

ROBERT SIROTA

COMPOSER

PAST CONCERTS: 2017

Thursday, January 12, 2017

University of North Texas College of Music | Denton, TX

Robert Sirota is a featured presenter at University of North Texas College of Music's faculty retreat.

Sunday, January 22, 2017 at 4pm

National Sawdust | Brooklyn, NY

Bridging the Gap series, curated by Robert Sirota

Featuring composers and performers from Yale School of Music, including Aaron Jay Kernis, Michael Gilbertson, Martin Bresnick, and Balint Karosi. Pre-concert discussion at 3:15pm discussion with the composers.

Sunday, January 29, 2017 at 3pm

Blue Hill Concert Association | Blue Hill, ME

The American String Quartet performs Robert Sirota's *American Pilgrimage*.

Sunday, March 5, 2017 at 7pm

National Sawdust | Brooklyn, NY

Bridging the Gap series, curated by Robert Sirota

Featuring music and conversation with Philip Glass, John Zorn, and Paola Prestini, moderated by Steve Smith.

Tuesday, March 14 - Wednesday, March 15, 2017

UNL Glenn Korff School of Music | Lincoln, NE

Residency at UNL Glenn Korff School of Music

Robert Sirota's residency includes a composers forum, private lessons, and the world premiere of *Elegy for a Lost World* by violist Jonah Sirota on March 15.

Wednesday, March 15, 2017 at 7:30pm

UNL Glenn Korff School of Music | Lincoln, NE

The Flowering Viola

Violist Jonah Sirota and others perform work by Holst, Clarke, Loeffler, Bruch, Martinu, and the world premiere of Robert Sirota's *Elegy for a Lost World* for viola and piano.

Saturday, March 18, 2017 at 7pm

Queen of the Hudson | Newburgh, NY

Pieces of Eight

Flutist Martha Cargo and cellist Ben Larsen perform eight new works for flute and cello from their *Pieces of Eight* commissioning project, including Robert Sirota's *Broken Places*.

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Sunday, March 19, 2017 at 3pm
Copland House at Merestead | Mt. Kisco, NY
The Life of Birds

Featuring music by Mason Bates, Lukas Foss, Tawnie Olson, a group of early 20th century songs, and Robert Sirota's *Birds of Paradise*.

Sunday, March 26, 2017 at 4pm
St. Mary Gate of Heaven R.C. Church | Queens, NY
Music at the Gate

Featuring Robert Sirota's *Broken Places* performed by flutist Martha Cargo and cellist Ben Larsen.

Thursday, April 13, 2017 at 2:30pm
Carnegie Mellon University | Pittsburgh, PA
Composers Forum

Composers Forum at Carnegie Mellon University featuring Robert Sirota.

Wednesday, April 19, 2017 at 7:30pm
California State University, Northridge | Northridge, CA
Jonah Sirota at CSUN

Violist Jonah Sirota performs Robert Sirota's *Elegy for a Lost World* for viola and piano.

Friday, April 21, 2017 at 7:30pm
Church of Saint John the Evangelist, Guild Hall | Newport, RI
Springtime for Cello and Flute

Featuring Robert Sirota's *Broken Places* performed by flutist Martha Cargo and cellist Ben Larsen.

Sunday, April 30, 2017 at 7pm
National Sawdust | Brooklyn, NY
Bridging the Gap series, curated by Robert Sirota

Featuring music and conversation with composers from the Yale School of Music: David Lang, Paul Kerekes, Hannah Lash, Daniel Schlosberg, Chris Theofanidis, and William Gardiner.

Sunday, May 28, 2017 at 3pm
St. John's Episcopal Church | Brooklyn, NY
Concerts on the Slope

Featuring violist Jonah Sirota in the New York premiere of Robert Sirota's *Elegy for a Lost World* for viola and piano.

Sunday, June 4, 2017 at 7pm
National Sawdust | Brooklyn, NY
Bridging the Gap series, curated by Robert Sirota

Featuring music and conversation with Robert Sirota and two of his mentees: Jonathan Bailey Holland and Angel Lam.

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Sunday, June 11, 2017

Simms Auditorium | Albuquerque, NM

Chamber Music Albuquerque

The American String Quartet performs Robert Sirota's *American Pilgrimage*.

Saturday, June 17, 2017

Eaux Claires Music Festival | Eaux Claire, WI

Paul Simon with y Music

Paul Simon and yMusic perform Robert Sirota's new arrangement of Simon's *America*.

Friday, June 23, 2017

Puffin Foundation | Teaneck, NJ

Featuring violinist Laurie Carney and pianist David Friend in Robert Sirota's Sonata No. 2, "Farewell" for violin and piano.

Friday, July 21, 2017 at 7:30pm

Bowdoin College, Studzinski Recital Hall | Brunswick, ME

Bowdoin International Music Festival

Featuring Robert Sirota's *Birds of Paradise* with flutist Linda Chesis.

Thursday, July 27, 2017

Mizzou International Composers Festival | Columbia, MO

Three Nocturnes, on drawings by Simon Dinnerstein

Alarm Will Sound performs the world premiere of its commission for Robert Sirota: *Three Nocturnes*, based on drawings by Simon Dinnerstein.

Thursday, August 10, 2017 at 8pm

Harris Concert Hall | Aspen, CO

Aspen Music Festival

The American String Quartet performs Robert Sirota's *American Pilgrimage*.

Saturday, September 30, 2017 at 5:30pm

Sunday, October 1, 2017 at 5:30pm

Arthur Bell Auditorium | Taos, NM

American String Quartet at Taos Chamber Music Group

American String Quartet performs Robert Sirota's *American Pilgrimage*.

Tuesday, October 24 - Thursday, October 26, 2017

Samford University | Birmingham, AL

Residency at Samford University

Robert Sirota teaches and presents to student composers at Samford University.

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Sunday, October 29, 2017 at 3pm

St. John's Episcopal Church | Brooklyn, NY

Concerts on the Slope

Chamber music program featuring Robert Sirota's string quartet *American Pilgrimage*, plus works by Tania León and Brahms.

Thursday, November 9 - Friday, November 10, 2017

University of Missouri-Kansas City | Kansas City, MO

Residency at University of Missouri-Kansas City

Robert Sirota teaches and presents to student composers at UMKC.

Saturday, November 11, 2017 at 7:30pm

Palladium Musicum: An Evening of Traditional Music from Persia

St. Bede's Chapel | Greenwich, CT

Featuring music and discussion with Shahab Paranj, percussion and Sohrab Pournazeri, kamancheh and tanbur. Developed and curated by Robert Sirota.