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ues 2 Oct	Madeleine Staunton flute Peter Tuite piano, Bogdan Sofei violin Andreea Banciu viola Adrian Mantu cello	Aula Maxima, NUI Galway
nurs 4 Oct	Film: In Search Of Haydn	Huston School of Film & Digital Media, NUI Galway
ed 17 Oct	Irish Chamber Orchestra Katherine Hunka director	Seapoint, Salthill
ed 7 Nov	Nicolay Khozyainov piano	Aula Maxima, NUI Galway
on 12 Nov	Film: Glass: A Portrait of Philip in Twelve Parts	Huston School of Film & Digital Media, NUI Galway
ues 13 Nov	sonic.art Saxophone Quartet	Aula Maxima, NUI Galway
on 19 Nov	Official Opening of the Music for Galway Archives	Aula Maxima, NUI Galway
nurs 22 Nov	Irish Baroque Orchestra Monica Huggett director	Seapoint, Salthill
at 8 Dec	Handel: Messiah Resurgam, Irish Baroque Orchestra	St. Nicholas' Collegiate Church







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MIDWINTER FESTI	Beethoven: Genius, Passion & the Irish Connection						
Fri 25 Jan-Sun 27 J	 Charlotte Riedijk soprano Osiris Piano Trio Robin Tritschler tenor, Simon Lepper piano Paul Roe clarinet Rebecca Čápová piano Rod Goodall actor 	Town Hall Theatre					
Thurs 14 Feb	Alessandro Taverna piano	Aula Maxima, NUI Galway					
THE GALWAY MUSIC RESIDENCY 10TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION FESTIVAL							
Wed 27 Feb-Fri 1 M	lar ConTempo Quartet and guests	Aula Maxima, NUI Galway					
Tues 5 March	ConTempo Quartet, Paul Roe clarinet	Town Hall Theatre					
Thurs 7 March	Members' Concert	Aula Maxima, NUI Galway					
Fri 22 March	BBC Singers Fergus Sheil director	St. Nicholas' Collegiate Church					
Tues 9 April	Altissimo String Quintet	Hotel Meyrick, Eyre Square					
Tues 23 April	Conor Biggs baritone, Michel Stas piano ConTempo Quartet	Hotel Meyrick, Eyre Square					
CKETS FROM ous II, No. 4 High Street, Galway	10% discount on bookings for 10 or more people.	Family tickets available at door. Music for Galway reserves the right to alter					

Орь Music for Galway 091 705962 | online: www.tht.ie **Concessions** apply to senior citizens (over 65) and the unwaged. Evidence will be requested at point of purchase.

Student tickets (full-time students only). Identification required. 1 ticket per person.

Music for Galway reserves the right to alter any advertised programme if necessary.

Latecomers will only be admitted during a break in the programme.

TUES 2 OCT AULA MAXIMA, NUI GALWAY 8pm

In the Company of Haydn

Madeleine Staunton flute IRELAND | Peter Tuite piano IRELAND Bogdan Sofei violin Romania/IRELAND Andreea Banciu viola Romania/IRELAND Adrian Mantu cello Romania/IRELAND

Piano Sonata in G major, Hob XVI: 27 Flute Quartet in D major, Op. 5, No. 1, Hob II: D9 Piano Sonata in D major, Hob XVI: 19 Piano Sonata in E-flat major, Hob XVI: 28 Flute Quartet in G major, Op. 5, No. 4, Hob II: 1



TICKETS: €20 • MEMBERS/CONCESSIONS: €16 • STUDENTS: €6

' [Madeleine Staunton] ...most sensitive....beautifully played.'The Irish Times

'His [Peter Tuite] approach to the Haydn [...] was one of extraordinary calculation and tonal refinement, every note and pause measured and weighted...' The Irish Times

THURS 4 OCT HUSTON SCHOOL OF FILM & DIGITAL MEDIA, NUI GALWAY 6.30pm Screening of In Search of Haydn (2012)

Phil Grabsky director (1 hour 42 minutes)



ADMISSION FREE

'it's a bracing and refreshing experience. The Guardian



WED 17 OCT BALLROOM AT SEAPOINT, SALTHILL 8pm

Minimalism & Melody

Irish Chamber Orchestra Katherine Hunka director/violin Pupils of Coláiste Einde, Dominican College, Presentation and Salerno Secondary Schools



