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# **MARIACHI PANTERAS**

TAMMY YI Director

**APRIL 29, 2023** 



College of Performing Arts Hall-Musco Conservatory of Music

# A MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN



Dear Friends:

Without you, our audience, the performance you are about to enjoy would be incomplete. On behalf of our students, faculty, and staff, thank you for supporting the College of Performing Arts (CoPA) and our next generation of artists.

Our students are at the core of everything we do and we are passionately dedicated to providing the best possible education for them in all areas of study within Dance, Music, and Theatre. Our mission is to help them master their craft and prepare for today's performing arts professions by providing access to all the tools necessary to succeed.

Here at CoPA we are training artists and transforming lives. Our students have exceptional opportunities to learn from master artists and to perform in venues ranging from small studios to state-of-the-art facilities, thanks to the extended support of patrons like you. The end result is a strong record of alumni who have enjoyed rich and diverse careers in the performing arts around the world.

Please enjoy this performance and come back for another CoPA event soon! To view our full season of events, visit <u>tickets.chapman.edu</u>.

Giulio Ongaro, Ph.D.

Dean and Professor
Bertea Family Chair in Music
College of Performing Arts

Chapman University

# CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY HALL-MUSCO CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC PRESENTS:

# MARIACHI PANTERAS

Tammy Yi Director

April 29, 2023 2 p.m.

SALMON RECITAL HALL

# **PROGRAM**

El Toro Relajo

Soloist: Valeria Abarca Mariachi Panteras

Por Un Amor

Soloist: Lino Sánchez

Mariachi Panteras

La Feria De La Flores

Soloists: Lino Sánchez & Jessica Tonai Mariachi Panteras

Amore Eterno

Soloist: Jovanna Meave Mariachi Panteras

Las Perlitas

Mariachi Panteras

Arboles de la Barranca

Soloists: David Anderson & Andrew Pérez

David Anderson, violin Sammy Edgar, guitar Lino Sánchez, guitarrón Alex Mah, trumpet

# **PROGRAM**

#### Los Laureles

Soloist: Alyssa Nicole Torres Lino Sánchez, guitarrón David Anderson, violin Dr.Yi, violin Alex Mah, trumpet Andrew Pérez, guitar

#### El Jinete

Soloist: Andrew Pérez

Lino Sánchez, guitarrón Alex Mah, trumpet David Anderson, violin Jessica Tonai, vihuela Lorenzo E. Leiva Araya, vihuela

#### Volver, Volver

Soloists: Alex Mah and Irvin Ignacio Correa Castillo Mariachi Panteras

#### Canción Mixteca

Soloist: Irvin Ignacio Correa Castillo Mariachi Panteras

#### La Llorona

Soloist: Andrea Vasquez Mariachi Panteras

#### Cielito Lindo

Mariachi Panteras

# ABOUT THE DIRECTOR



**DR. TAMMY YI** is a first-generation Ed.D., conductoreducator and string pedagogy specialist, from Los Angeles, CA. She is an assistant professor of music education at Chapman University and is committed to the important contributions of historically excluded communities of color. Dr. Yi serves as the orchestra conductor of the Los Angeles Philharmonic YOLA

Youth Orchestras and designs the music education curriculum for the organization's learning department. She is a national board member of the American String Teachers Association and presents her work at music education and orchestra conferences around the world. Dr. Yi publishes articles related to first-generation experiences, social justice, anti-racism, and ethnic studies. Dr. Yi holds degrees from Columbia University, the University of Southern California and Azusa Pacific University.

Dra. Tammy S. Yi es una primera generación de Ed.D., conductoraeducadora y especialista en pedagogía de cuerdas de Los Ángeles, CA. Es profesora asistente de educación musical en la Universidad de Chapman y está comprometida con las importantes contribuciones de las comunidades de color históricamente excluidas. El Dr. Yi se desempeña como director de orquesta de las Orquestas Juveniles de la Filarmónica de Los Ángeles YOLA y diseña el plan de estudios de educación musical para el departamento de aprendizaje de la organización. Es miembro de la junta nacional de la Asociación Estadounidense de Maestros de Cuerdas y presenta su trabajo en conferencias sobre educación musical y orquestas en todo el mundo. El Dra. Yi publica artículos relacionados con experiencias de primera generación, justicia social, antirracismo y estudios étnicos. El Dra. Yi tiene títulos de la Columbia University, University of Southern California, y la Azusa Pacific University.

#### NOTES FROM THE DIRECTOR

I am so amazed by my students. They are a truly remarkable group of individuals who dedicate themselves to a community for the purpose of bringing about change on our campus. Seeing how much they enjoy themselves, work collaboratively, and lead our ensemble excites me for their future selves. Mariachi Panteras continues to grow each year as a result of their devoted belief in and respect for the diversity of humans and their thought processes, which are all inspired by their compassionate human heart. I feel blessed for every experience I've had with Mariachi Panteras, especially my seniors, who were some of the group's founding members. Without a doubt, the joy, happiness, beautiful songs, and interactions will remain in our hearts forever. I wish everyone the best of luck in delivering an inspirational performance.

