

NORTH/SOUTH ***CONSONANCE***

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2023-24 Concert Schedule

Ten Free-Admission Concerts in New York City

Vocal and instrumental music from the Americas and the World

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Welcome to North/South Consonance's 44th consecutive Season!

During the early autumn days of 1980, a dazzling group of musicians came together to perform the first North/South Chamber Orchestra concert. The musical values cherished in those early days – flexibility, intimacy, commitment to the community and above all, consummate artistry – continue to inform and impel this remarkable ensemble.

In a culture overwhelmed by mere entertainment, the imposing breadth of North/South events celebrates the astonishing spectrum of creative voices among us while upholding an all-too-rare commitment to artistic innovation.

Our free-admission concerts are peppered with lively commentary designed to enhance your listening experience. Performed by superb vocalists and musicians, our inventive programs showcase music by three generations of composers hailing from throughout the Americas and the world. Often new to New York, their refreshingly accessible music never fails to stimulate, challenge, and excite.

The ever-expanding North/South Recordings Catalogue embodies a substantial musical legacy. Featuring expert performances of today's repertoire these compact discs offer scholars an invaluable window into the musical world of the 20th and 21st centuries. Available for streaming and sale through your favorite retail outlet, these albums bring the music of composers we champion to an international audience and the convenience of your home.

The thoughtfulness of friends and patrons has allowed us to bring the best in contemporary music to New York City audiences. Your charitable tax-deductible contribution will empower us to keep supporting creativity and innovation. Your generous gift will help us proceed vigorously into the next 43 years of musical discovery.

Take note of the virtuosic North/South Chamber Orchestra. Be present at its events. Let yourself be swayed by the allure, drama, and energy of today's music.

Max Lifchitz

Founder & Director



North/South @ 44!

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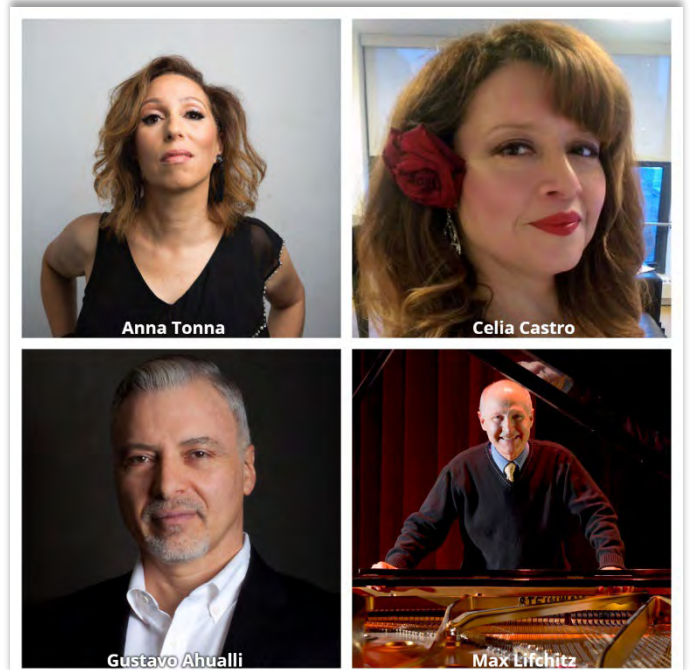
PROGRAM **I** Sunday, **December 3, 2023 at 8 PM**

Rimas Sacras/Sacred Rhymes

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| WALLACE DE PUE | The Disciple Variations |
| JEE SEO | Ohr/Light |
| MAX LIFCHITZ | Rosa Divina |
| JOSEPH SANTO | Rimas Sacras |

Celia Castro, soprano
Anna Tonna, mezzo-soprano
Gustavo Ahualli, baritone
Max Lifchitz, piano

this concert at the
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 330 Seventh Ave (7th FL); New York, NY 10001



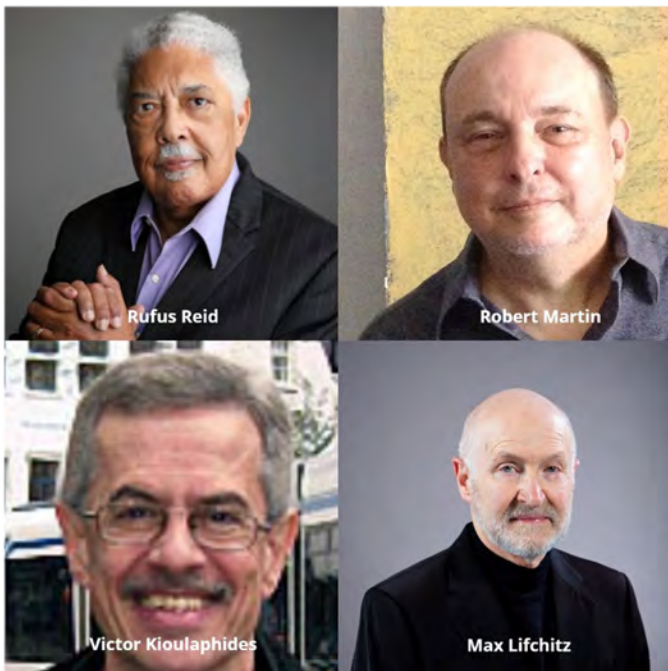
PROGRAM **II** Wednesday, **January 24, 2024 at 8 PM**

Home Grown Talent Celebration!

