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Bridget Kibbey + Benito Meza + Samuel Torres

Friday, October 21, 2016

7:30 PM | \$18/\$13 Upstairs at World Cafe Live, Philadelphia

Powerhouse trio of harp, clarinet & percussion performs new works by composers who immigrated to the US from South America, alongside the folk music that inspired them. Works by Paquito D'Rivera, Miguel Zenón, Benito Meza, Jacob do Bandolim, Juan Bautista Plaza & Astor Piazzolla.

SYBARITE5 + Jakub Ciupinski

Thursday, December 1, 2016 **7:30 PM** | \$25/\$18

Downstairs at World Cafe Live, Philadelphia "Rock star" string quintet pairs with

electronica-inspired theremin composer for a program of riveting new music. Featuring a world premiere by Ciupinski, commissioned by LiveConnections, & works by Radiohead, Dan Visconti & Kenji Bunch, among others.

★ Bridge Sessions for schools on Dec. 1

Nicholas Photinos + **Florent Ghys**

Friday, January 27, 2017 7:30 PM | \$18/\$13

Upstairs at World Cafe Live, Philadelphia

Cellist from Grammy-winning Eighth Blackbird performs music from his new solo album "Petits Artéfacts," in collaboration with bassist & minimalist composer Ghys. Works by Ghys. David Lang, Bryce Dessner, David Little, Pascal Le Boeuf, Andrew Norman & others.

"exciting & much-needed programming"

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Harlem Quartet + Arturo Stable

Friday, February 24, 2017 **7:30 PM** | \$25/\$18

Downstairs at World Cafe Live, Philadelphia

Committed to advancing diversity in classical music, Harlem Quartet partners with Latin jazz percussionist for a concert combining the sounds of Stable's native Cuba with the Quartet's wide-ranging repertoire. Works include new music by Stable, commissioned by LiveConnections.

★ Bridge Sessions for schools on Feb. 23

John Patitucci + **Daedalus Quartet**

Tuesday, April 18, 2017 7:30 PM | \$25/\$18

Downstairs at World Cafe Live, Philadelphia

Legendary bassist returns to Philly to perform with Daedalus Quartet, currently in residence at the University of Pennsylvania. Works include new music for string quintet by Patitucci, commissioned by LiveConnections, fusing jazz & classical styles.

Elizabeth Zharoff + **Xavier Foley**

Friday, June 2, 2017 8:00 PM | \$18/\$13

Downstairs at World Cafe Live, Philadelphia

Two emerging composers and recent Curtis grads combine their love of video games with their serious classical chops. Works include new game-inspired music by soprano Zharoff and double bassist Foley, commissioned by LiveConnections, along with art songs, opera & classical bass.

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