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Tales of the Neural Tango! ALecture & Performance Workshop to Celebrate the

Art and Science of Music

Featuring

Martha Summa-Chadwick Lecturer & Pianist

Sunday - March 22, 2015 3:00 PM Cadek Recital Hall

The Program

Today's workshop/performance is a unique celebration of both the aesthetic and therapeutic value of music. While much is known about how music influences mankind on a hedonic level, little is generally known about how music is actually experienced in the brain and how music can be specifically directed to help actually rebuild neural networks that may be damaged due to to disease or accident. Today's event seeks to bridge this gap in the form of an artistic event to raise awareness of the benefits of music in a therapeutic setting through lecture and experiential performance.

Biomedical music techniques are researched and developed at Colorado State University's (CSU) Center for Biomedical Research in Music. Unlike traditional music therapy based on social sciences, biomedical music techniques are evidence-based protocols that show how music can promote actual brain plasticity for those persons affected with motor, speech, or cognition challenges such as stroke, autism, or Parkinson's disease.

The Lecturer

Martha Summa-Chadwick has achieved an extensive reputation as educator, presenter, performer, and advocate for the cause of music in therapy. She has performed in roles of piano and harpsichord soloist with orchestras across the country and is currently on the faculty of the Cadek Conservatory of the University of TN in Chattanooga, Tennessee. She holds a Bachelor of Music degree from the Hartt School of Music, a Master of Music degree from the University of TN at Chattanooga, and a Doctorate of Musical arts degree from the University of Kansas and has completed both Basic Training and Fellowship Training at Colorado State University's Academy of Neurologic Music Therapy.

For the past decade, Martha has explored facets of how music can be utilized for therapeutic as well as aesthetic ends. She is a frequent guest speaker at both national and regional conferences discussing the use of biomedical music techniques with challenged children. Martha is currently the Executive Director of the non-profit organization, Music Therapy Gateway In Communications (MTGIC), Inc., and through the non-profit she has also established a series of both chamber and solo concerts to help educate the audience in an overview of biomedical music protocols in practice. For more information about these organizations, see back of program.

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Brief Introduction......"The Science of Biomedical Music"

Music and Cognition

Brain Plasticity of Neural Networks Using Music and Rhythm

Piano Sonata op. 31, no. 3 in Eb Major Ludwig Van Beethoven Scherzo. Allegretto Vivace.

How Music Can Be Utilized for Individuals with Attention Disorders

Waldszenen, op. 82

Robert Schumann

Herberge (Wayside Inn) Vogel als Prophet (Prophet Bird) Abschied (Farewell)

Music and Speech

Use of Music as a Therapeutic Addition to Speech Techniques

Widmung Schumann / Liszt

Music and Sensory Processing

Le baiser de l'Enfant-Jésus (from the Vingt Regards)

Olivier Messiaen

INTERMISSION

Music and Motor Issues

Music and Therapeutic Instrument Musical Performance Strategies

Fantastic Dances. Op. 2

Loris Tjeknavorian

Allegro con fuoco

Danse Lyrique

Danse d'extase

Music and Gait Training

Tango dances

Astor Piazzolla

Contrabajeando

Invierno Porteño

Milonga del Ángel

La Muerte del Ångel

For More Information

For details about MTGIC and the work Martha is doing, please visit the website www.mtgic.org or Martha's personal website, www.marthasumma.com. Additional information about the CSU Center for Biomedical Research in Music can be found at cbrm.colostate.edu. For general information about music therapy, go to the American Music Therapy website, www.musictherapy.org.



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