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Education

2016	Doctor of Musical Arts	Stony Brook University, The State University of New York, USA
	Thesis: Analysis of the first movement of Beethoven's Piano Sonata in c minor, Op. 10, No. 1 after Hepokoski's and Darcy's "Sonata theory" and Schenker	
2011	Artist Diploma studies (enrolled)	University of Montreal, Canada
2009	Master of Music	The Juilliard School, USA
	Gina Bachauer Award and Full Scholarship	
	Munz Chopin Award and Full Scholarship	
2007	Bachelor of Music	Curtis Institute of Music, USA
	Yvonne Durian Full Scholarship	

Academic Appointment

Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong

2018-Present Assistant Professor of Piano

Courses taught: Applied Piano Lessons

Multiple undergraduate piano majors each semester. Individual weekly lessons and studio performance class. Preparation for student recitals, juries, and competitions, and preparing students for the successful pursuit of a career in classical music. Active participation attending student auditions, juries, and degree recitals. Mentorship of highly motivated students and being active in recruiting talented students.

MUSI4025/4026/4027 Special Topics in Music I, II, III
(Piano Seminar)

Teaching students how to gain comprehensive knowledge of the keyboard literature. Teaching to examine the different styles of each period, recognize representative works, and demonstrate their accumulated knowledge of the piano literature. Style and performance practice, score analysis, expression, technique, and the art of listening and evaluating. Topics include the lives of the composers with an emphasis on being familiar with their distinctive styles and most significant compositions.

MUS7350 Piano Pedagogy

Providing a variety of tools to develop students' professional teaching skills and prepare students to be a successful music teacher. Preparing students for a fulfilling career in piano teaching and focus on modern pedagogical concepts of piano teaching and performance. Prospective piano teachers will be introduced to various methods of teaching core concepts in the areas of piano technique, the production of piano sounds both percussive and lyric, the fundamentals of piano pedalling, practice techniques, memorization techniques, the management of performance anxiety, and effective utilisation of parental support.

GDAR1056 General Music Education

(Music of Our Lives: Understanding and Enjoying the Musical Arts)

Guide students becoming educated and active music listeners of Western and Asian music representative of a wide range of music literature primarily from 1700 to the present. The course emphasizes the development of an understanding of musical characteristics and artistic elements reflective of the music of Asia, Europe, and the Americas. Students will gain insights into the place and role of music in diverse cultural and historical contexts.

Supervisor to senior students' Honours Projects

- i. The literary influence of Jean Paul's *Die Flegeljahre* on Robert Schumann's *Carnaval*, Op. 9
- ii. The interpretation & analysis of Beethoven's *Piano Sonata*, Op. 109
- iii. The analysis on Beethoven's *Pastoral Sonata*
- iv. Images in Debussy's *Preludes*: How Debussy implies images in his preludes and how should a performer execute the images/ideas of his music
- iv. Investigating the Romanticism in Rachmaninoff's music

Bilkent University, Turkey

2017-2018

External Artistic Events Coordinator

Responsibility

Initiating interest in developing the Erasmus Program (European Student/Faculty Exchange Program).

Serving as the primary coordinator for organising and monitoring external artistic events.

Coordinating and monitoring weekly Chamber music concerts at the University Library. Communicating with groups and their coaches, and reviewing programs.

2015-2018 Assistant Professor of Piano and Chamber Music
2015-2018 Keyboard Literature
2015-2018 Auxiliary Piano
2015-2018 Chamber Music Coach
2015-2018 Career Development Seminar

Lambda School of Music and Fine Arts, Montreal, Canada

2010-2011 Lecturer of Piano

The State University of New York, Stony Brook, New York

2009-2010 Teaching Assistant

Professional Appointment

Space International Music Festival

2020-Present Regional Artistic Director

Steinway & Sons Award in the Middle East

2018-Present Founder, Jury President

Istanbul International Piano Festival, Turkey (previously Bilkent Piano Festival)

2018-Present Founder, Artistic Director

Promoting and publicizing the festival internationally. Developing the festival programming in keeping with its mission and budget, coordinating the management of marketing, operations, and logistics.

Executing artistic programming to enhance the festival's reputation for artistic success for the future. Building a positive relationship with the press and media.

Managing the behind the scenes of the festival by working with university, community, sponsors, and staff. Building relationships sponsors.

Visiting Professor in Music Festivals :

2020 Lunigiana International Online Music Festival, Italy
2019 Lunigiana International Music Festival, Italy
2019 Music Fest Perugia, Italy

2019	Shanghai FaceArt International Music Festival, China
2018	Istanbul International Piano Festival, Turkey
2017	Amica International Piano Festival, Italy
2016	New York University Piano Summer Intensive, USA
2016	Amalfi International Music Festival, Italy

Scholarly/Creative/Professional Work

I. CDs & Spirio Recordings

Sep 2020 Han, Y. Hollywood Romance: Compact disc (70 min) with liner notes. Universal Music Group, 2020 (DU42217)

Two piano transcriptions by Y. Han
Inner notes by Y. Han

An album of classical piano pieces that have been featured in the soundtracks of major motion pictures. From the earliest days of the movie industry, through the Golden Age of Hollywood, to today's international film scene, music by the great classical composers has always been an essential component of cinematic success. The album features 13 tracks that were originally written (or transcribed) for piano and then featured in some of the most beloved Hollywood movies ever released. Rachmaninoff and Gershwin from the program are transcribed by Y. Han.

Apr 2019 Han, Y. Reynaldo Hahn: Le Rossignol Eperdu: Poèmes pour Piano. Double Compact disc (120 min) with liner notes. Steinway & Sons, 2019 (SS30108)

The album is the only the 3rd complete recording, in the history of the recording industry, of Hahn's *Le Rossignol Eperdu (Bewildered Nightingale): Poèmes pour Piano*. A set of 53 short piano pieces: Première Suite, Orient, Carnet de voyage, and Versailles. The collection can also be seen as a travel journal kept by a sensitive and sentimental melancholic. 'Bewildering' certainly describes the range of poets, paintings, and places that inspired Hahn, as well as the sheer variety of these 'Poèmes pour Piano'. The CD, a rare collection of complete *Le Rossignol Eperdu* illustrates Hahn's unique musical style is a deft amalgam of other French composers; Massenet, Fauré, Mompou, and Debussy.

