The Juilliard School presents

Juilliard Orchestra

Speranza Scappucci, Conductor Zhouhui Shen, Piano

Monday, December 5, 2022, 7:30pm Alice Tully Hall

GIUSEPPE MARTUCCI (1856-1909) *Notturno* in D-flat Major, Op. 70, No. 1 (1891)

JOHANNES BRAHMS (1833-97) **Piano Concerto No. 1 in D Minor, Op. 15 (1858)** Maestoso Adagio Rondo: Allegro non troppo ZHOUHUI SHEN, *Piano*

Intermission

OTTORINO RESPIGHI (1879-1936) *Pines of Rome, P. 141 (1924)* I pini di Villa Borghese (The Pines of the Villa Borghese) Pini presso una catacomba (Pines Near a Catacomb) I pini del Gianicolo (The Pines of the Janiculum) I pini della Via Appia (The Pines of the Appian Way)

Performance time: approximately 1 hour and 25 minutes, including an intermission

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Meet the Artists Speranza Scappucci

Speranza Scappucci (Certificate '95, piano, MM '97, accompanying) opened 2022 making history as the first Italian woman to conduct at Teato alla Scala in Milan. With her subsequent house debuts at the Royal Opera House Covent Garden in London. State Opera in Berlin, and Opéra national de Paris, she consolidated her position as one of the most interesting conductors of her generation. She opened this season at Opéra national de Paris with I Capuleti e i Montecchi, followed by her house debut leading Rigoletto at the Metropolitan Opera. She returns to the Canadian Opera Company in Toronto to conduct Macbeth, then closes the season returning to Opéra Royal de Wallonie to lead a new production of Dialogues des Carmélites. Scappucci has also conducted concerts at La Scala and the Théâtre des Champs-Élysées in Paris and will lead the Royal Stockholm Philharmonic Orchestra, Orchestre de Chambre de Genève, and Orchestre National de Lyon. From 2017 to 2022, Scappucci was the music director at Opéra Royal de Wallonie in Liège, Belgium, where she conducted Madama Butterly, La Cenerentola, La Sonnambula, Aida, and I Puritani. Scappucci has conducted the Los Angeles Philharmonic at Hollywood Bowl, Detroit Symphony Orchestra, Tokyo Metropolitan Symphony Orchestra, Orchestra Arturo Toscanini, Orchestra Maggio Musicale Fiorentino, Vienna Symphony, Symphony Orchestra Luzern, Orchestre national de Lyon, Orchestre national du Capitole in Toulouse, and Orchestre National d'Ile de France. In 2013, her first CD was released on Warner Classics, Mozart Arias with Latvian soprano Marina Rebeka and the Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra, followed in 2016 by an Opus Arte recording with Albanian tenor Saimir Pirau and the Orchestra del Maggio Musicale Fiorentino. Her latest recording, with Hungarian bassist Ödön Rácz and the Franz Liszt Chamber Orchestra, was released in 2019 on Deutsche Grammophon. Scappucci received the honors of Chevalier de l'Ordre des arts et des lettres from the French Republic as well as the Premio Porto Venere Donna, Premio Margherita Hack, Premio Vittorio De Sica, and De Sanctis Europe Price from Italy.

Zhouhui Shen

Zhouhui Shen, who is studying at Juilliard with Hung-Kuan Chen, started to play the piano at age 6. In 2013, she was admitted to the Middle School Affiliated to Shanghai Conservatory of Music, where she studied with Yang Yunlin. She has won prizes at many national and international competitions, including the 2015 Golden Sunflower National Youth Piano Competition, 2017 International Piano Competition for Young Musicians in Netherlands, 2018 GROTRIA International Piano Competition, 2020 Golden Lotus Music Competition, and 2021 Aloha International Piano Competition. Shen has performed in many venues worldwide, including the Concert Hall of Enschede Conservatory in Netherlands, Concert Hall of Shanghai Conservatory, Shanghai Grand Theater, Shanghai Symphony Orchestra Concert Hall, Ningbo Grand Theater, Shenzhen Concert Hall, Chengdu City Concert Hall, and Kunming Concert Hall. She has also performed at various music festivals, including Beijing International Piano Master Class, Shanghai International Piano Festival, and Shanghai Baroque Chamber Music Festival. She has studied with Veda Kaplinsky, Robert McDonald, Matti Raekallio, Jerome Lowenthal, Douglas Humphreys, Marc Silverman, Meng-Chieh Liu, Mingqiang Li, and Eleanor Wang, among others.