TICKETS: €20 • MEMBERS/CONCESSIONS: €16 • STUDENTS: €6



Philip Glass Symphony No. 3
Schubert Rondo in A major for Violin and Strings D. 438
Students at Coláiste na Trócaire, Rathkeale The Music in Me
Linda Buckley Fall Approaches
Dvořák Serenade in E major for Strings, Op. 22

'The ICO gave it a performance of typically energetic chutzpah.' The Irish Times



WED 7 NOV AULA MAXIMA NUI GALWAY 8pm



Prizewinner's Performance

Nikolay Khozyainov piano RUSSIA Winner of the Dublin International Piano Competition 2012

Beethoven Piano Sonata in A flat major, Op. 110 Ravel Gaspard de la Nuit Chopin Barcarolle, Op. 60 Chopin Berceuse, Op. 57 Liszt Piano Sonata in B minor

TICKETS: €20 • MEMBERS/CONCESSIONS: €16 • STUDENTS: €6

'Russian pianist Nikolay Khozyainov, was the clear audience favourite. So loud was the ovation after his playing of Rachmaninov's Third Piano Concerto that it must have been depressing for any other competitor within earshot.'The Irish Times

MON 12 NOV SCHOOL OF 7.30pm

Screening of Glass: A Portrait of Philip in Twelve Parts (2007)

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HUSTON

Scott Hicks

(1 hour 55 minutes)

ADMISSION FREE

'A fitting tribute to the man and the musician, which will remind fans of his genius and point newcomers to his broad and brilliant oeuvre' Sydney Morning Herald TUES 13 NOV AULA MAXIMA NUI GALWAY In Association with Music Network 8pm

Ruth Velten soprano saxophone Alexander Doroshkevich alto saxophone Adrian Tully tenor saxophone Annegret Schmiedl baritone saxophone J. S. Bach Italian Concerto Philip Glass String Quartet No. 3 (*Mishima*) György Ligeti 6 Bagatelles David Fennessy Neon (1997) Astor Piazzolla *Histoire du Tango*

"The Audience felt it straight away: This is musical Champions League!" Elbe Jeetzel Zeitung

Best Newcomer

In association with NUI Galway Music Week

sonic.art Saxophone Quartet Germany

Ensemble



MON 19 NOV AULA MAXIMA NUI GALWAY 6pm



Music for Galway Archives

Official opening of the catalogued Music for Galway Archives at the James Hardiman Library, NUI Galway. Exhibition, talks and a performance by ConTempo Quartet followed by reception.



'The Aula had passed a preliminary test of suitability during a concert of the Douglas Gunne Ensemble... It would definitely be a most suitable temporary venue until Galway provides a concert hall proper.' Music for Galway Minutes: 26 February 1981 THURS 22 NOV BALLROOM AT SEAPOINT, SALTHILL Tour supported by The Arts Council / An Chomhairle Ealaíon 8pm



Groove Theory

Irish Baroque Orchestra Monica Huggett director uk

The IBO is joined by jazz drummer Kevin Brady to present the first Irish performances of *Groove Theory*, a piece composed for Monica Huggett by jazz violinist Hollis Taylor (USA) imaginative, uplifting music that literally pulses and grooves. The programme also includes works by 18th century Hungarian and Romani composers and Haydn.

TICKETS: \in 20 • MEMBERS/CONCESSIONS: \in 16 STUDENTS: \in 6

"Wow! What a knockout of a piece! I enjoyed every delicious second." David Schiff, composer/music critic, about 'Groove Theory' Portland USA



SAT 8 DEC ST. NICHOLAS' COLLEGIATE CHURCH 8pm



Handel Messiah

Resurgam Irish Baroque Orchestra Roy Goodman conductor uk

One of the most popular choral works ever written, Handel's *Messiah* tells the story of Christ's birth, death and resurrection. With terrific theatrical moments, excellent soloists and rousing choruses, this inspirational work is always a calendar highlight – early booking recommended!