#### NOTAS DEL DIRECTORA

Estoy tan asombrado por mis alumnos. Son un grupo verdaderamente notable de personas que se dedican a una comunidad con el propósito de generar cambios en nuestro campus. Ver cuánto se divierten, trabajan en colaboración y lideran nuestro conjunto me emociona por su futuro. Mariachi Panteras continúa creciendo cada año como resultado de su devota creencia y respeto por la diversidad de los seres humanos y sus procesos de pensamiento, todos inspirados por su corazón humano compasivo. Me siento bendecida por cada experiencia que he tenido con Mariachi Panteras, especialmente con mis mayores, quienes fueron algunos de los miembros fundadores del grupo. Sin duda, la alegría, la felicidad, las hermosas canciones y las interacciones permanecerán en nuestros corazones para siempre. Les deseo a todos la mejor de las suertes en la entrega de una actuación inspiradora.

# **MÚSICA ARREGLADA POR**



**ERANDI SÁNCHEZ** 

Degrees: B.M. Music Performance, Saxophone
B.A. Pre-Music Education Certification

Erandi is currently involved in the Wind Symphony and serves as the music arranger for Mariachi Panteras. She is working on a Master of Arts in Teaching.

# STUDENT LEADERSHIP / LIDERAZGO ESTUDIANTIL



LINO SANCHEZ

Major: Music Education and Trumpet Performance,

Second year

Instruments: vocals, trumpet, and guitarrón

Lino is currently involved in Mariachi Panteras, The Chapman Orchestra, Big Band and Wind Symphony.



JESSICA TONAI

Major: B.M. Music Education and Vocal Performance

Second Year

Instruments: vocals, vihuela

Jess has learned a lot about mariachi and Mexican folk music in the past year and is happy to be able to share this with the Chapman community.



IRVIN IGNACIO CORREA CASTILLO

Major: Vocal Performance

Minor: French

Instruments: vocals, guitarrón



#### DAVID ANDERSON

Major: Violin Performance

Minor: Music Business

Fourth Year

Instrument: violin

David is a member of The Chapman Orchestra, the Commercial Music Ensemble, Mariachi Panteras, and the Temianka Quartet. David also competes on Chapman University's cross country and track team and is involved in an arts organization called The Collective. He will be obtaining his master's degree in music business following graduation from Chapman University.



ATHENNA GONZALEZ

Major: Biology Instrument: violin

Athenna loves to take a variety of music classes during her

time at Chapman. She hopes to keep music part of her

everyday life even after graduating this spring.



SAMUEL EDGAR

Major: Philosophy and Communication

Third Year

Instrument: guitar

"Thank you so much for coming to our show! We had a great time putting it together for you. Being in Mariachi Panteras has been the highlight of my college experience and I'm so grateful for everyone involved."



# ANDREW PÉREZ

Major: Music Education, Vocal Emphasis

Minor: Spanish

Fourth Year

Instruments: vocals, guitar

Andrew has served Mariachi Panteras while simultaneously pursuing a career as a pianist as well as a teacher. He is also an active member of the Chapman University Singers and is co-president of the club Chapman Society for Music Education. He will continue his studies in pursuit of a Masters of Arts in Teaching at Chapman University post-graduation.



ÁNGEL MENDOZA

Major: Broadcast Journalism and Documentary

Minor: Film Music

Second Year

Instrument: guitarrón



ALYSSA NICOLE TORRES

Major: Business Administration, Marketing

First Year

Instruments: vocals, violin

Alyssa joined the ensemble because of her passion for music and commitment to embracing her culture. At a collegiate level of performing, she wishes to elevate her knowledge in music, have fun, and share her talents

with the world!



MARIANA QUEZADA

Major: Broadcast Journalism and Documentary

First Year

Instrument: guitar

Mariana is a sophomore studying at Dodge College. In the future, she hopes to create documentaries highlighting her Hispanic culture. Mariana loves all things art and is very passionate about dance and music.



VALERIA ABARCA

Major: Health Sciences and Spanish

First Year

Instruments: vocals, guitar

Valeria is a first gen college student. While she is studying science, she has always loved music and believed it to be essential to learning. She is proud of her roots and loves

contributing to this ensemble.



**ANDREA VASQUEZ** 

Major: Business Administration - Marketing

Minor: Music Business

Third Year

Instruments: vocals, vihuela

Some of Andrea's activities on campus include: marketing assistant for the Office of Career and Professional Development, the Latinx Club, and the Promising Futures Program. She loves being a part of the Mariachi ensemble because of its welcoming atmosphere and the surrounding talent.



**JOVANNA MEAVE** 

Major: Writing for Film & TV

First year

Instruments: vocals, guitarrón

Jovanna is a freshman studying at Dodge College. She is also a first gen student. "Being in Mariachi Panteras has helped me embrace my culture on campus and create a

welcoming environment."