It is the only few albums recording with Steinway's innovative Spirio technology: uses laser technology to record the velocity of the hammers striking the strings.

July 2019 Gloriosa Piano Trio. LeFrak, Piazzolla, Saint-Saens, Wiprud: Piano

Trios. Compact disc (52 min) with liner notes. Centaur Records, 2019 (CRC3744)

World Premiere recording of commissioned pieces:
Gloriosa, LeFrak., *Vinea Gloriosa*, Wiprud.
Inner notes by Y. Han

The Gloriosa Trio is named after the flower, Lily, and the works on this album are original compositions and commissioned compositions by Y. Han. The commissioned two works translate the organic beauty of the flower into the music, and are markedly different interpretations of their floral subject. The 3 movements of LeFrak's *Gloriosa* captures the life cycle of a flower; *I. Life*, *II. Dormancy*, *III. Rebirth*, and Wiprud's *Vinea Gloriosa* describes the improbable Lily that grows in wild profusion in tropical climes.

Nov 2017 Anderson & Roe Piano Duo., Deveau, D., Farkas, G., **Han, Y.**
Compact disc with liner notes. Liszt on Steinway, Steinway & Sons,
2017 (SS008)

The disc features Han's recording of Liszt's transcription of Wagner's *Liebestod* and Schubert's Lieder.

Aug 2017 Anderson & Roe Piano Duo., **Han, Y.**, Khristenko, S., Lin, J., Lu, S.,
Perez, V., Rangell, A. Compact disc with liner notes. Steinway Piano
Chillout, Steinway & Sons, 2017 (SS001)

The disc features Han's recording of Liszt's transcriptions of Schubert's Lieder, and Friedman's transcription of Gluck's *Orfeo and Euridice*.

July 2017 **Han, Y.**, Lin, J., Paremski, N. Prokofiev on a Steinway. Compact disc
with liner notes. Steinway & Sons, 2017 (SS009)

The disc features Han's recording of Prokofiev's *Romeo and Juliet*.

Feb 2017 Han, Y. Granados: Goyescas. Compact disc with liner notes.
Steinway & Sons, 2017 (30067)

To remark the composer Granados's 100 year of his death, the complete *Goyescas* was recorded by Steinway records. Inspired by the art of eighteenth century painter Francisco Goya, *Goyescas* is a masterpiece of the composer.

Feb 2014 Han, Y. Love and Longing. Compact disc with liner notes. Steinway
& Sons, 2014 (30030)

The 13-track recording includes works by Late Romantic Era composers as Liszt's transcriptions of Schubert's lieder, Granados' *Goyescas*, Prokofiev's *Romeo and Juliet*, and Liszt's transcription of Wagner's *Libestod* as well as the world premiere recording of a new piece written for Han by composer Theodore Wiprud titled *El Jaleo*. which is inspired by John Singer Sargent's

paintings.

WQXR Album of the Week
Classical Billboard Top Chart 20

May 2013 Han, Y. Albeniz, Bach-Busoni, Haydn, Granados, Liszt: Piano Works. Compact disc with liner notes. Concert Artists Guild, 2013 (VEC105)

This debut disc contains Godowski's transcription of Albeniz's *Tango*, Busoni's transcription of Bach's *Chaconne*, Haydn's *English Sonata*, and Liszt's *La Campanella*.

2013-Present Steinway Spirio Catalogue Recordings (see attached catalogue)

II. Concerts

A. Solo recitals/Chamber music concerts

- Feb 27, 2020 Solo recital, California State University, Northridge, USA
Solo piano performance of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Feb 25, 2020 Solo recital, Noontime Concert, California, USA
Solo piano performance of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Jan 14, 2020 Chamber music concert, Korean Cultural Center, Hong Kong
Chamber music performance (70 min) of Brahms and Shostakovich Cello Sonatas with Siwon Park (HK Sinfonietta player).
- Nov 5, 2019 Chamber music concert, Hong Kong Sinfonietta, Hong Kong
Chamber music performance (30 min) of Shostakovich Piano Trio Op. 8 with Minyu Yang and Chang Pei-Chieh (HK Sinfonietta players).
- Nov 4, 2019 Solo recital, Chinese University of HK, Hong Kong
Solo piano performance (45 min) of Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 27, 2019 Solo recital, Steinway Hall Beijing, China
Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works at the opening concert of Beijing's new Steinway Hall.
- Oct 26, 2019 Solo recital, Steinway Hall Beijing, China
Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han),

- Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 20, 2019 Chamber music concert, The Harvard Club of NYC, New York, USA
Solo and chamber music performance (90 min) of Faure Piano Trio Op. 120 and transcriptions of Sicilienne, Pavane, and Après un rêve (rearranged by Y. Han) with Gloriosa Piano Trio.
- Oct 19, 2019 Solo recital, Steinway Hall, Connecticut, USA
Solo piano performance (90 min) of Chopin, Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 18, 2019 Solo recital, The Parrish Museum of Arts, New York, USA
Solo piano performance of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 16, 2019 Chamber music concert, The Morgan Library & Museum, New York, USA
Solo piano performance (20 min) of commissioned three piano pieces; *El Jaleo* (2013), *Fumée d'Amber Gris* (2016), and *Lady Macbeth* (2017), inspired by an American painter, Sargent, written by Wiprud. Chamber music performance (50 min) of Faure *Piano Trio Op. 120*, and premiered Y. Han's transcriptions of Faure's *Sicilienne*, *Pavane*, and *Après un rêve* with Gloriosa Piano Trio. Demonstrating how art forms illuminate one another and featuring the images of works by Fauré's portraits to be projected over the stage as an art historian offers commentaries and identifies characteristics that can be heard translated into music. The concert took a place at the Morgan Library in New York City where the original artworks of John Singer Sargent and Gabriele Faure were presented during the special exhibition of Musical Portraits.
- Oct 11, 2019 Solo recital, California State University, Sacramento, USA
Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 10, 2019 Solo recital, Washington County High School Theater, Georgia, USA
Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 9, 2019 Solo recital, Emory University, Georgia, USA
Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 8, 2019 Solo recital, Georgia South Western State University, Georgia, USA
Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 7, 2019 Solo recital, Oxford College, Georgia, USA

- Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 6, 2019 Solo recital, Stars of Steinway, Idaho, USA
- Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- Oct 4, 2019 Solo recital, Downtown Piano Works, Maryland, USA
- Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven (rearranged by Y. Han), Hahn, Saint-Saens, Godowsky's solo piano works.
- July 18, 2019 Solo recital, Lunigiana International Music Festival, Italy
- Solo piano Performance (30 min) of Gluck, Hahn, Granados, Debussy's solo piano Works
- July 10, 2019 Solo recital and lecture, Shanghai FaceArt Institute of Music, China
- Solo piano performance (15 min) of Granados' solo piano Work. Lecture (90 min) on "Spanish Keyboard music: *Goyescas* by Granados" followed by a performance of the sociopolitical keyboard composition of the 20th Century in Spain, *Goyescas*. The lecture contents include the interaction between social classes, social culture environments, domination, hierarchy, jealousies, and rivalries in music. Explain about the incarnation of the dispute between the lowers and upper classes struggle in composer Granados' time in Spain.
- May 17, 2019 Solo recital and Spirio demonstration, Steinway Haus, Hong Kong
- Solo piano performance (60 min) of Gluck, Hahn, Granados, Debussy's Solo Piano Works.
- May 7, 2019 Solo recital, Le French May Arts Festival, Korean Cultural Center, Hong Kong
- Solo piano performance (90 min) of Gluck, Hahn, Granados, Debussy's solo Piano Works at the Korean Cultural Center of Hong Kong presented by Le French May Arts Festival: the largest cultural event in Asia. The concert was the first instrumental recital presented at the Korean Cultural Center of HK. Supported by Steinway & Sons, and the Korean Embassy of HK, the recital was also the Asian premiere of *Le Rossignol Eperdu* by Reynaldo Hahn.
- Apr 30, 2019 Chamber music concert, Hong Kong Sinfonietta lunch time concert series, Hong Kong
- Chamber music performance (35 min) of Brahms Piano Trio Op. 87 with Siwon Park, Minyu Yang (Hong Kong Sinfonietta players).
- Apr 24, 2019 Solo recital, Bangkok Grace International School, Bangkok, Thailand
- Solo piano performance (90 min) of Gluck, Hahn, Granados, Debussy's solo

- piano works.
- Apr 23, 2019 Solo recital, Siam Auditorium, Yamaha Ratchadapisek Music School, Bangkok, Thailand
- Solo piano performance (90 min) of Gluck, Hahn, Granados, Debussy's solo piano Works.
- Apr 13, 2019 Solo recital, Charles Avery Fisher's Salon Concert Series in New York, USA
- CD release recital (120 min) of complete *Le Rossignol Eperdu*.
- Apr 12, 2019 Solo recital, Harvard Club of NYC, New York, USA
- Solo piano performance (90 min) of Gluck, Hahn, Granados, Debussy's solo piano works.
- Apr 11, 2019 Solo recital, New Jersey City University, New Jersey, USA
- Solo piano performance (90 min) of Beethoven's *God Saved the Queen*, Liszt's *La Marseillaise*, and Beethoven's *9th Symphony* (Ode to Joy); transcribed by Franz Liszt for solo Piano, and rearranged by the performer. This was the premiere performance of the rearrangement. The program involves the performance of a concert illustrating the cross-fertilization of classical music and the European Union's anthem. This research is to create, perform, record, and document a program of piano music that would illustrate, for the professional music community and the general public, the fruitful relationship that has existed for centuries between national anthems and classical music.
- Apr 4, 2019 Solo piano performance (Hong Kong Premiere), 21st Century Keyboard Conference, Hong Kong
- Hong Kong premiered Kennedy Wong Visiting Professor George Tsontakis' *Ghost Variations* (17 min) at The Keyboard in the 21st Century Conference, HKBU.
- Mar 31, 2019 Chamber music concert, Hong Kong Academy of Theater, Hong Kong
- Chamber music concert (35 min) of Brahms *Piano Quartet* with Richard Bamping (HK Philharmonic Principal Cellist) and fellow HKBU faculty members; Patrick Yim and Born Lau.
- Mar 9, 2019 Chamber music concert, Free Space at West Kowloon Cultural District, Hong Kong
- Chamber music concert (30 min) of Kreisler and Chen Yi's music with HKBU faculty member; Patrick Yim to promote Chinese and Western composer's classical Music in West Kowloon district.

2018 Gangnam Civic Center Concert Hall, S. Korea
2018/17/16/15 The Harvard Club of NYC, New York, USA
2017 Presidential Symphony Concert Hall, Ankara, Turkey
2017 Steinway Hall, New York
2017 Amica Piano Festival, Italy
2017 San Giacomo Festival, Italy
2017 Korean Embassy, Washington D.C., USA
2017 California State University Sacramento, California, USA
2017 Kosciuszko House, New York, USA
2017 Emory University, Georgia, USA
2017 Parrish Arts Museum, New York, USA
2016 Rio Grande Theater, New Mexico, USA
2016 Western New Mexico University, USA
2016 American Cancer Society, New York, USA
2016 Harvard University, Massachusetts, USA
2016 Boston University, Massachusetts, USA
2016 Amalfi Coast Music Festival, Italy
2016 New Jersey City University, New Jersey, USA
2016 Bilkent Concert Hall, Ankara, Turkey
2016 French Embassy, Washington D.C., USA
2016 Turkish Embassy, Washington D.C., USA
2016 Austrian Embassy, Ankara, Turkey
2015 Piano Forte Foundation, Illinois, USA
2015 Philippines Cancer Society, Manila, Philippines
2015/14 Meisel Gallery, New York, USA
2015/14 German Embassy, Manila, Philippines
2014/11/07 Dame Myra Hess Series, Illinois, USA
2014 The Legal Aid Association, New York, USA
2014 Salk Institute, California, USA
2014 Max Planck Institute, Florida, USA
2014 Flagler Museum of Palm Beach, Florida, USA

