### Upcoming Events of the Seventy-Fifth Season of The William Nelson Cromwell and F. Lammot Belin Concerts

### Apollo's Fire

Sugarloaf Mountain: An Appalachian Gathering Presented in honor of East of the Mississippi: Nineteenth-Century American Landscape Photography April 2, 4:00 West Building, East Garden Court

Ben Williams Trio "Washingtonians on Wednesdays" April 5, 12:10 East Building Auditorium

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Alliage Quintett Dancing Paris April 9, 3:30 West Building, East Garden Court

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John Kilkenny, percussion, and Tobias Werner, cello "Washingtonians on Wednesdays" Music by Nick Didkovsky, Stephen Gorbos, Osvaldo Golijov, and Marc Mellits April 12, 12:10 East Building Auditorium

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Florence: The Cultural Crucible Presented in honor of Della Robbia: Sculpting with Color in Renaissance Florence April 15, 12:00 and 2:00 West Building, West Garden Court

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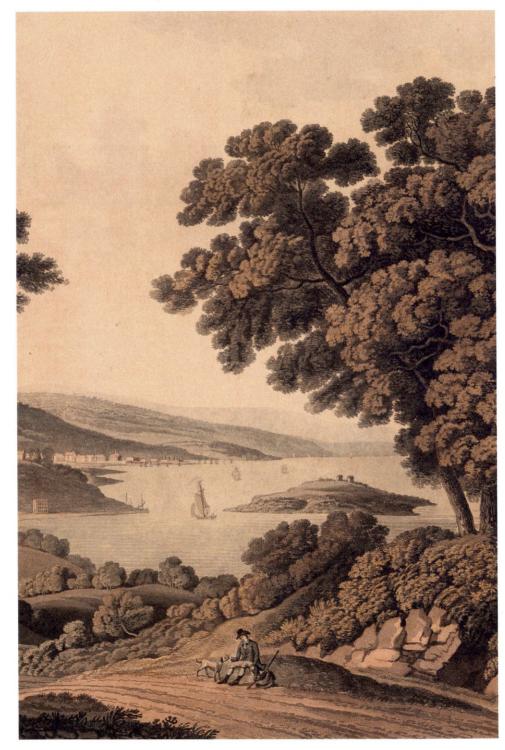
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## 75TH SEASON OF CONCERTS

MARCH 29, 2017 • NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART



# MARCH 29

### 12:10 • West Building, East Garden Court

"Washingtonians on Wednesdays" Sponsored by the Billy Rose Foundation

### Arianna Zukerman, soprano Joy Schreier, piano

Richard Hundley (b. 1931) "Will There Really Be a Morning?" André Previn (b. 1929) "Will There Really Be a Morning?" Lori Laitman (b. 1955) "Will There Really Be a Morning?" Ricky Ian Gordon (b. 1956) "Will There Really Be a Morning?"

Amy Beach (1867 - 1944) "The Year's at the Spring" Richard Pearson Thomas (b. 1964) "The Road to Avrillé" Richard Hundley "Screw Spring" Samuel Barber (1910 - 1981) "The Daisies, op. 2, no. 1" Richard Pearson Thomas "I Never Saw a Moor" William Bolcom (b. 1938)

"Amor" from Cabaret Songs

"This Heart that Flutters"

Ben Moore (b. 1960)

Dominic Argento (b. 1927) Diaphenia (Six Elizabethan Songs) Jake Heggie (b. 1961) "Animal Passion" William Schuman (1910 - 1992) "Kiss Me Not Goodbye" from The Mighty Casey Maury Yeston (b. 1945) "When Your Love Is New" from December Songs Samuel Barber "Solitary Hotel" from Despite and Still Leonard Bernstein (1918 - 1990) "There Is a Garden" from Trouble in Tahiti Tommy Wolf (1925 - 1979) "Spring Can Really Hang You Up the Most"

### The Musicians

Renowned for her pure, luminous, rich soprano, persuasive performances, and dramatic ability, Arianna Zukerman is considered one of the premiere vocal artists of her generation. Internationally known for her concert and opera performances, Zukerman is also an avid chamber musician and regularly collaborates with some of today's foremost chamber players. The *Washington Post* has praised Zukerman for her "remarkable voice that combines the range, warmth and facility of a Rossini mezzo with shimmering, round high notes and exquisite planissimos that would make any soprano jealous."

Zukerman is the featured soloist on the critically acclaimed, Grammy-nominated 2013 Naxos recording of James Whitbourn's oratorio, *Annelies* — the first major choral setting of the *Diary of Anne Frank*. The *Guardian* praised Zukerman's performance and "subdued beauty" on the CD. She sings the work often, including recent performances in Dallas, Cleveland, and New York's Alice Tully Hall.

Zukerman was born in New York City into a musical family: her father is violinist/ violist/conductor Pinchas Zukerman and her mother, Eugenia Zukerman, is a flutist, writer, and arts broadcaster. Zukerman's sister Natalia is an accomplished singer and songwriter. Zukerman is an adjunct professor of voice at the Catholic University of America and gives master classes throughout the United States. As a past recipient of the Sullivan Foundation Award, she was a member of the Bavarian State Opera's Junges Ensemble. She studied theater at Brown University and received her Bachelor of Music from the Juilliard School. She resides with her family in the Washington metro area.

Described by Plácido Domingo as an "orchestra at the piano" and hailed as a pianist who "really has it all — fiery technique and a rich, warm tone," Joy Schreier is praised by the *Washington Post* as a "responsive accompanist" and an "ideal support" at the piano. She is credited as "providing much of the evening's musical nuance," and as being "so noteworthy that the room seemed to vibrate from her depth and skill... the dream accompanist that a singer hopes to find at some point in one's lifetime."

Schreier has performed at Carnegie Hall, the Lincoln Center, the White House, the Kennedy Center, the National Museum for Women in the Arts, the National Portrait Gallery, the Phillips Collection, the Cosmos Club, Strathmore Hall, the embassies of Austria, Russia, and Poland, and recital halls throughout the country. Internationally, she has performed in England, Scotland, Wales, France, Spain, Italy, Germany, Taiwan, and Hong Kong.

Schreier has served as assistant conductor at the Washington National Opera and is the pianist and vocal coach of the Cathedral Choral Society and keyboard artist of the Washington Bach Consort. She completed her doctorate in accompanying and chamber music in 2003 at the Eastman School of Music, where she was the recipient of the Barbara Koeng Award for Excellence in Vocal Accompanying.