TICKETS: €25 • MEMBERS/CONCESSIONS: €20 • BOOKING CHARLIE BYRNE'S MIDDLE STREET OR 091 705962 OR WWW.IRISHBAROQUEORCHESTRA.COM

'With Resurgam in as lithe and responsive a mode as I've ever heard them, and the players of the IBO also on top form, this Messiah was a treat from start to finish.' Irish Times



MIDWINTER **FESTIVAL**

FRI 25 JAN SAT 26 JAN SUN 27 JAN

De Volkskrant

Kisty Van Beethoven Genius, Passion & the Irish Connection

Sponsored by DERI and NUI Galway

Osiris Piano Trio the NETHERLANDS Charlotte Riedijk soprano the Netherlands Robin Tritschler tenor IRELAND/UK | Simon Lepper piano UK Paul Roe clarinet IRELAND Rebecca Čápová piano IRELAND/GERMANY Rod Goodall actor UK/IBELAND



"All were sung by Irish tenor Robin Tritschler with exquisite clarity and poise..." The Irish Times

Friday 8 pm **GENIUS: from Beethoven's earliest compositions to his final work for piano** Piano Trio in E-flat major, Op. 1, no. 1 Songs for soprano and piano Bagatelles, Op. 126 (piano solo) Clarinet Trio Op. 11 (with Paul Roe, clarinet)

Sunday 3 pm **THE IRISH CONNECTION: The pulse of an Irishman...** Bagatelles, Op. 119 (piano solo) Piano Trio in D major, Op. 70, no. 1 (*Ghost*) Readings from Beethoven's letters Irish Songs, a selection for soprano, tenor and piano trio

Saturday 8 pm PASSION: to the distant beloved...

7 Variations on '*Bei Männern, welche Liebe fühlen*' WoO 46 (from Mozart's *Magic Flute*) (cello and piano) *An die ferne Geliebte*, song cycle for tenor and piano Four Ariettas and a Duet, Op. 82 Piano Trio in B-flat major, Op. 97 (*Archduke*)

REMEMBERING EMILY ANDERSON, GALWAY SCHOLAR WHO BROUGHT BEETHOVEN'S LETTERS TO THE ENGLISH-SPEAKING WORLD

"she [Rebecca Čápová] explored every possible degree of dynamic and succeeded in producing a beautiful, musical tone. This level of musicianship alone was enough to captivate me" Irish Examiner





The Galway Music Residency are delighted to be partnering with Music for Galway on this our first ever Festival. This three day event is the culmination of a year-long musical retrospective, celebrating ten years of bringing world class musicians and music to the people of Galway.

We are delighted to welcome back old friends who have played with us over the past decade for this final birthday festivity and we are proud to continue our close relationship with *Music for Galway* at this very special time.

The Galway Music Residency is kindly supported by



Wednesday February 27th	Thursday February 28th			Friday March 1st		
Opening of The Galway Music Residency Retrospective Exhibit	Lr. Aula Maxima, NUIG, 6pm	Surprise Guests!	The Cube, Ár	ras na MacLéinn, NUIG, 1pm	Surprise Guests!	The Cube, Áras na MacLéinn, NUIG, 1pm
Isabelle O'Connell, Piano ConTempo Quartet Jane O'Leary: Piano Quintet	Aula Maxima, NUIG, 8pm	Dermot Dunne, Accor Ariel Hernandez, Guit ConTempo Quartet		Aula Maxima, NUIG, 8pm	RTÉ Vanbrugh Quartet ConTempo Quartet Mendelssohn: Octet in E	Aula Maxima, NUIG, 8pm flat major, Op.20
Mozart: Piano Concerto No.12 in A major, K414 Shostakovich: Piano Quintet in G minor, Op.57 PLUS World premiere of specially commissioned work by The Galway Music Residency Composer-in-Residence		Take a Latin American journey of music & song with music by Astor Piazzolla, Carlos Gardel and original compositions by Ariel Hernandez		Brahms: String Sextet No.1, Op.18 Britten: String Quartet No.2 in C major. Op.36		









Dermot Dunne & Ariel Hernandez RTÉ Vanbrugh Quartet

The Galway Ensemble in Residence - ConTempo Quartet

Isabelle O' Connell

THURS 14 FEB AULA MAXIMA NUI GALWAY 8pm



Diaghilev and the Ballets Russes

Alessandro Taverna piano ITALY

Chopin Les Sylphides (Chopiniana) Liszt Tarantella di Bravura from Auber's The Mute Girl of Portici, S. 386 De Falla Three Dances from The Three Cornered Hat Satie Jack in the Box, Part 1 Stravinsky Three movements from Pétrouchka

TICKETS: €20 • MEMBERS/CONC: €16 • STUDENTS: €6

"[...]dazzlingly done, yet mining the music's emotional depths. His encores brought the already enraptured audience to its feet.".' The Guardian TUES 5 MAR TOWN HALL THEATRE 1.10pm

Dreams & Prayers CD Launch

Paul Roe clarinet IRELAND ConTempo Quartet

Galway Ensemble in Residence

Launch of CD *Dreams & Prayers* recorded following *Klezmer and Beyond* concert during the Music for Galway Season 2009-10 and produced by The Galway Music Residency, Paul Roe and Music for Galway.