2014 University of North Florida, USA

2014 Shorter University, Georgia, USA

2013 Frick Collections, New York, USA

2013 Concertgebouw, Amsterdam, Netherlands

2013 Schouwburg Odeon, Netherlands

2013 Taqa Theater De Vest, Netherlands

2013 Steinway Hall World Tour (in conjunction with Fulbright Foundation) Hamburg, New York, Munich, Dusseldorf, Frankfurt, London, Miami, Boca Raton, San Francisco, and Pasadena

2012 Berlin Philharmonie Main Hall, Germany

2012 Hervormde Kerk, Netherlands

2012 Korean Embassy, Washington D.C., USA

2012/07 Phillips Collection, Washington D.C., USA

2012/11 Terrace Theater, Kennedy Center, Washington D.C., USA

2012 London Philharmonic American Friends, New York, USA

2003 Alice Tully Hall, Lincoln Center, New York, USA

2011 American Cancer Society, Journey of Hope Gala, USA

2011 Bergamo Festival, Italy

2011 Walton Center of Arts, Arkansas, USA

2011 Steinway Gallery Verona, Italy

2011 Tanglewood Festival BUTI Artists Series, Massachusetts, USA

2011 Salle Cortot in Paris, France

2011 Frankfurt Bechstein Gallery, Germany

2010 Alice Tully Hall, Lincoln Center, New York, USA

2010-16 Polish Consulate, New York, USA

2009 Aronoff Center, Ohio, USA

2007 Helsinki Music Centre, Finland

2007 Weill Hall at Carnegie Hall, New York, USA

2007 Finlandia Hall, Finland

2006 Dudley Recital Hall, University of Houston, Texas, USA

2006 Auditorium, University of Florida Gainesville, Florida, USA

2005 Museum of Modern Arts, Texas, USA
2005 San Rocco Theater, Italy
2003 Alice Tully Hall, Lincoln Center, New York, USA
2003 Villa Vertramka Mozart Museum, Czech Republic

B. Soloist with orchestra (selected)

Aug 13, 2019 Brunensis Virtuosi Orchestra, Italy
(Saint-Saens Piano Concerto, Op. 22)

June 28, 2019 Harbin Symphony Orchestra, China
(Saint-Saens Piano Concerto, Op. 22)

2018 Gangnam Symphony Orchestra, S. Korea
(Grieg Piano Concerto, Op. 16)

2017 Eskisehir Municipality Symphony Orchestra, Turkey
(Rachmaninoff Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini, Op. 43)

2017 Presidential Symphony Orchestra, Ankara, Turkey
(Rachmaninoff Piano Concerto, Op. 18)

2016 Ridgewood Symphony Orchestra, New Jersey, USA
(Gershwin Rhapsody in blue)

2016 New Amsterdam Symphony Orchestra, New York, USA
(Rachmaninoff Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini, Op. 43)

2016 Ridgewood Symphony Orchestra, New Jersey, USA
(Gershwin Rhapsody in blue)

2015 Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra, New York, USA
(Chopin Piano Concerto, Op. 11)

2014 New Jersey Festival Orchestra, New Jersey, USA
(Gottschalk Grande Tarantelle for Piano and Orchestra)

2013 Santa Cruz Symphony Orchestra, California, USA
(Beethoven Piano Concerto, Op. 37)

2013 Palo Alto Chamber Orchestra, California, USA
(Mozart Piano Concerto, K. 488)

2013 Boca Raton Symphony Orchestra, Florida, USA

- (Beethoven Piano Concerto, Op. 19)
- 2013 Arkansas Philharmonic Orchestra, Arkansas, USA
(Gershwin Rhapsody in blue)
- 2013 North Mississippi Symphony Orchestra, Mississippi, USA
(Gershwin Piano Concerto in F)
- 2012 New York Concert Artists Symphony, New York, USA
(Chopin Piano Concerto, Op. 21)
- 2012 Philharmonic of Southern New Jersey, New Jersey, USA
(Liszt Concerto S. 125, No. 2)
- 2012 Fort Smith Symphony, Arkansas, USA
(Gershwin Rhapsody in blue)
- 2011 Artosphere Festival Orchestra, Arkansas, USA
(Liszt Piano Concerto, S. 124, No. 1)
- 2011 Berliner Symphoniker, Germany
(Beethoven Piano Concerto, Op. 58)
- 2011 Avanti Symphony Orchestra, Washington D.C., USA
(Beethoven Piano Concerto, Op. 58)
- 2010 Meridian Symphony Orchestra, Mississippi, USA
(Prokofiev Piano Concerto, Op. 26)
- 2008 Fort Collins Symphony Orchestra, Colorado, USA
(Liszt Totentanz, S. 126)
- 2008 Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra, USA
(Beethoven Piano Concerto, Op. 73)
- 2008 Jefferson Symphony Orchestra, Colorado, USA
(Mozart Piano Concerto K. 467)
- 2007 Helsinki Philharmonic Orchestra, Finland
(Liszt Piano Concerto, S. 124, No. 1)
- 2007 Shreveport Symphony Orchestra, Mississippi, USA
(Rachmaninoff Piano Concerto, Op. 30)
- 2005 Pottstown Symphony Orchestra, Pennsylvania, USA
(Rachmaninoff Piano Concerto, Op. 18)

- 2003 Juilliard Pre-College Symphony Orchestra, New York, USA
(Mozart Piano Concerto, K. 482)
- 1999 Yewon Symphony Orchestra, S. Korea
(Beethoven Triple Concerto, Op. 56)
- 1999 Seoul Philharmonic Orchestra, S. Korea
(Beethoven Piano Concerto, Op. 37)

C. Chamber Music

Collaborations with: Canadian Brass, Alexander String Quartet, Gloriosa Piano Trio, Juilliard Graduate Resident Quartets: Attacca Quartet, Aeolus Quartet, Verona Quartet, New York Philharmonic Principal Players, Baltimore Symphony Orchestra Principal Players, Tchaikovsky International Violin Competition Prize Winners, Metropolitan Opera Lindemann Young Artist Program. Collaborate pianist at American Friends of Kronberg Academy (2011-14).

