

2009 - 2010 AMERICAN GUITAR SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL CONCERT SERIES

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SEPT



OSCAR GUZMÁN, flamenco guitar [Spain]

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7:30 PM

A protégé of "El Moro" and Rafael Riqueni, Oscar Guzmán is one of Spain's most exciting and well-traveled flamenco guitarists. Despite his youth he has performed, both as soloist and with his own flamenco group, across five continents. He also routinely collaborates with such artists as Pepe de Lucia, Pedro Sierra, Ana Reverte and Jesus Heredia. Needing no translation, *La Nuova* (Italy) describes a Guzmán concert as "una performance tra virtuosismo e sentimento."

NOV



ANDREA DIECI [Italy]

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The *Times Herald, N.Y.* hailed this first prize winner of numerous competitions and professor of guitar at the Regondi Guitar Academy in Bergamo as "impressive...it was clear that the audience had heard a youthful master..." Dieci has performed throughout the USA, Europe, Asia and Africa, and makes his third appearance on the AGS series with a program of the complete solo works of Heitor Villa-Lobos, including the celebrated *Twelve Etudes*.

FEB



PAUL O'DETTE, lute [USA]

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7:30 PM

SPECIAL EVENT. The AGS is honored to present Paul O'Dette in this special return engagement. Director of Early Music at the Eastman School of Music and Artistic Director of the Boston Early Music Festival, he has given appearances throughout the world and has made more than 100 recordings. O'Dette is hailed by *Stereophile* as "the greatest living lutenist, bar none" and by the *Toronto Globe and Mail* as "the clearest case of genius to ever touch his instrument." Book your tickets early!

MAR



KRAVCHAK MORRIS DUO, oboe & guitar [USA]

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7:30 PM

The AGS warmly welcomes Richard Kravchak (Music Department Chair, CSU Dominguez Hills) and Scott Morris (Director of Guitar Studies, CSU Dominguez Hills) in a concert featuring the unique combination of oboe and guitar. The *Dubuque Telegraph Herald* writes that "Kravchak's playing revealed a real beauty of tone, not monolithic, but always changing in color and intensity. He makes even the most difficult lines seem almost effortless." The *Hollywood Weekly* calls Morris' playing "simply brilliant".

APR



DAVID GRIMES AND GREGORY NEWTON [USA]

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7:30 PM

David Grimes (Director of Guitar Studies at CSU Fullerton) and Gregory Newton (AGS president) will perform a special fundraising concert to conclude the series. Celebrating twelve years of collaboration, they regularly tour abroad and are known for their inventive programming of solos and duos. The *Edinburgh Evening News* (Scotland) proclaims Newton as "a calm guitarist who plays sensationally and brilliantly, without looking as though he is trying." Of a Grimes performance the *Los Angeles Times* wrote "A masterful variety of right-hand techniques, combined with a fastidious attention to shadings of volume lent an almost mystical air..."

\$20 General Admission, \$15 AGS Members, \$10 Seniors and Students

SUBSCRIBER RATE: \$80.00 FOR COMPLETE SERIES

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CONCERT LOCATION: RECITAL HALL (ROOM 158), CYPRESS HALL MUSIC BUILDING

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AGS-CSUN MUSIC DEPARTMENT 2009 - 2010 Concert Series:

Oscar Guzmán	September 26
Andrea Dieci	November 7
Paul O'Dette	February 27
Kravchak Morris Duo	March 21
Grimes & Newton	April 17

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