

**PLEASE NOTE: Our performers have worked very hard to prepare for today's recital. It is important to keep distractions to a minimum. Please do not take flash photographs during a performance. Be sure to sit with your children and take those who are restless or disruptive out of the hall at once. No food or drink is allowed in the Recital or Concert Hall at any time. Your cooperation is much appreciated.**

Welcome to the 2020 - 2021 recital season of the NIU Community School of the Arts. This is one of many concerts and recitals scheduled throughout the year. For a complete listing of upcoming performances, or to learn more about the program, call the CSA office at (815) 753-1450 or visit our website at [www.csa.niu.edu](http://www.csa.niu.edu).

### Spring 2021 Teachers

Melissa Anderson, harp  
Scott Anderson, bass, guitar  
Yuko Asada, CSA Steelband  
Gregory Barrett, clarinet\*  
Aerie Bernard, bass, clarinet, flute,  
guitar, saxophone, ukulele  
Hanna Bingham, violin  
Kurt Bonamer, tuba, euphonium  
Crystal Bragg, flute  
Karlaina Bunn, saxophone, voice, piano,  
clarinet, flute  
Thomas Cappaert, cello, Suzuki cello  
Heewon Cha, piano  
Soo-Yon Choi, piano  
Jodeen Coulter, voice, piano  
Austin Cruz, viola, violin  
Chano Cruz, bass  
Christine D'Alexander, violin, viola\*  
Derek Detzler, trumpet, trombone  
Quentin Dover, banjo, bass, guitar,  
mandolin, pipa, ukulele, guitar  
classes, CSA Guitar Ensemble  
Devin Drobka, drums, percussion, piano  
Brianne Duncan Fiore, voice, theater  
Adam DuVall, saxophone  
Raelyn Erwin, drums, percussion  
Darren Figgins, trombone, voice  
Ben Firer, conducting  
Anya Gavin, trumpet, cello, violin, viola  
William Goldenberg, piano\*  
Zachary Green, viola, violin  
Cheryl Haines, flute, recorder  
Lynn Hansen, flute  
Fareed Haque, guitar\*  
Chris Kenney, drums, percussion, guitar,  
mallet percussion

Britney Kieselhorst, voice  
Ke-Yin Kilburn, piano, voice  
Hyounkyoung "Joy" Kim, piano  
Tsai-Rung Li, conducting, piano,  
trumpet  
Xiaomeng Lin, piano  
Blaise Magniere, violin\*  
Alex Martinez, flute, piano  
Christian Melhado, steel pan  
Ann Montzka Smelser, Suzuki violin,  
violin, viola\*  
Luke Moyta, drums, percussion, piano,  
voice  
Elizabeth Newquist, cello  
Tetsuya Nishiyama, bass, guitar, piano  
John Novak, accordion\*  
Michael Opitz, clarinet, saxophone  
Alex Rattana, voice  
Laurie Rodriguez, violin, viola, Suzuki  
violin, early music education,  
chamber workshops  
Dajhumbay Russell, steel pan  
Christopher Scanlon, trumpet\*  
Eric Schroeder, guitar, Suzuki guitar,  
music theory, ukulele  
Faye Seeman, harp\*  
Li-Yun "Cindy" Shang, piano, violin  
Linc Smelser, cello, piano, CSA  
Sinfonia, Symphonette\*  
Allyson Smith, trumpet, ukulele  
Michael Swope, trumpet  
Christian Yi, piano  
Sunhye Yoon, voice

\* NIU Faculty



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# Community School of the Arts

*College of Visual and Performing Arts*

## Showcase Recital 1:00 p.m.

May 2, 2021  
Boutell Memorial Concert Hall  
In-person and [Livestream](#)

Beautiful Dreamer

S. Foster

*Leo Lo, ukulele Allyson Smith, teacher*

Lunar Eclipse

N. Faber

Vivace

F. Carulli

*Lorelei Hanna, piano Soo-Yon Choi, teacher*

Für Elise

L. van Beethoven

*Maret Siblik, piano Soo-Yon Choi, teacher*

Lotus

S. "Beatfox" Peelle

*Alexandria Gillberg, piano Xiaomeng Lin, teacher*

Sonata in E Minor, Mvt. 1

F.M. Veracini

*Emma Fredericks, violin Laurie Rodriguez, teacher*

## Livestream-only Performances

The Party French Folk Song  
*Isaac Navarro, piano* *Xiaomeng Lin, teacher*

Sword Dance N. Faber  
In an Old Castle N. Faber  
*Rosemary McConkie, piano* *Soo-Yon Choi, teacher*

Ode to Joy L. van Beethoven  
*Sebastian Navarro, guitar* *Scott Anderson, teacher*

Someone You Loved L. Capaldi  
Für Elise L. van Beethoven  
*Philip Song, piano* *Soo-Yon Choi, teacher*

The Mandalorian L. Göransson  
*Christian McConkie, piano* *Soo-Yon Choi, teacher*