III. Masterclasses

- Aug 2020 Lunigiana International Online Music Festival, Italy
- Aug 2019 Chopin Etudes Op. 10 & Op. 25 Workshop, Music Fest Perugia, Italy
- Aug 2019 Music Fest Perugia, Italy
- Aug 2019 Hong Kong International Music Competition for Young Pianists, HK
- Nov 2019 China Conservatory, China
- July 2019 Lunigiana International Music Festival, Italy
- July 2019 Shanghai FaceArt International Music Festival, China
- Apr 2019 Seoul Arts High School, S. Korea
- Apr 2019 Incheon Arts High School, S. Korea
- Mar 2019 Shanghai FaceArt Institute of Music, China
- 2018 Global Art Foundation, S. Korea
- 2018 Xinghai Conservatory of Music, China
- 2018 Istanbul International Piano Festival, Turkey
- 2018 Indiana University, USA
- 2017 Berklee College of Music, USA
- 2017 Longy School of Music, USA
- 2017 Boston University, USA

2017	Amica Piano Festival, Italy
2017	Steinway Hall of New York, USA
2017	Baruch College of City University of New York, USA
2017	California State University Sacramento, USA
2016	New York University Piano Summer Intensive, USA
2016	Harvard University, USA
2016	Boston University, USA
2016	Amalfi Coast Music Festival, Italy
2016	Steinway Hall of Washington D.C., USA
2016	State University of New York, USA
2014-19	New Jersey City University, USA
2014	San Francisco Conservatory, USA
2014	Shorter University, USA
2014	Steinway Gallery, Manila, Philippines
2013	College of Williams & Mary, USA
2013	University of North Dakota, USA
2012-16	Fulbright College of University of Arkansas, USA

IV. Lectures

Aug 2, 2020	Lunigiana International Online Music Festival, Italy Effortless Piano Playing Sharing the knowledge on preventing and resolving injury and developing healthy techniques. The joy of practicing is the liberation of physical stress, and the joy of performing on the stage is effortless playing. Addressing the technical issues and demonstrating to achieve both at the highest levels; how to practice effectively, and perform free from stiffness and tension.
Nov 20, 2019	Shanghai FaceArt Institute of Music, China Effortless Piano Playing
Oct 16, 2020	The Morgan Library & Museum, USA Musical Portraits Demonstrating how art forms illuminate one another and featuring the images of works by painting artists to be projected over the stage as an art historian offers commentaries and identifies characteristics that can be heard

translated into music.

Oct 10, 2020

Emory University, Georgia South Western State University, Parrish Museum, USA

National Anthems and Classical Sources

National anthems and classical music are usually thought of as separate and distinct musical categories. However, several national anthems, especially those of the European countries, are based on musical themes drawn from the classical canon; and, conversely, several well-known classical pieces are variations on national anthems or incorporate passages from those anthems.

July 5, 2019

Shanghai FaceArt International Music Festival, China

Spanish Keyboard Literature

Presenting 18-20th Century Spanish Keyboard compositions inspired by works of visual art, and the antecedent of an opera, and as a work that transforms Spanish Folk melodies into an idiom. Discussing how Spanish keyboard music has taken its rightful place in the classical canon and provides the pianist with both the inspiration and latitude for unique interpretation.

2018

Istanbul International Piano Festival, Turkey

Career Development Conference

With Barrett Hipes (Associate Dean, The Juilliard School), Rachel Christensen, (Director, Career and Entrepreneur Center, The Juilliard School), Sean Hickey (Senior-Vice President in Sales and Business Development, Naxos Records), Matthew Oberstein (Vice President, Opus 3 Artists)

An informative conference creating an artist's portfolio, forming a chamber music group, finding freelance work, learning about networking and booking concerts, and marketing and publicity. Teaching students to explore music career options, professional networking strategies, and promotional tips. Helping students to draft preliminary artistic and career plans, and gain insight into the music industry, amass literacy with the business concepts, and sharpen their networking skills to find their pursuit of a successful career in teaching.

2018

Indiana University, USA

Goyescas by Granados

Introducing the sociopolitical composition of the 20th Century in Spain, Goyescas, reflects the interaction between social classes, culture environments, domination, hierarchy, jealousies, and rivalries in music. Explaining the incarnation of the dispute between the lowers and upper classes struggle in composer Granados' time in Spain.

2017

Harvard University, USA

Arts into Music into Performance

With Richard Beaudoin (Professor of Composition, Harvard) and Theodore Wiprud (Vice President in Education, New York Philharmonic)

World Premiere performance and seminar of the trilogy of works inspired by American painter John Singer Sargent by 21st Century composer Theodore Wiprud.

2017 Berklee College of Music, USA

Arts into Music into Performance

With Richard Carrick (Professor of Composition, Berklee College of Music)

2017 Baruch College of The City University of New York, USA

Arts into Music into Performance

With Gail Levin (Professor of Art History, CUNY), Theodore Wiprud (Vice President in Education, New York Philharmonic)

2017 Longy School of Music, USA

Arts into Music into Performance

With Theodore Wiprud (Vice President in Education, New York Philharmonic)

2017 Boston University, USA

Arts into Music into Performance

With Theodore Wiprud (Vice President in Education, New York Philharmonic)

2016 Bilkent University, Turkey

Arts into Music into Performance

With Theodore Wiprud (Vice President in Education, New York Philharmonic)

V. Commissioned, Rearranged, and Premiered Works

Jan 2020 Summer Piano Concerto. LeFrak. (Commissioned)

Nov 2019 Paraphrase on Deutchiland. Distler. Steinway Hall Beijing. (Commissioned, World Premiere)

Oct 2019 Sicilienne, Pavane, and Après un rêve. Han. The Morgan Library and Museum. (Rearranged, World Premiere)

July 2019 Gloriosa. LeFrak. Compact disc with liner notes. Centaur Records.

