Cal Poly Music Faculty Concert to Offer ‘Spring Bouquet of Chamber Music’ on April 9

SAN LUIS OBISPO -- The Cal Poly Music Department will present "A Spring Bouquet of Chamber Music," at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 9, in the Spanos Theatre.

The Music Department faculty recital will feature Katherine Arthur, soprano; Paul Severtson, violin; James Edwards, lute; Jeanne Shumway, cello; Clifton Swanson, bass; Caroline Tobin, clarinet; Keith Snell, trumpet; David Arrivée, harpsichord; and Susan Azaret Davies, piano. Violinist Brynn Albanese, a string coach for the Music Department, will also perform.

The varied program will include lute songs by Thomas Campion, "Su le Sponde del Tebro" by Alessandro Scarlatti, "Der Hird auf den Felsen" by Franz Schubert, and songs by Charles Ives.

Arthur teaches voice and vocal practicum at Cal Poly, Arrivée conducts the Cal Poly Symphony and teaches theory and musicianship, Edwards teaches guitar and directs the Cal Poly Guitar Ensemle, Snell teaches trumpet and directs the Cal Poly Brass Choir and University Brass Quintet, Severtson teaches violin and is also co-concertmaster of the San Luis Obispo Symphony, Shumway teaches cello and is the principal cellist of the San Luis Obispo Symphony, and Albanese is also a member of the San Luis Obispo Symphony.

Tickets to the recital are $6 for students and senior citizens and $10 for the public. They are on sale at the Performing Arts Ticket Office 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays. Tickets can be ordered by calling SLO-ARTS (756-2787) or going online to www.pacslo.org.

Patrons who buy season tickets to four Music Department events through the Performing Arts Ticket Office will receive a 10 percent discount; those who buy tickets to five or more are given a 15 percent discount.

Proceeds from the recital will benefit the 2006 summer tour of PolyPhonics and the Cal Poly Wind Ensemble. The recital is sponsored by Cal Poly’s Music Department and College of Liberal Arts. For more information, call 756-2406.

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