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# Welcome to NEC!

I am thrilled to share New England Conservatory's 2024-25 concert season—a celebration of the power of music to connect and inspire one another.

Whether you are seated in one of our concert halls or watching online, we hope you are uplifted by the performances of our students, faculty, and guest artists.

Above all, we thank you for your support of our students as they cultivate their artistry and contribute to the world through music.

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to be "Andrea Kalyn". The signature is stylized and fluid.

Andrea Kalyn  
President

The NEC Piano Department  
presents

# Gabriel Fauré and His Students

performed by NEC students in three concerts

Bruce Brubaker,  
Curator of Piano Programming

*These concerts are dedicated to the memory of esteemed  
New England Conservatory piano faculty member and Chair of the Piano Department  
Gabriel Chodos (1939-2025)*

Tuesday, February 4, 2025

Sunday, February 23, 2025

Tuesday, March 4, 2025

7:30 p.m.

NEC's Jordan Hall

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**Gabriel Fauré**  
(1845–1924)

**Nocturne No. 1 in E-flat Minor, op. 33 no. 1** (c. 1875)

*Songhyeon Kim*

**Nocturne No. 2 in B Major, op. 33 no. 2** (c. 1880)

*Yali Levy Schwartz*

**Nocturne No. 3 in A-flat Major, op. 33 no. 3** (c. 1882)

*Yuxiang William Ji*

**Nocturne No. 4 in E-flat Major, op. 36** (c. 1884)

*Hyun-Gu Ji*

**Nocturne No. 5 in B-flat Major, op. 37** (c. 1884)

*Yowon Nam*

**Nocturne No. 6 in D-flat Major, op. 63** (1894)

*Robert Yan*

**Nocturne No. 7 in C-sharp Minor, op. 74** (1898)

*Dongyoung Kim*



**Nocturne No. 8 in D-flat Major, op. 84 no. 8 (1903)**

*Bowen Li*

**Nocturne No. 9 in B Minor, op. 97 (1907)**

*Jessica Yuma*

**Nocturne No. 10 in E Minor, op. 99 (1908)**

*Zunlu Di*

**Nocturne No. 11 in F-sharp Minor, op. 104 no. 1 (1913)**

*Nan Ni*

**Nocturne No. 12 in E Minor, op. 107 (1915)**

*Daniel Chen Wang*

**Nocturne No. 13 in B Minor, op. 119 (1921)**

*August Baik*

Sunday, February 23  
7:30 p.m.

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**Gabriel Fauré**  
(1845–1924)

**Barcarolle No. 1 in A Minor, op. 26** (1880)  
Allegretto moderato

*Angelina Lin*

**Barcarolle No. 2 in G Major, op. 41** (1885)  
Allegretto quasi allegro

*Jin Jeong*

**Barcarolle No. 3 in G-flat Major, op. 42** (1885)  
Andante quasi allegretto

*Grace Lee*

**Barcarolle No. 4 in A-flat Major, op. 44** (1886)  
Allegretto

*Channing Qianfeng Jing*

**Barcarolle No. 5 in F-sharp Minor, op. 66** (1894)  
Allegretto moderato

*Joey Vasconi*

**Barcarolle No. 6 in E-flat Major, op. 70** (1896)  
Allegretto vivo

*JJ Bui*

**Barcarolle No. 7 in D Minor, op. 90 (1905)**

Allegretto moderato

*Aine Oda*

**Barcarolle No. 8 in D-flat Major, op. 96 (1906)**

Allegretto moderato

*Kexin Tian*

**Barcarolle No. 9 in A Minor, op. 101 (1909)**

Andante moderato

*Ziang Xu*

**Barcarolle No. 10 in A Minor, op. 104 no. 2 (1913)**

Allegretto moderato

*Truman Walker*

**Barcarolle No. 11 in G Minor, op. 105 (1913)**

Allegretto moderato

*Seongwoo Moon*

**Barcarolle No. 12 in E-flat Minor, op. 106 bis (1913)**

Allegretto giocoso

*Yu Lei*

**Barcarolle No. 13 in C Major, op. 116 (1921)**

Allegretto

*Pauline Pu*



Tuesday, March 4  
7:30 p.m.

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**Gabriel Fauré**  
(1845–1924)

**Theme and Variations, op. 73 (1895)**

Theme

Var. 1: L'istesso tempo

Var. 2: Più mosso

Var. 3: Un poco più mosso

Var. 4: L'istesso tempo

Var. 5: Un poco più mosso

Var. 6: Molto adagio

Var. 7: Allegro moderato

Var. 8: Andante molto moderato

Var. 9: Quasi adagio

Var. 10: Allegro vivo

Var. 11: Andante molto, moderato espressivo

*Bairun Liu*

**Nadia Boulanger**  
(1887–1979)

***Vers la vie nouvelle* (1917)**

*Sam Xu*

***Three Pieces for Piano* (1914)**

No. 1 in E-flat Minor

No. 2 in A Minor

No. 3 in C-sharp Minor

*Melanie Liu*

**Alfredo Casella**  
(1883–1947)

***A notte alta, op. 30* (1917)**

*Geonwoo Yi*

**George Enescu**  
(1881–1955)

*Carillon nocturne, op. 18 no. 7* (1916)

*Wanjoong Kim*

**Gabriel Fauré**

**Nine Preludes, op. 103** (1909-10)

No. 1 in D-flat Major: Andante molto moderato

No. 2 in C-sharp Minor: Allegro

*Nan Ni*

No. 3 in G Minor: Andante

No. 4 in F Major: Allegretto moderato

*April Lee*

No. 5 in D Minor: Allegro

No. 6 in E-flat Minor: Andante

*Geonwoo Yi*

No. 7 in A Major: Andante moderato

No. 8 in C Minor: Allegro

No. 9 in E Minor: Adagio

*Annie Ye*

**Charles Koechlin**  
(1867–1950)

*Five Dances for Ginger Rogers, op. 163* (1937-39)

L'élan

Danse lente

Les tourbillons (piano four hands)

La danse sous les étoiles (piano four hands)

Final: Apothéose de la danse (piano four hands)

*Haolun Sun and Eric Ziyuan Qu*

**Florent Schmitt**  
(1870–1958)

*Ballade de la neige* (1896)

*Sam Xu*

**Maurice Ravel**  
(1875–1937)

*Jeux d'eau* (1901)

*Sammi Chen*

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