ROBERT YOUNG AND
DMITRI VOROBIEV IN RECITAL

Apr. 13 at 7:30 p.m.

WATSON HALL

Robert Young
SAXOPHONE

Dmitri Vorobiev
PIANO

PRESENTED BY
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Lilac Tears (2022) ................................................................. Jennifer Jolley
(b.1981)

This Earthly Round (Redux) (2014) ........................................ Miriama Young
(b.1975)

Romance, Op. 23 (1893) ........................................................ Amy Beach
(1867-1944)
arr. Colin Crake

A wonderful dream (2024) (world premiere) ....................... Tyree Nesbitt
(b. 2001)

INTERMISSION

Deep River (1904) ............................................................. Samuel Coleridge-Taylor
(1875-1912)
arr. Maud Powell and Robert Young

among Verticals (2018) ............................................................ Yaz Lancaster
(b.199x)

Sonate en Ut-sharp (1943) ................................................... Fernande Decruck
(1896-1954)

Tres modéré, expressif
Noël
Fileuse
Nocturne et Rondel
ROBERT YOUNG

Robert Young won a 2017 Grammy© Award for his performance with the PRISM Quartet on the album “Gavin Bryars: The Fifth Century” (available on ECM Recordings). He has collaborated and performed with many celebrated artists and ensembles throughout his career. Highlights include performances with the PRISM Quartet, The Crossing, Chris Potter, Ravi Coltrane, Uri Caine and the Detroit Chamber Winds and Strings. As an active soloist, Young has been acclaimed for his “effortless expression and a facile technique” and his “true mastery of his instrument” (The Saxophonist Magazine).

Young has appeared in residence as a guest at several institutions across the United States; including The University of North Texas, University of Michigan, University of Missouri-Kansas City, University of Massachusetts-Amherst and Pennsylvania State University. In the summer of 2018, he was invited as a featured concerto soloist in Zagreb, Croatia, at the XVIII World Saxophone Congress. Prior to his appointment at UNCSA in 2016, he held teaching professorships at the Crane School of Music (SUNY-Potsdam) and Wichita State University.
DMITRI VOROBIEV

Dmitri Vorobiev first gained international attention after winning the Casagrande International Piano Competition in Italy in 1994. He has been a major prize-winner in the Busoni, Cincinnati World, Ibla Grand Prize, A.M.A. Calabria, Iowa and Alabama international piano competitions. In 2000, he placed first and also took three special prizes at the UNISA International Piano Competition in Pretoria, South Africa, and in 2003, he won first prize in the New Orleans International Piano Competition.

Vorobiev appeared as a soloist with Cape Town Symphony Orchestra, Pretoria Chamber Orchestra, Durban Symphony, Terni Philharmonic, Manhattan School of Music Symphony, Winston-Salem Symphony and Western Piedmont Symphony. His solo recitals have taken him throughout the United States, Israel, Russia, Germany, Czech Republic, Ireland and South Africa.

One of his current projects is performing the complete solo piano works by Beethoven. Vorobiev's most recent production in progress is a double CD set with lesser-known works by Beethoven. He is also an active chamber music player. Some of the highlights include recordings of complete sonatas for violin and piano and complete piano trios by Bohuslav Martinu with Arbor Trio for the Naxos label.
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Emerging Artist Chamber Music Showcase  
Apr. 20 at 7:30 p.m.  
WATSON HALL

Experience dynamic performances by UNCSA’s finest student groups in strings, piano, and mixed chamber ensembles during the spring Emerging Artist Chamber Music Showcase. Enjoy a blend of timeless classics and innovative contemporary compositions performed at the highest level.

Reynolda Quartet  
Apr. 28 at 2:30 p.m.  
REYNOLDA HOUSE MUSEUM OF AMERICAN ART

The Reynolda Quartet is set to ignite the stage this spring at Reynolda House, presenting a captivating program spotlighting the brilliance of Dvořák and Beethoven at critical junctures in their careers. The Reynolda Quartet, comprising esteemed faculty artists from the School of Music, was established in 2019 through a collaboration between two of Winston-Salem’s cultural pillars: Reynolda House Museum of American Art and UNCSA.