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COMPOSER'S VOICE CONCERT SERIES PRESENTS ITS 2ND ANNUAL CHILDREN'S CONCERT

Sunday, August 30, 2012 1:00 PM (NEW YORK, NEW YORK) Composer's Voice presents its 2nd Annual Children's Concert with 11 compositions by children. This Composer's Voice features the cellist Suzanne Mueller performing music by young composers! (16 and under) Also performances by Greer Baxter, Olive Eng, Randall Eng, Anne Goldberg, Seulki Han, Susan Mandel, Nakyung Min and Suzanne Mueller.

A frequent performer on the Composer's Voice concert series Cellist Suzanne Mueller made her New York recital debut under the auspices of Artists International, as a member of the piano/cello Elysian Duo, and went on to perform as half of its successor, Elysian II, for ten years, before forming CROSS ISLAND with Ms. Zayas. Currently, she is Beech Tree Concerts Artist-in-Residence at Old Westbury Gardens, where she presents a series of outdoor summer concerts with various partners.

Randall Eng's operas have been performed at Lyric Opera Cleveland, New York City Opera's VOX Festival, the Virginia Arts Festival, and American Opera Projects. He teaches at NYU's Graduate Musical Theatre Writing Program.

Olive Eng is in kindergarten. She is 5-and-3/4 years old. She is a huge fan of contemporary opera; her current favorites are The Turn of the Screw, The Little Sweep, The Little Prince, and X: The Life and Times of Malcolm X.

Anne Goldberg is the founder/artistic director of the Synthesis Aesthetics Project, a collaborative between musicians, dancers, multimedia and spoken word artists. Anne is a freelance pianist and oboist-English hornist, and was a member of the New England Philharmonic and Berklee Contemporary Symphony Orchestra.

The versatile violinist, Josh Henderson is quickly gaining recognition as a musician for all seasons. He has performed in prestigious venues such as The Gasteig in Munich, the Kennedy Center, Beijing's Forbidden City, as well as high energy electric violin performances in iconic venues of popular music such as Manhattan's Highline and Hammerstein Ballrooms.

Cellist, Susan Davita Mandel performed the American debut of Robert Delanoff's Trio for Clarinet, Cello and Piano at Weill Recital Hall as finalists of the AMTL Young Musicians concert series. She has performed at Webster Hall, (le) Poisson Rouge, American Folk Art Museum, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Glasslands Gallery, and Mercury Lounge. Recently, Susan was the featured cellist in Jihae and John Patrick Shanley's opera "Fire Burning Rain" at the Highline Ballroom in NYC and the Not For Sale campaign event in San Francisco Bay Area.

Nakyung Min is a soprano originally from South Korea. She won several competitions including Korea Voice Competition, Music Education Press competition, and Sungjung Cultural Foundation competition.

Hana Segerstrom began playing the violin at age five. She has been a member of the Aspen Festival Orchestra, NYU Symphony Orchestra, New York Youth Symphony, and Empire State Youth Orchestra. This past summer she attended the Aspen Music Festival. Outside of the classical genre, Hana enjoys playing violin with rock band, Vespertina.

Midori Witkoski is a violist who has worked with world renowned chamber musicians such as Lawrence Dutton of the Emerson String quartet, and members of the American String Quartet: Daniel Avshalomov, Peter Winograd, and Wolfram Koessel.

Composer's Voice Concert Series is an opportunity for contemporary composers to express their musical aesthetic and personal "voice" created in their compositions. Started in 2001, the "Composer's Voice" concert series has presented over 80 concerts in New York City, as well as Argentina, Brazil, Germany, and Romania. Composer's Voice Concert Series is a collaboration with Jan Hus Church, The Remarkable Theater Brigade and Vox Novus. This concert will support the Homeless Outreach & Advocacy Program (HOAP).

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