- (Commissioned, World Premiere)
- July 2019 Vinea Gloriosa. Wiprud. Compact disc with liner notes. Centaur Records. (Commissioned, World Premiere)
- Apr 4, 2019 Ghost Variations. Tsontakis. Hong Kong Baptist University. (Hong Kong Premiere)
- 2017 Miss Ellen Terry as Lady Macbeth. Wiprud, Harvard University. (Commissioned, World Premiere)
- 2017 Fumée d'Amber Gris. Wiprud. Baruch College of The City University of New York. (Commissioned, World Premiere)
- 2016 New Yorker Trio. LeFrak. The Harvard Club of New York City. (Commissioned, World Premiere)
- 2016 Ombre d'été. LeFrak. Steinway Hall of New York. (Commissioned, World Premiere)
- 2013 El Jaleo. Wiprud. Compact disc with liner notes. Steinway & Sons. (Commissioned, World Premiere)

VI. Adjudications

- Aug 2020 Lunigiana International Music Festival Online Competition, Italy
- Aug 2020 Education and Youth Affairs Bureau of Macao audition for Young Musicians, Macao
- June 2020 Steinway & Sons Piano Competition, Thailand
- June 2020 Steinway & Sons Piano Competition, Singapore
- Sep 2019 Steinway & Sons Piano Competition, HK
- Aug 2019 Lunigiana International Music Festival Concerto Competition, Italy
- Aug 2019 Hong Kong International Piano Competition for Young Pianists, HK
- Mar 2019 Association of Mainland and Hong Kong Youth Music Competition, Hong Kong
- 2018 Yamaha Scholarship Competition, Xinghai Conservatory of Music, China
- 2018 Steinway & Sons Award, Istanbul Piano Festival, Turkey
- 2017 United States Open Music Competition, California

2016	Nuova Coppa Pianisti International Competition, Italy
2015-18	Bilkent Symphony Orchestra Concerto Competition, Turkey
2012	New York Concert Artists Concerto Competition, New York

HONOURS, GRANT, AWARDS, AND PRIZES

Research

2019	Hong Kong Arts Council Emerging Artists Scheme
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Teaching

2019	Teaching Excellence Award, Hong Kong International Piano Competition for Young Pianists, HK
2019	Teaching Excellence Award, Hong Kong Maestro Music Piano Competition, HK

Performance

2011	1st Prize, Washington International Piano Competition, USA
2011	1st Prize Fulbright Concerto Competition, USA
2011	Laureate, Recontre International Piano Competition, France
2011	Finalist, Artur Benedetti Michelangeli Prize, Italy
2011	4th Prize, Valencia / Paterna International Piano Competition, Spain
2010	Keyboard Trust Award, Brazil Santa Catarina International Competition, Brazil
2009	1st Prize, Gawon International Music Society Competition, S. Korea
2009	Semi-finalist, Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, USA
2008	1st Prize Cincinnati World Piano Competition, USA
2008	1st Prize Juilliard Gina Bachauer Piano Competition, USA
2007	5th Prize Helsinki Maj Lind International Piano Competition, Finland
2007	1st Prize, Buono & Bradshaw International Piano Competition, Italy
2007	2nd Prize, Juilliard Munz Chopin Competition, USA
2006	1st Prize Nena Wideman Piano Competition, USA
2005	2nd Prize, Youngest Contestant Prize, Audience Prize, Concorso Pianistico Internaziale Ettore Pozzoli, Italy

2005	1st Prize, Kosciuszko Chopin Competition, USA
2003	1st Prize, Music Teacher National Association Competition, USA
2003	Finalist, Eastman Young Artists Competition, USA
2002	1st Prize, Juilliard Frederich Nordmann Piano Competition, USA
2001	1st Prize, Juilliard Mozart Concerto Competition, USA
2000	Most Promising Young Artist Award from the Korean Cultural Ministry, S. Korea
2000	Grand Prize, Korea National Music Competition, S. Korea
2000	Finalist, Missouri Southern International Piano Competition, USA
Awards	
2014	Brava! Award, Italian Academy Foundation, USA
2011	Keyboard Trust Award, United Kingdom

SERVICE (2018-20)

Department

I. Committee, Supervision

2018-Present	BA Music Programme Management Committee Mentorship to Bachelor of Arts students BA Final Exam Jury Panel BA, MA Entrance Audition Jury Panel
2019-Present	BA Admission Committee

II. Concert Curation

Nov 2019	Planning 15 piano students at HKBU performing L.v. Beethoven's five piano concertos to celebrate the 250th year of his birth
Mar 2020	Planning a chamber music concert featuring HKBU students at the Korean Cultural Center, HK
Apr 2019	Curating 17 Piano students at HKBU performing Frederic Chopin's piano music to commemorate the 170th year of his death

Mar 2019 Organising the chamber music concert by student chamber ensembles at HKBU at the Korean Cultural Center of Hong Kong. The first chamber Music concert presented at KCC

III. Piano Workshop Coordination

Designing ‘Piano Performance & Repertoire’ workshop four hours per semester to increase opportunities for piano students to study with guest professors. Guest professors (part-time faculty at HKBU) in 2018-19 include: Warren Lee, Kawai Chan, Cherry Zhang, Stephen Wong. 2019-20 include: Raymond Young, Kiu Tung Poon

IV. Trip to Japan

Dec 2019 A visit to Japan to select Yamaha CFX pianos for the Department’s use for concerts and instruction

Faculty

2019-Present Arts Faculty Newsletter Editorial Committee

Apr 2019 Masterclass and presentation about HKBU Department of Music at Seoul Arts High School, Incheon Arts High School, and Global Arts Foundation, S. Korea

Professional / Community

I. Performance

2018 Benefit concert for autistic children, Els Foundation, USA

2016 Benefit concert, American Cancer Society, USA

2015 Benefit concert, Philippine Cancer Society, Philippine

2014 Benefit concert, The Legal Aid Society, USA

2014 Fundraising concert, London Philharmonic American Friends, USA

2011 Fundraising concert, New York Concert Artists & Association, USA

2011 Benefit concert, Journey of Hope Gala, American Cancer Society, USA

II. Concert Curation

Sep 22, 2019 Executing and curating New York debut concerts for Steinway Prize winners at Istanbul Piano Festival at Steinway Hall in New York, and