ADMISSION FREE



THURS 7 MAR AULA MAXIMA NUI GALWAY 8pm



Members' Concert

Admission free to Music for Galway Members

Andreja Malíř harp Ireland Martin Johnson cello uk/reland

The programme will be followed by a food and wine reception.

TICKETS: €20 • MEMBERS: FREE • CONCESSIONS: €16 • STUDENTS: €6

'Over the past thirty years, the activities of Music for Galway has created something both valuable and rare: a faithful audience that is willing to learn and yet do not forget to enjoy themselves. As an organisation, it is as intrinsic a part of the city as the River Corrib.' James Lisney, pianist

FRI 22 MAR ST. NICHOLAS' COLLEGIATE CHURCH Tour supported by The Arts Council / An Chomhairle Ealaíon 8pm



Seven Last Words

BBC Singers UK String Chamber Orchestra including ConTempo Quartet Fergus Sheil conductor IRELAND

Benjamin Britten Hymn to St Cecilia Irene Buckley Sanctus John Tavener Funeral Ikos James MacMillan Seven Last Words from the Cross

TICKETS: €20 • MEMBERS/CONCESSIONS: €16 • STUDENTS: €6

'James MacMillan's 'Seven Last Words from the Cross' is a work of harrowing intensity, designed to stretch choral abilities – and listeners' emotions – to the limit.' The Birmingham Post



TUES 9 APR THE BALLROOM, HOTEL MEYRICK, EYRE SQUARE 8pm



Old World – New World

Altissimo Quintet IRELAND Martin Johnson director

Brahms String Quintet No. 2 in G major, Op. 111Arvo Pärt SummaDvořák String Quintet No. 3, Op. 97 American

Ireland's only Viola Quintet, formed by members of the RTÉ National Symphony Orchestra

TICKETS: €20 • MEMBERS/CONCESSIONS: €16 • STUDENTS: €6

'folk-inspired melody, a marvelously danceable scherzo, crystal clear construction in all four movements, and a fascinatingly colorful exploration of string textures.' (Dvořák Quintet) classicstoday.com

TUES 23 APR EYRE SQUARE 8pm

Schubertiade 'Softly Shall You Sleep...

Conor Biggs bass-baritone IRELAND/BELGIUM Michel Stas piano BELGIUM ConTempo Quartet ROMANIA/IRELAND



Schubert Selection of Lieder for voice and piano Schubert String Quartet No. 14, D. 810

'Death and the Maiden'

TICKETS: €20 • MEMBERS/CONCESSIONS: €16 • STUDENTS: €6

'all other songwriters have followed in his footsteps...' (Dvořák on Schubert)

'the most poetic musician who ever lived' (Liszt on Schubert)

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Membership Form Membership Options

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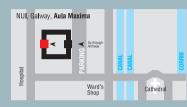
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Saturday 29 September Galway Baroque Singers

at Clifden Arts Festival.

Saturday 6 October Cois Cladaigh: Musica reservata and other styles. A capella and accompanied music.

Director Mark Duley. St. Nicholas' Collegiate Church. Tickets €20.00

Saturday 13 October Cois Cladaigh with Carl Hession Trio

Galway Jazz Festival, St. Nicholas' Collegiate Church. Renaissance and contemporary music. Tickets €10.

Friday 26 October, 8pm The Galway Ensemble in Residence, ConTempo Quartet and The Galway Baroque Singers

St. Nicholas' Collegiate Church. ${\in}10/{\in}8$ – children up to age 16 free.

Thursday 13 December, 8pm Christmas at Home with The Galway Ensemble in Residence, ConTempo Quartet, Moya Cannon, Mary McPartlan and Clois Cladaigh

Galway Mechanics Institute, Middle Street. €10/€8 – children up to age 16 free.

Saturday 22 December, 8pm Cois Cladaigh with Alan Kelly and Stephanie Geremia

St. Nicholas' Collegiate Church Charity concert in aid of NCBRI.

Starting in February 2013 Schubertreise

Conor Biggs and Michel Stas perform the complete Schubert songs at the National Concert Hall, Dublin. 20% off ticket price to Music for Galway members. More info at www.nch.ie

May 9-12

The Galway Early Music Festival

a long weekend of exciting medieval, renaissance and baroque music. Keep watching www.galwayearlymusic.com for programme updates.



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