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Juilliard Orchestra

Juilliard's largest and most visible student performing ensemble, the Juilliard Orchestra is known for delivering polished and passionate performances of works spanning the repertoire. Comprising more than 375 students in the bachelor's and master's degree programs, the orchestra appears throughout the season in concerts on the stages of Juilliard's Peter Jay Sharp Theater, Alice Tully Hall, and Carnegie Hall. The orchestra is a strong partner to Juilliard's other divisions, appearing in opera, dance, and drama productions as well as presenting an annual concert of world premieres by Juilliard student composers. This season, an impressive roster of world-renowned conductors lead the Juilliard Orchestra, including Giancarlo Guerrero, Manfred Honeck, Speranza Scappucci, Bertrand de Billy, Roderick Cox, Carlos Miguel Prieto, Simone Young, and Keri-Lynn Wilson as well as faculty conductors David Robertson, the director of conducting studies and distinguished visiting faculty, and Jeffrey Milarsky. Among the virtual projects students from the orchestra participated in during the 2020 lockdown was *Bolero Juilliard*, which became a viral sensation. The Juilliard Orchestra has toured across the U.S. and throughout Europe, South America, and Asia, where it was the first Western conservatory ensemble allowed to visit and perform following the opening of the People's Republic of China in 1987, returning two decades later, in 2008. In summer 2019, the orchestra traveled to London, where they performed alongside the Royal Academy of Music in Royal Albert Hall at the BBC Proms. Other ensembles under the Juilliard Orchestra umbrella include the conductorless Juilliard Chamber Orchestra, Wind Orchestra, Lab Orchestra, and contemporary music group AXIOM.

Juilliard Orchestra Speranza Scappucci, Conductor

First Violin

Haoge Wang, Concertmaster Ellen Kim Yubin Kim Yifei Mo Katya Moeller Daniel Rafimayeri Emma Richman Sahana Shravan Sophia Su Tommu Su Yiran Wang Anna Wei Alexandra Woroniecka Tien-Lin Yang Megan Yao Juchao Zhao

Second Violin

Yeim Lee, *Principal Second* Daniel Bae Chili Ekman Juliette Greer Tongtong Lei Jeanne Marquez Sophia Molina Christina Nam Audrey Park Gina Schuerpf Jessie Tai Yu-Ping Tsai Esther Yang Nicole Yun

Viola

Laura Liu, *Principal* Vincenzo Keawe Calcagno Natalie Clarke Graham Cohen Peter Dudek Zitian Lyu Nicolas Perkins Torron Pfeffer Jikun Qin Mikel Rollet Emma Santini Jennie Tang

Cello

Esther Chae, *Principal* Andrew Ilhoon Byun Christy Choi Benjamin Douglas Doane Brendan Goh Lukas Goodman Dale Jeong Anna Lee Jumi Lee Elliot Lippy Ian Maloney Hannah Rubin Sebastian Stöger Reinier Wink

Double Bass

Ruth Christopher, *Principal* Michael Banks Nina Bernat Lucas Caceres Daniel Chan Patrick Curtis Thomas Green Bowen Ha Blake Hilley

Flute Jeongwon Lee, Principal¹ Yeyoung Moon, Principal²

Scotty Quirk, *Principal*³ Phoebe Rawn

Piccolo Phoebe Rawn³

Oboe

Jacks Pollard, *Principal*^{1,2} Angela Scates, *Principal*³ Kaleb Zhu

English Horn Jacks Pollard³

Clarinet

Juhyun Lee, *Principal*³ Jingrui Liu, *Principal*¹ Raphael Zimmerman, *Principal*² Anju Aoto

Bass Clarinet

Alice McDonald³

Bassoon

Caleb Hutchings, *Principal*³ Collin Odom, *Principal*¹ Emmali Ouderkirk, *Principal*²

Contrabassoon Rachael Lee³

Horn

Hugo Bliss, *Principal*³ James Picarello, *Principal*¹ Paige Quillen, *Principal*² Andrew Arloro Drew Morgan **Trumpet** David Green, *Principal*² Patrick Smithers, *Principal*³ Huanyi Yang

Offstage Trumpet Patrick Smithers

Offstage Cornet Jatin Himatsinghani Jack Ramu

Offstage Flugelhorn Connor Williamson Vincent Yim

Trombone

Levi Boylan, *Principal*³ Kimberly Nelson Bass Trombone Zach Neikens

Offstage Euphonium Austin Canon Theodore Swanson

Tuba Chandler Currier

Timpani David Chungin Lee² Kyle Rappe³

Percussion Parker Meek, *Principal* Seongwon Hwang Heeyeon Kim David Chungin Lee Kyle Rappe Harp Raquel Nisi, *Principal*³ Krissy Teng, *Principal*¹

Piano Zoey Xinyue Zhou³

Celeste Hye Jun An³

Organ Amelie Held³

Student Cover Conductor Tengku Irfan

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