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| VICTOR KIOULAPHIDES | Black Swan Concerto |
| MAX LIFCHITZ | Aymara Percussion Concerto |
| ROBERT MARTIN | One Year The Milkweed |
| RUFUS REID | Wind & Sail |

Lisa Hansen, flute
Stephen Sas, double bass
Frank Cassara, percussion
Max Lifchitz, conductor
The North/South Chamber Orchestra

this concert at the
DiMenna Center
 450 W 37th St, New York, NY 10018



PROGRAM **III** Sunday, February 4, 2024 at 8 PM

After Vivaldi

AARON ALTER
PETER AVISS
LELIO DI TULLIO
DOROTHEE EBERHARDT

Vival-Departures
Clarinet Concerto
Al Horizonte
Streicher Pur

Claudia Schaer, violin
Megan Shumate Beaumont, clarinet
Max Lifchitz, conductor
The North/South Chamber Orchestra

this concert at the
Christ & St Stephen's Church
120 West 69th Street; New York, NY 10023



PROGRAM **IV** Monday, February 12, 2024 at 8 PM

Piano Crosscurrents

ALLAN CROSSMAN
AKIN EUBA
ROBERT FLEISHER
MAX LIFCHITZ
EUGENE W. MCBRIDE
JOHN MCGINN
HAROLD SCHIFFMAN

Wind and Shade
Scenes from Traditional Life
Minims for Max
Wedding Cake Tango
Excursion Up the Hudson
Six Preludes
Six Etudes

Max Lifchitz, piano

this concert at the
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PROGRAM **V** Friday, **February 23, 2024** at **8 PM**

Shan Sui/Mountain Water

SILVINA MILSTEIN Shan Shui/Mountain Water
EUGENE O'BRIEN Elegy to the Spanish Republic
MIGUEL ROSAS-COBIAN After Brancusi
WILLIAM SCHIMMEL Black Swan

Denise Koncelik, accordion
Max Lifchitz, conductor
The North/South Chamber Orchestra

this concert at the
DiMenna Center
450 W 37th St, New York, NY 10018



PROGRAM **VI**

Sunday, **March 10, 2024** at **3 PM**



Two Visions

ALEJANDRO CARDONA Anancy
DANIEL KESSNER Two Visions
MAX LIFCHITZ Eulogy for Tyre

Max Lifchitz, conductor
The North/South Consonance Ensemble

this concert at the
Tenri Cultural Center
43A W 13th St; New York, NY 10011

PROGRAM **VII**

Monday, **March 18**, 2024 at **8 PM**

Is Spring Right?

LONNIE HEVIA
LIBBY LARSEN
MAX LIFCHITZ

Many Named Beloved
Cowboy Songs
Forget Me Not
Lonesome Tears
Is Spring Right?
Rabun Gap
Three Songs
Gingando

JONHATHAN B. MCNAIR
JOEL ROSENBAUM
GABRIEL TEIXEIRA

Tiernan Chase, coloratura soprano
Hannah Spierman, soprano
Max Lifchitz, piano

this concert at the
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PROGRAM **VIII**

Sunday, **May 5**, 2024 at **4 PM**

Cinco de Mayo Celebration

CARLOS CHAVEZ
MANUEL ENRIQUEZ
MARTA GARCIA RENART
MAX LIFCHITZ

Tercera Sonata
Hoy de ayer
Tres Momentos
Cinco Preludios
Tema con variaciones
Tragedia en
forma de rabano
Intermezzo, Gavota
Scherzino Mexicano
Como el agua
en el agua

SILVESTRE REVUELTAS
MANUEL M. PONCE
MARCELA RODRIGUEZ

Max Lifchitz, piano

this concert at the
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PROGRAM **IX** Saturday, **May 18, 2024** at **2 PM**

Afternoon Mojito

DAVID HEUSER Moments
JOSE LEZCANO Mojito
MAX LIFCHITZ Four Tango Sketches
SHELI NAN Backlash

Jose Lezcano, guitar
Max Lifchitz, conductor
The North/South Chamber Orchestra

this concert at
St. John's in The Village
218 W 11th St, New York, NY 10011



PROGRAM **X** Tuesday, **June 11, 2024** at **8 PM**

Spotlight on Christopher James

CHRISTOPHER JAMES Concerto Gross
Labyrinths
Sextet
Songs of the Tragic Generation

Tyler Duncan, baritone
Claudia Schær, violin
Marc Peloquin & Erica Switzer, piano
Max Lifchitz, conductor
The North/South Chamber Orchestra

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