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**Ent Center for the Arts, Chapman Foundations Recital Hall
Friday, September 12th, 2025, 7pm**

Performed by:
Denis Bouriakov flute | Boris Allakhverdyan clarinet
Alin Melik-Adamyanyan piano
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Dmitri Shostakovich (1906–1975)

*Four Waltzes arranged for flute,
clarinet, and piano*

1. Spring Waltz
2. Waltz-Joke
3. Barrel-Organ Waltz
4. Waltz

Norbert Burgmüller (1810–1836)

*Duo in E-flat Major Op. 15 for
clarinet and piano*

John Williams (b. 1932)

*"Victor's Tale" from film "The
Terminal"*

Donato Lovreglio (1841-1907)

*Concert Fantasy on Bellini's
"Norma" arranged by Boris
Allakhverdyan*

15 Minute Break (Time for a refill)

Robert Schumann (1810-1856)

*Three Romances Op. 94
arranged for flute and piano*

1. Nicht schnell
2. Einfach, innig
3. Nicht schnell

Camille Saint-Saëns (1835–1921)

*Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso,
Op. 28 arranged for flute and piano
by Denis Bouriakov*

Aram Khachaturian (1903–1978)

Toccata Op. 11 for solo piano

Camille Saint-Saëns (1835–1921)

*Tarantella Op. 2 for flute,
clarinet, and piano*

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Boris Allakhverdyan was appointed **Principal Clarinet of the Los Angeles Philharmonic in 2016. He previously served as Principal Clarinet of the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra and the Associate Principal Clarinet of the Kansas City Symphony.** Mr. Allakhverdyan is a founding member of the Prima Trio, the Grand Prize and the Gold Medal winner of the prestigious 2007 Fischhoff National Chamber Music Competition. The New York Times called his performance "inspired," "gorgeous" and "superlative," and the Los Angeles Times praised his "energetic, vibrant solos." **Boris Allakhverdyan has appeared as a soloist with the Seattle, Tucson, Bakersfield and Springfield Symphony Orchestras as well as orchestras in Canada, South Korea, Dubai, Armenia and Kazakhstan.** He has participated in the Lucerne Festival Academy (Switzerland), the Mecklenburg-Vorpommern Festival (Germany), the Emilia Romagna Music Festival (Italy) as well as Mainly Mozart San Diego, Twickenham, Colorado and Britt Music Festivals.



Established as one of the world's leading flute soloists, **Denis Bouriakov was the winner of the 2009 Prague Spring competition, and prize winner at most major international flute competitions, including the Nielsen, Munich ARD, Kobe, Rampal, Nicolet, Larrieu, and others.** He is currently the **Principal Flutist of the Los Angeles Philharmonic, appointed by Gustavo Dudamel in 2015, and has previously served as the Principal Flute of the Metropolitan Opera in New York under James Levine.** Denis has been combining orchestral and solo careers, regularly performing concertos and recitals worldwide. He has collaborated as a soloist with many prominent conductors, including Valery Gergiev, Daniel Harding, and Gustavo Dudamel. Denis looks outside the standard flute repertoire for works that would allow the flute to shine, continually transcribing and performing violin concertos and sonatas, and expanding the limits of flute technique and artistry. A number of his arrangements have been published by Theodore Presser, with a few in the works.



Pianist Alin Melik-Adamyan is a prize-winning collaborative artist, soloist, and chamber musician. **Praised with a "sensitivity unique in the piano world" (The Musical Gourmet), Alin has won numerous competitions and scholarships including the YMF/ASCAP Leiber & Stoller Scholarship, first prize at the Los Angeles Liszt International Competition, and first prize at the William Grant Still Young Artists Competition, among many others.** She has also appeared as a soloist with various orchestras throughout the nation. As a collaborative pianist, Alin has performed with the Los Angeles Master Chorale in Walt Disney Concert Hall, with members of the Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra in their 2020-2021 season, with LA Phil Concertmaster Martin Chalifour, cellist Coleman Itzkoff as the Amicus Duo, cellist Taeguk Mun, and many others. Recently, Alin had the honor of working with Steven Spielberg and John Williams as the live pianist and hand double in Spielberg's 2022 film, The Fabelmans.

EPIC SEASON 25-26

WHAT'S NEXT?



**MOZART
AT THE MAC**
10.17.25*

**WILLIAM CAYANAN CELLO | EVAN DE LONG VIOLIN |
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Program Highlights: Mozart Clarinet Quintet.

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**ARIEL
HOROWITZ**
11.14.25

**ARIEL HOROWITZ VIOLIN | ALEXA STIER PIANO |
SHAUNA SMITH VIOLA | SERGEI VASSILIEV CLARINET**

Program Highlights: Violin Sonata no. 3 by Grieg, A selection from Montage Music by Ofer Ben-Amots, Summerland by William Grant Still

**PIANO
TRIOS**
02.06.26

**IEVA JOKUBAVICIUTE PIANO | MAUREEN NELSON VIOLIN |
SOPHIE SHAO CELLO**

Program Highlights: Piano Trio by Schubert Op. 99, Trio by Amy Beach Op. 150

**IVALAS
QUARTET**
3.26.26

**REUBEN KEBEDE VIOLIN | TIANI BUTTS VIOLIN |
MARCUS STEVENSON VIOLA | PEDRO SANCHEZ CELLO |
SERGEI VASSILIEV CLARINET**

Program Highlights: Quartet by Haydn Op. 76, Clarinet Quintet by Coleridge-Taylor Op. 10

**LUCY
FITZ
GIBBON**
5.6.26*

**LUCY FITZ GIBBON SOPRANO | QING JIANG PIANO |
SERGEI VASSILIEV CLARINET**

***NOTE DATE CHANGE**

Program Highlights: Shepherd on the Rock by Schubert, Songs by Bartok and Spohr

CHARLIBEAN
6.5.26

**RACHEL CHILDERS HORN | JOSHUA ELMORE BASSOON |
NOAH KAY OBOE | JESSICA PETRASEK FLUTE |
ANDREW STAUPÉ PIANO | SERGEI VASSILIEV CLARINET**

Program Highlights: Quintet by Beethoven Op. 16, Sextet by Farrenc Op. 40

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