

# Student Recital

Shirley Xu, piano

Sunday, May 22, 2022

11:00 a.m.

Harper Hall

- Les sons et les parfums tournent dans l'air du soir* Claude Debussy  
(1862-1918)
- Sonetto 123 del Petrarca* Franz Liszt  
(1811-1886)
- From *Poems for Piano, Vol. I, op. 4* Vincent Persichetti  
(1915-1987)  
Soft is the collied night  
Gather for festival bright weed and purple shell  
Wake subtler dreams, and touch me nigh to tears  
Ravished lute, sing to her virgin ears  
Whose thin fraud I wink at privily
- From *Poems for Piano, Vol. II, op. 5* Vincent Persichetti  
And warm winds spilled fragrance into her solitudes  
Sleep, weary mind; dream, heart's desire  
Dust in sunlight, and memory in corners
- Six Préludes pour Piano, d'après poèmes de Baudelaire* Sheila Silver  
(b. 1946)  
La mer à Cassis (The Sea at Cassis)  
La pendule (The Pendulum Clock)  
La descent vers l'enfer (Descent into Hell)  
Dans une forêt, demi-brulée (In the Half-burned Forest)  
La, tout n'est qu' ordre et beauté, Luxe, calme, et volupté  
(There all is Perfection and Beauty, Luxury, Calm, and Delight)  
Vers le paradis de mes rêves (Toward the Paradise of my Dreams)
- Widmung* Robert Schumann  
(1810-1856)  
Franz Liszt

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