Harvard Club of NYC, USA

- May 22, 2018 Executing and curating Turkey solo recitals of Steinway Prize winners at Istanbul Piano Festival at Mozart Haus, Turkey
- Mar 8, 2019 Executing and curating Turkey's Eskisehir Municipality Symphony Orchestra concert at Water Arts Center, S. Korea. Supported by both Daegu city, Korea and Eskisehir city, Turkey's municipality, the Korean Embassy of Turkey, and the Korean Cultural Center of Ankara to celebrate the 60th year of diplomatic relations of two countries. S. Korea premiere of a Turkish composer's orchestra piece
- Dec 12, 2018 Executing and curating concerto debut performance of Steinway Prize winners at Istanbul Piano Festival with Bilkent Youth Symphony Orchestra, Turkey
- Nov 30, 2018 Executing and curating S. Korea's Daegu MBC Symphony Orchestra concert in Turkey. Commissioned and premiered S. Korea composer's orchestra piece in Turkey.
- 2018 Curating student chamber music concert, Turkish American Association, Turkey
- 2018 Curating student chamber music concert, U.S. Embassy of Turkey
- 2018 Curating student chamber music concert, Austrian Embassy of Turkey
- 2018 Curating student chamber music concert, Korean Embassy of Turkey
- 2018 Curating student chamber music concert, Turkish Japanese Foundation, Turkey
- 2018 Curating student chamber music concert, Mozart Haus, Turkey

III. Artistic Committee

- 2020-Present Space International Music Festival, S. Korea
Regional Artistic Director
- 2018-Present Istanbul Piano Festival, Turkey
Founder, Artistic Director
- 2018-Present Steinway & Sons New York Debut Prize in the Middle East, Turkey
Founder, Jury President

IV. Visiting Professor at Music Festivals (Masterclasses and Lectures)

July 2020	Lunigiana International Music Festival, Italy
Nov 2019	Shanghai FaceArt Institute of Music, China
Nov 2019	China Conservatory of Music, China
Aug 2019	Music Fest Perugia, Italy
Aug 2019	Hong Kong International Music Competition for Young Pianists, China
July 2019	Lunigiana International Music Festival, Italy
July 2019	FaceArt Institute of Music International Music Festival, China
Apr 2019	Incheon Arts High School, S. Korea
Apr 2019	Seoul Arts High School, S. Korea
Apr 2019	Global Arts Foundation, S. Korea
Mar 2019	Shanghai FaceArt Institute of Music, China
Nov 2019	Global Art Foundation Intensive Music Camp, S. Korea
Nov 2019	Xinghai Conservatory of Music, China

V. Competition Jury Member/Masterclass

i. HK/China

Aug 2020	Education and Youth Affairs Bureau of Macao Audition for Young Musicians, Macao
Sep 2019	Steinway & Sons Piano Competition, HK
Nov 2019	Masterclass at China Conservatory, China
Nov 2019	Masterclass at FaceArt Institute of Music, China
Sep 2019	Steinway & Sons Piano Competition, HK
July 2019	Hong Kong International Piano Competition for Young Pianists, Hong Kong
Feb 2019	Association of Mainland and Hong Kong Youth Music Competition, Hong Kong
Nov 2018	Yamaha Scholarship Competition, Xinghai Conservatory of Music,

China

ii. International

Aug 2020	Lunigiana International Online Music Festival Competition, Italy
June 2020	Steinway & Sons Piano Competition, Thailand
June 2020	Steinway & Sons Piano Competition, Singapore
Aug 2019	Lunigiana International Music Festival Concerto Competition, Italy

TEACHING EFFECTIVENESS - ACHIEVEMENTS BY STUDENTS

- 2020 Honourable Mention for Outstanding Music Performance, Hong Kong Baptist University, HK
- 2020 Honour Roll, Honours Students Project Award, Hong Kong Baptist University, HK
- 2020 Acceptance (BM), Manhattan School of Music, USA
- 2020 3rd Prize, Hong Kong International Music & Arts Festival, HK
- 2020 Honours Project Recital, Hong Kong Baptist University, HK
(Rachmaninoff Piano Concerto Op. 30, Mendelssohn Piano Concerto, Op. 25, Moszkowski Piano Concerto , Op. 59)
- 2019 Solo recital, Steinway Prize winners at Istanbul Piano Festival, Steinway Hall in New York, and Harvard Club of NYC, USA
- 2019 Participation in the masterclasses at HK Baptist University of :
Kiu Tung Poon (Chinese University of Hong Kong)
Raymond Young (Hong Kong Baptist University)
Stephen Wong (Hong Kong Baptist University)
Cherry Tsang (Hong Kong Baptist University)
Warren Lee (Hong Kong Baptist University)
- 2019 1st, 2nd Prize, Hong Kong International Music Competition for Young Pianists, HK
- 2019 1st Prize, Hong Kong Maestro Music Piano Competition, HK
- 2019 2nd Prize, Hong Kong International Youth Performance Arts Festival, HK
- 2019 1st Prize, Macau Youth Piano Competition, Macau
- 2019 Concerto performance (5) with Brunenses Virtuosi Orchestra, Italy
(Beethoven Piano Concerto Op. 37, Op. 73, Chopin Piano Concerto Op. 11, Op. 21, Mendelssohn Piano Concerto Op. 25, Rachmaninoff Piano Concerto Op. 18)
- 2019 1st Prize, San Giacomo Prize, Lunigiana International Music Competition, Italy
- 2019 1st Prize, Agimus Grosseto Recital Prize, Lunigiana International Music Festival, Italy

