



# Bard College Conservatory of Music

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Presents

## Chamber Music Marathon - Part I

Friday, May 1, 2026 from 12:00 PM

László Z. Bitó '60 Conservatory Building, Performance Space

These groups are part of the Conservatory's Chamber Music Program that all instrumental and studio faculty support through their generous coaching and mentorship.

*NOTE: Performance times are approximate and subject to change.*

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### 12:00 PM

*Sommersong*

Wilhelm Peterson-Berger  
(1867-1942)

Suite for Double Bass Quartet

- I. Präludium
- II. Menuett
- III. Adagio I
- V. Humoreske

Bernhard Alt  
(1903-1945)

Aidan Young, *bass*  
Stanley Legan, *bass*  
Elisvanell Celis, *bass*  
Moises Arteaga, *bass*

### 12:20 PM

*Ursa*

- I. Sings to the Night Sky

Libby Larsen  
(b. 1950)

Baljinnyam Batbileg, *tuba*  
Marcos Castilla, *piano*

### 12:30 PM

*Histoire du Tango*

- I. Bordel 1900
- II. Café 1930
- III. Nightclub 1960

Astor Piazzolla  
(1921-1992)

Wenjia Ma, *piano*  
Feiyu Chen, *flute*

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**12:50 PM**

Fantaisie for Violin and Harp, op. 124

Camille Saint-Saens  
(1835-1921)

Sayi Chen, *harp*  
Joas Erasmus, *violin*

**1:05 PM**

String Quartet No. 2 in D Major  
I. Allegro Moderato

Alexander Borodin  
(1833-1877)

Fiona Secor, *violin*  
Beatrice Jiang, *violin*  
Ava Florence, *viola*  
Caven Yang, *cello*

**1:15 PM**

Piano Quintet in A Major, D. 667  
I. Allegro Vivace  
IV. Adantino-Allegretto (D major)

Franz Schubert  
(1797-1828)

Bowen Wang, *violin*  
Rongyang Ai, *viola*  
Mo Chen, *cello*  
Odie Femi-Oke, *bass*  
Junhao Fu, *piano*

**1:30 PM**

*Encounters III*  
Strategy  
Truce of God  
Tactics

William Kraft  
(1923-2022)

Mark Kovacs, *trumpet*  
Nathaniel Valsania, *percussion*

**1:50 PM**

Piano Quartet in G Minor, op. 25  
Allegro  
Intermezzo: Allegro ma non troppo  
Andante con moto  
Rondo alla Zingarese: Presto

Johannes Brahms  
(1833-1897)

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

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**2:30 PM**

*Anniversaries* for Wind Quintet

For Aaron Copland

In Memoriam: William Kapell

For Stephen Sondheim

For Elizabeth Rudolf

For Johnny Mehegan

For Felicia Montealegre

For Elizabeth B. Ehrman

Leonard Bernstein

(1918-1990)

arr. Ikuma

Trois Pieces Breves

Allergo

Andante

Allegro Scherzando

Jacques Ibert

(1890-1962)

Anna White, *flute*

Andrew Watkins, *oboe*

James McCourt, *clarinet*

Kainani Iara Kiyomi Nitz, *bassoon*

Charlie Krieg, *french horn*