**DARIUS NIERTSCHIN** 

Major: Guitar Performance

Minor: Film Music & Game Development

Instrument: trumpet

Being a music major, he enjoys playing a wide range of styles, genres, and instruments to further his

understanding of music around the world.



**ALEX MAH** 

Major: Music Education

Second Year

Instrument: trumpet

# FΔMILIΔ



LORENZO E. LEIVA ARAYA

Major: PhD in Sciences, Microbiology

Instrument: vihuela

Lorenzo is a postdoctoral fellow at the Schmid College of Science and Technology. Being part of Mariachi Panteras has allowed him to continue developing his two passions:

Music and Science.



WILLIAM MILLS

Major: Music

Instruments: piano, guitar

Originally from San Francisco, William enjoys various outdoor activities. After his music education, he'll continue

to advance his career in aviation and e-commerce.



SAWYER LIVSEY

Major: Music Composition

Minor: Film Music

Second Year

Instrument: guitarrón

Sawyer is passionate about all things music, composing, performing, listening, etc., and is involved with many other music groups and ensembles on campus. He's looking forward to continuing playing and performing with Mariachi Panteras

#### WITH GRATITUDE

Mariachi Panteras would like to thank the following people and organizations who've supported our journey into making this ensemble truly what it has become. Without your support, we would not have the ability to continue to fund our program and provide instruments for our growing ensemble. We like to thank Chapman University's faculty pedagogical and innovation grant, Richard and Melinda Hasenohrl, Abyad Family, Becky Campos, Chapman Latinx Faculty Forum, The Honorable Gaddi H. Vasquez and Mrs. Elaine Vasquez, Dr. Gabriela Castaneda, Dr. Amy Graziano, Dr. Louise Thomas, Dean Giulio Ongaro, Jean Taber, Rob Octavio, and Dr. Ruben Espinoza, Chapman University Ethnic Studies and Latin American Studies, and Vice Provost Dr. Reg Stewart. We also thank all our families and friends who continue to support our ensemble, and we'd especially like to thank our composer in residence, Erandi Sánchez, for arranging all the pieces for our group.

# **CON GRATITUD**

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# **COMING UP NEXT...**

# Chapman Percussion Ensemble

Directed by Nick Terry
Saturday, April 29, 2023 | 8 p.m.
Salmon Recital Hall, Bertea Hall 100
The Chapman Percussion Ensemble (CPE) presents an evening of dynamic and unconventional chamber music, produced from an enormous assembly of percussion instruments from around the world.

#### Piano Majors Showcase

Directed by Grace Fong Sunday, April 30, 2023 | 2 p.m. Salmon Recital Hall, Bertea Hall 100 Piano performance majors from the Hall-Musco Conservatory of Music perform.

#### Vocal Jazz Ensemble

Directed by Teryn Ré Carter Sunday, April 30, 2023 | 8 p.m. Salmon Recital Hall, Bertea Hall 100 The Vocal Jazz Ensemble features both the jazz en

The Vocal Jazz Ensemble features both the jazz ensemble and soloists in various styles such as swing, bossa nova, funk and much more!

Dates, times, venues, and programs are subject to change.

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# **COMING UP NEXT...**

#### **New Music Ensemble**

Directed by Sean Heim

Thursday, May 4, 2023 | 8 p.m.

Salmon Recital Hall, Bertea Hall 100

Sean Heim leads the Chapman New Music Ensemble in a concert of works by current composition majors as well as those by many of the major composers of the last 50 years.

# **Chapman University Treble Choir**

Directed by Mikayla Feldman

Friday, May 5, 2023 | 8 p.m.

Salmon Recital Hall, Bertea Hall 100

The University Treble Choir performs advanced treble voice literature from around the world in various styles and languages, ranging from historical works to contemporary compositions.

#### Instrumental Chamber Music

Saturday, May 6, 2023

Winds & Brass | directed by Tim Hall | 2 p.m.

Strings | directed by Yoshika Masuda | 5 p.m.

Salmon Recital Hall, Bertea Hall 100

# PLUS... many more!

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One of the best ways to help support CoPA students is to give to the Fund for Excellence. This invaluable program gives students access to a variety of high-caliber resources so they can create and perform their best work.

Every dollar donated to the Fund has an immediate impact on the performing arts student-experience. Donations are used exclusively to help CoPA students through enhancement of student productions, recruiting professional artists for master classes, and supporting touring student ensembles, to name a few. For example, last year the Fund allowed us to bring Complexions Contemporary Ballet to campus for a week-long intensive with our dance students, giving them a valuable opportunity to train with working professionals from an award-winning, internationally renowned company.

If you're already a contributor to our Fund for Excellence, THANK YOU! And if you haven't yet joined hands with others who support the performing arts at Chapman University, please, consider making a gift today. Any amount helps!

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