- 2019 Winner, Piano Scholarship Audition, Lunigiana Music Festival, Italy
- 2019 Winner, Piano Scholarship Audition, Music Fest Perugia, Italy
- 2019 Solo recital, Young Artists Concert, Music Fest Perugia, Italy
- 2019 Performance, Chopin Etudes Workshop, Music Fest Perugia, Italy
- 2019 Solo recital, Rising Stars Concert, Lunigiana International Music Festival, Italy
- 2019 Participation in the masterclasses at Music Fest Perugia, Italy, of :
Jerome Lowenthal (The Juilliard School, USA)
Ursula Oppens (City University of New York, USA)
Arthur Greene (University of Michigan, USA)
Aleksander Polyakov (Boston Conservatory of Music, USA)
Masahiro Kawakami (Tokyo College of Music, Japan)
Ron Trachtman (Israel Conservatory of Music, Israel)
Alexey Sokolov (Tianjin Conservatory, China)
- 2019 Participation in the masterclass at FaceArt Institute of Music Summer Festival, China, of :
Jenny Chai (University of California Berklee, USA)
- 2019 Participation in the masterclass at the Lunigiana International Music Festival, Italy of:
Gabrielle Baldocci (Trinity College of London, UK)
- 2019 Participation in the masterclasses at Hong Kong Baptist University of :
Jura Margulis (Vienna University for Music and Performing Arts, Austria)
Boaz Sharon (Boston University, USA)
Corey Hamm (University of Vancouver)
Michael Shinn (Boston Conservatory of Music, USA)
- 2019 Solo recital, Mozart Haus, Turkey
- 2018 Performance with Bilkent Youth Symphony Orchestra, Turkey (Beethoven Piano Concerto Op. 19, Mozart Piano Concerto K. 488)
- 2018 1st Prize, Steinway & Sons Award at Bilkent Piano Festival, Turkey
- 2018 Acceptance (BM), Manhattan School of Music, USA
- 2018 1st Prize, Bilkent Symphony Orchestra Concerto Competition, Turkey, Performance with the Bilkent Symphony Orchestra (Mendelssohn piano Concerto, Op. 25)

- 2018 1st Prize, Eskisehir Municipality Symphony Orchestra Concerto Competition, Turkey. Performance with the Eskisehir Symphony Orchestra (Ravel Piano Concerto in G Major)
- 2018 1st Prize, Young Artist Award, Hudson Fine Arts Foundation, USA
- 2018 1st Prize, Young Artist Award, Fine Arts Performance and Scholarship Foundation, USA
- 2018 Participation in the masterclasses at the Bilkent University of :
Erik Tawaststjerna (Sibelius Academy, Finland)
Jura Margulis (Vienna University for Music and Performing Arts, Austria)
Jahye Kim (Union City Philharmonic Orchestra, USA)
- 2018 Solo recital, Mozart Haus Monthly Student Recitals, Turkey
- 2018 Chamber music concert, Korean Cultural Center, Turkey
- 2018 Chamber music concert, Turkish Japanese Cultural Center, Turkey
- 2018 Chamber music concert, Turkish American Associations Young Artists Concert, Turkey
- 2017 Acceptance, Interlochen Academy, USA
- 2017 Solo recital, AmiCa Piano Festival Young Artists Concert, Italy
- 1st Prize, Young Artist Audition
- Participation in the masterclasses of :
Sofia Gulrak (Royal College of Music, United Kingdom)
Tian Ying (University of Miami, USA)
Enrico Elisi (University of Toronto, Canada)
- 2017 Acceptance (BM), Longy School of Music, USA
- 2017 Acceptance (BM), Manhattan School of Music, USA
- 2017 Acceptance, Interlochen Academy, USA
- 2017 Acceptance, Chetham's School of Music, United Kingdom
- 2017 Acceptance (BM), Bilkent University, Turkey
- 2017 Chamber music concert, Mozart Haus, Turkey
- 2017 Chamber music concert, Korean Cultural Center Showcase Concert, Turkey
- 2017 Chamber music concert, Austrian Embassy, Turkey
- 2017 Chamber music concert, Yildiz Palace Museum Presidential Reception, Turkey

- 2017, 16 1st Prize, Eskisehir Municipality Symphony Orchestra Concerto Competition, Turkey. Performance with the Eskisehir Symphony Orchestra (Beethoven Piano Concerto, Op. 58)
- 2017 Participation in the masterclasses at Bilkent University of :
Stanislav Ioudenitch (Oberlin College and Conservatory, USA)
Enrico Eils (University of Toronto, Canada)
Therese Diette (Ecole Normale, France)
- 2017 2nd, 3rd Prize at Bursa Nilufer International Piano Competition, Turkey
- 2017 3rd Prize, Izmir Mozart Academy Piano Competition, Turkey
- 2017 Solo recital, Piri Reis University, Turkey
- 2016 1st Prize, Baden-Württemberg International Piano Competition, Germany
- 2016 1st Prize, Stockholm International Music Competition, Sweden
- 2016 3rd Prize, Nouva Coppa International Piano Competition, Italy
- 2016 Solo recital, Amalfi Coast Music Festival Young Artists Concert, Italy
- Participation in the masterclasses of :
Hee-Yun Choi (Seoul National University, S. Korea)
Michael Coonrod (Interlochen Academy, USA)
Enrico Elisi (University of Toronto, Canada)
Paul Barnes (University of Nebraska, USA)
- 2016 1st Prize, Is Sanat Young Artists Competition, Turkey
- 2016 Acceptance, Purcell School, United Kingdom
- 2016 Acceptance, Barenboim-Seid Academy, Germany
- 2016 1st Prize, Long Island International Piano Competition, USA
- 2016 1st Prize, Pera Istanbul International Piano Competition, Turkey
- 2016 Solo recital, Edna Golansky International Piano Festival, USA
- 2016 Semi-finalist, Adnan Saygun Piano Competition, Turkey
- 2016 Solo recital, Gümüşlük Piano Festival, Turkey
- 2015 Solo recital, Antalya Music Festival, Turkey
- 2015 Finalist, Bilkent Symphony Orchestra Concerto Competition, Turkey
- 2012 Graduate (BM) with the honour, University of Washington, USA
- 2009 Acceptance, Juilliard Pre-college, USA

