



Bard College Conservatory of Music

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Presents

Piano Studio Recital

Featuring the students of Rieko Aizawa

Sunday, May 3, 2026 at 2:00 pm
Olin Hall

- Piano and Beyond – Imaginary Worlds -

Etude No. 11

Kenji Bunch
(b. 1973)

Sawyer Dahlen, *piano*

2 Concert Etudes, S. 145

“Waldesrauschen” (Forest Murmurs)
“Gnomendreigen” (Dance of the Gnomes)

Franz Liszt
(1811-1886)

Ivy Chen, *piano*

Etude No. 6 “Automne à Varsovie” (Autumn in Warsaw)

György Ligeti
(1923-2006)

Sophia Cornicello, *piano*

3 Nocturnes, op. 15

Andante cantabile in F Major
Larghetto in F-sharp Major
Lento in G Minor

Frédéric Chopin
(1810-1849)

Nikita Tumanov, *piano*

Piano Sonata, op. 1

III. Choral et variations

Henri Dutilleux
(1916-2013)

Xinri Zhang, *piano*

--- INTERMISSION ---

- Storytelling -

Pas de deux, from *On the Town* (1944)

Leonard Bernstein
(1918-1990)

Sawyer Dahlen, *piano*

Die Nachtigall, from *Sieben Frühe Lieder*

Alban Berg
(1885-1935)

C'est l'extase langoureuse, from *Ariettes oubliées*

Claude Debussy
(1862-1918)

Hanna Okalava, *soprano*
Hasti Safaei, *piano*

Mephisto Waltz No. 1, S. 514

Franz Liszt

Juliette Benveniste, *piano*

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- When a Hungarian Breeze Sweeps in... -

Hungarian Rhapsody

David Popper
(1843-1913)

Anita Balázs, *cello*
Alexandra Balog, *piano*

Hungarian Melody in B Minor, D. 817
Impromptu in A-flat Major, op. 90, D. 899

Franz Schubert
(1797-1828)

Alexandra Balog, *piano*

Clarinet Sonata No. 1 in F Minor, op. 120, no. 1
I. Allegro appassionato

Johannes Brahms
(1833-1897)

Mohammad AbdNikfarjam, *clarinet*
Hasti Safaei, *piano*

Piano Quartet No. 1 in G Minor, op. 25
Rondo all Zingarese. Presto

Johannes Brahms

Yu Ran, *violin*
Qijia Liu, *viola*
Yushi Yao, *cello*
Ivy Chen, *piano*