appliances furnished. Coin operated washer & dryer on the premises for tenants only. 1 bedroom \$500/month + electric / 2 bedroom \$595/month + electric. \$300 deposit. Landlord pays gas and water. No pets. Contact: Jim Thomas @ 817-927-7389 or 817-927-7300.

FOR SALE: Cozy home at 2304 Mistletoe Blvd., in coveted Mistletoe Heights neighborhood. Two bedroom, one bath, one car garage with oversized backyard. Great starter home at 940 sq.ft; perfect for singles, newlyweds and small families. Original hardwoods, new slate tile in kitchen, new a.c. Built in 1951. \$123,000. 817-926-8455 - serious offers only. See ad online at www.staradpix.com.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of June 15. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

- Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs - Brite
- Assistant Dean for Campus Life - Campus Life
- Accompanist/Ballet/Temporary Staff - Ballet/Modern Dance
- Administrative Assistant - Campus Recreation
- Administrative Assistant - Center for Teaching Excellence
- Financial Services Assistant - Financial Services
- Instructional Technology Technician - Instructional Services
- Assistant Database Administrator - Technical Services
- Systems Librarian - Library
- Athletic Academic Advisor - Athletics
- Program Coordinator - Student Development Services
- Program Coordinator (Health Educator) - Campus Life
- Processing Archivist - Library
- Annual Fund Officer (Phonathon Supervisor) - Advancement-Annual Fund
- Senior Associate Leadership Gifts - Advancement
- Career Specialist - MBA Graduate Career Services
- Assistant Director - Center for Professional Communication
- Assistant Director of UCS - University Career Services
- Assistant Director of Student Dev. Services - Leadership Center External Relations
- Assistant Director - Student Center
- Assistant Director - Student Development Services
- Director of Residential Services - Residential Services
- Hall Director II - Residential Services
- Director of Annual Fund/Constituent Relations - Brite Advancement
- Instructional Staff - Center for Writing
- Carpenter - Physical Plant
- EMCS Operator - Physical Plant
- Horticultural Assistant - Physical Plant
- Service Assistant (PT and FT) - Facility Services

Gardening tip from Robert Sulak (physical plant): June is the month to select day lily varieties as they reach their peak bloom.