## Gayeon Kim *cello*

Recital in partial fulfillment of the Graduate Diploma, 2026 Student of Laurence Lesser

with Wooyoung Cho and Geonwoo Yi, piano

> Friday, April 4, 2025 8:30 p.m. Keller Room

## PROGRAM

**Claude Debussy** (1862–1918)

Robert Schumann (1810–1856) Sonata for Cello and Piano, L. 135 Prologue: Lent, sostenuto e molto risoluo Sérénade: Modérément animé Finale: Animé, léger et nerveux

*Five Pieces in Folk Style*, op. 102 Vanitas vanitorum: Mit Humor Langsam Nicht schnell, mit viel Ton zu spielen Nicht zu rasch Stark und markiert

Wooyoung Cho, piano

Intermission

Sergei Prokofiev (1891–1953)

## Sonata for Cello and Piano in C Major, op. 119

Andante grave Moderato Allegro ma non troppo

Geonwoo Yi, piano

I am sincerely grateful to be able to convey my utmost gratitude to Mr. Lesser. Having the privilege of receiving his immense support and profound artistry had the most significant influence on my artistic integrity. His guidance from the bottom of his heart has navigated me to enrich, not only my musical maturity but also my personal maturity. This elevation would not have been made possible without his decisive but warm navigation.

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Lastly to my beloved colleagues, I am absolutely pleased and delighted to present my recital as a thank-you to all your encouragement and support.

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