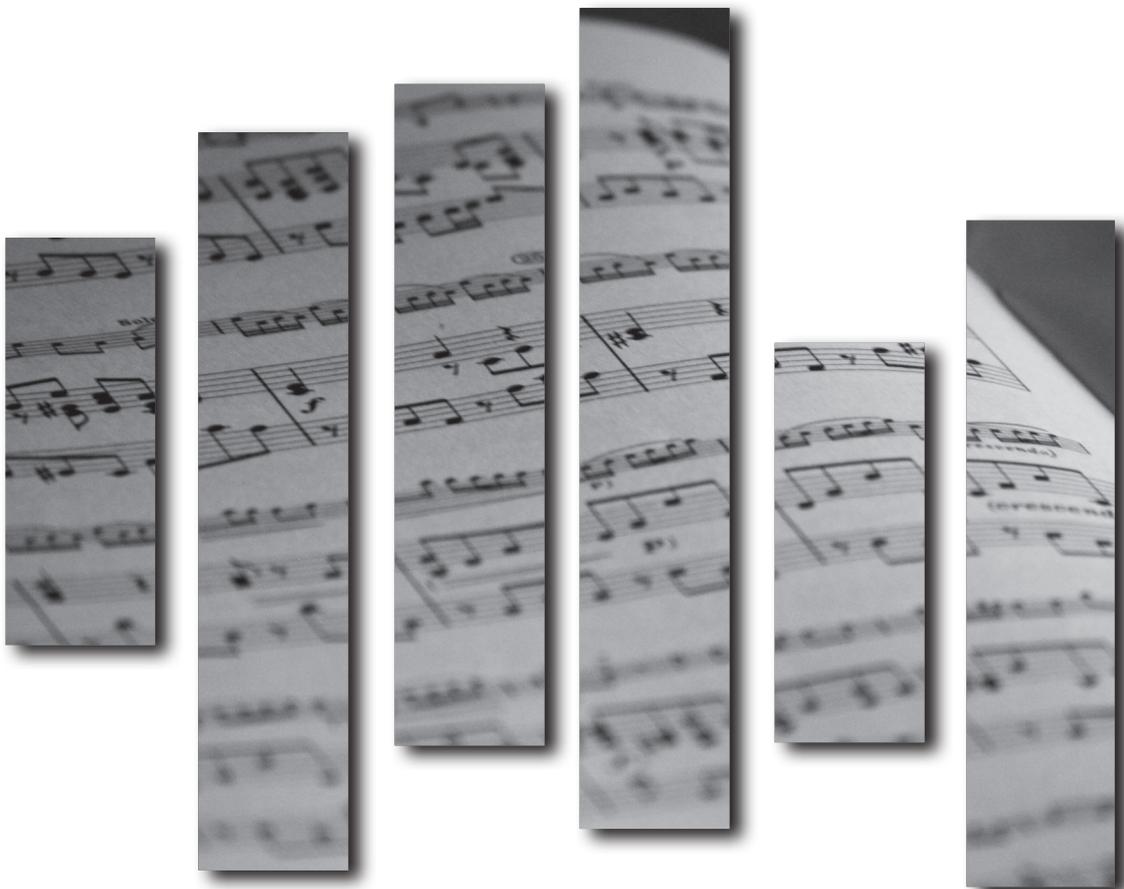


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## GUEST CHAMBER RECITAL

### Rawlins Piano Trio

Monday, March 20, 2023 at 7:30pm  
Voxman Music Building Recital Hall

# Guest Chamber Recital

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Ioana Galu, *violin*

Sonja Kraus, *cello*

Susan Keith Gray, *piano*

## PROGRAM

Calliope Dreaming (2009)

Elena KATS-CHERNIN  
(b. 1957)

Piano Trio (2003)

I. Pale Yellow

II. Fiery Red

Jennifer HIGDON  
(b. 1962)

Tango Trio, Op. 71 (2001)

Miguel DEL AGUILA  
(b. 1957)

## BRIEF INTERMISSION

Piano Trio No. 1 in D minor, Op. 32 (1894)

I. Allegro moderato

II. Allegro molto

III. Adagio

IV. Allegro non troppo

Anton ARENSKY  
(1861-1906)

## ABOUT THE ARTISTS



The **Rawlins Piano Trio** is a dynamic group of performers, teachers, and scholars, distinguishing itself in arts outreach, masterclasses, and a variety of performances. “These artists are first class. They perform with elan and intensity. Highly recommended!” says bassist and Inner Game of Music author Barry Green. Prestigious performance venues include Sejong Chamber Hall (Seoul, South Korea), Chiang-Kai-Shek Cultural Center (Kaohsiung, Taiwan), Teatro de Anita Villalaz for the Fundación Sinfonía Concertante de Panama, and national conferences of the College Music Society and Chamber Music America.

Their diverse repertoire ranges from standard works to new and undiscovered pieces deserving to be brought into the public light. Owing to its expertise as a preeminent interpreter of American music, the ensemble has recorded five CDs of these works. *Attracting Opposites* (Azica, 2013) celebrates commissions by Miguel Roig-Francoli, Stephen Yarbrough, James Lentini, Timothy Hoekman, and Emma Lou Diemer. In 2009, *American Discoveries* (Albany) presented the Trio’s first commissioned composition--*Volvic Maritim* by New York based composer, Daniel Bernard Roumain. Reviewer J. Scott Morrison declared *American Discoveries*, “...another winner from the Rawlins Trio...they continue their work of bringing us American composers’ music that is worth hearing...Their playing is artful, suave and pleasing.”

The members of the Trio are Dr. Ioana Galu (violin), Dr. Sonja Kraus (cello), and Dr. Susan Keith Gray (piano), who are all on the faculty of the University of South Dakota Department of Music. As enthusiastic teachers, outreach is a vital component of their touring schedule with masterclasses and school visits on a regular basis throughout the United States and abroad. The ensemble is named in honor of the late Marjorie and Robert Rawlins, its principal benefactors and graduates of the University of South Dakota in the 1940s.

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25	7:30pm	Guest Artist Recital: Christian Schmitt, <i>organ</i>	Concert Hall
26	1:00pm	Gold Combo Recital	Stark Opera Studio
26	3:00pm	Graduate Jazz Combo	Stark Opera Studio
26	3:00pm	University Choir	Concert Hall

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