Carla Trynchuk and Chi Yong Yun, Faculty Recital

The Howard Center Presents... an evening of violin and piano featuring Department of Music professors on Saturday, January 28 at 7 P.M. Please stop in and visit the Box Office or call 888.467.6442 to purchase your tickets. Box Office hours are 1:30-5:30 Monday-Thursday, and 9:00-3:00 on Fridays.
New Assistant Manager at the Howard Center

Eileen McMillen, alum of Andrews University, joins the Howard Center today as the Assistant Manager. McMillen previously served as director of funding and strategic development for StoneBridge School in Chesapeake, Va.

Is there an artist you'd like to see in concert at the Howard Center?

Please reply to this email with any suggestions for upcoming concert seasons. We want to hear from you!

Ernie Haase and Signature Sound

Saturday, March 10, 2012 at 8 P.M. Gospel music's Grammy-nominated, Dove Award-winning quartet with 21st century ideas and timeless quality of great 1950's quartets.

Canadian Brass

Sunday, April 15, 2012 at 7 P.M. Boasting an international reputation as one of the most popular brass ensembles, Canadian Brass has four decades under their belt. With their fun-loving charisma, they bring genres of all types together - big band, Broadway, Renaissance and jazz just to name a few.
**Sinfonietta**
Saturday, February 4, 8 P.M. The Andrews University Sinfonietta, a smaller section of the Symphony Orchestra presents their winter concert under the direction of Claudio Gonzalez.

**Wind Symphony Pops!**
Saturday, February 11, 8 P.M. The Andrews University Wind Symphony presents their annual foot tapping and crowd pleasing Pops Concert, under the direction of Alan Mitchell. Details to come!

**February Second Sunday Concert**
Sunday, February 12, 4 P.M. The Second Sunday concert for February is Martha Cuncel-Vargas, flute and Richard Steinbach, piano.
Carla Trynchuk & Chi Yong Yun

Date: January 28, 2012, 7:00 pm
Contact: hpac@andrews.edu
Ticket Info: $10 General Admission | $5 Flex Series | $5 AU Faculty & Staff | Free to all students

Andrews University Department of Music professors Carla Trynchuk and Chi Yong Yun perform together in an evening of violin and piano pieces. A graduate of the Juilliard School, Ms. Trynchuk is the director of the string program at Andrews University.

Ms. Yun is the director of piano studies, and is also pursuing her Doctor of Musical Arts at University of Illinois Urbana - Champaign.

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Andrews University is pleased to announce Eileen McMillen as the new assistant manager of the Howard Performing Arts Center. This role was previously held by Erica Slikkers who, in Nov. 2011, was promoted to manager. McMillen’s official start date is Jan. 9, 2012.

"Eileen will be a powerful asset to the Howard Performing Arts Center,” says Slikkers. “She comes with experience in non-profit management, as well as a passion and respect for the arts.”

As assistant manager, McMillen will be responsible for volunteer coordination, event and concert management, as well as assist in a number of day-to-day management responsibilities for the 850-seat performance hall.

Prior to accepting the assistant manager position, McMillen had been working as director of funding and strategic development for StoneBridge School in Chesapeake, Va. She graduated from Andrews University with a Bachelor of Science in psychology in May 2009. Two years later, in May 2011, she completed her Master’s of Administration in International & Community Development.

During her time as a graduate student, McMillen worked with a number of non-profit organizations. She created a program evaluation of "Girls on the Run" for the United Way of Southwest Michigan and created a marketing plan for Neighbor to Neighbor, a Berrien Springs-based community service center and food bank. She also conducted an organizational evaluation for REACH International, an international child aid organization based in Berrien Springs.

"Music has always been a huge part of my life," says McMillen. She took piano lessons as a child and played flute in her high school band. As a child, she sang in choirs; as a high school student she sang in the elite performance group New Generation Singers at Forest Lake Academy in Fla.; and as an adult, she has played a leadership role in music at her church. McMillen counts performing as an alto soloist in a production of Handel's Messiah and being a member of the annual Candlelight Processional at Disney’s Epcot among the highlights of her musical experiences.

McMillen is a native of Sebring, Fla. She has been married since June 2011 to J.B. McMillen, a fellow Andrews alum who is currently serving as the young adult pastor for Redeeming Grace Fellowship Church in Chesapeake, Va. McMillen says she and her husband have two "furry" children, a cat and a dog.
Ernie Haase & Signature Sound
Date: March 10, 2012, 8:00 pm
Contact: hpac@andrews.edu
Ticket Info: $25 Reserved Seating Tickets | $20 Flex Series | $20 AU Faculty & Staff | $10 Students

Gospel music's Grammy-nominated, Dove Award-winning quartet brings 21st century ideas combined with the timeless quality of great quartets from the 1950's to take an unconventional approach to joyfully communicating God's word. You can count on a concert experience of rich music that is both meaningful and thoroughly entertaining. Founder, Ernie Haase has a history with the Cathedral Quartet. In 2003, he formed a group of like-minded men who share his love for God and great harmonies. Ernie, Devin McGlamery, Doug Anderson, and Ian Owens are Ernie Haase & Signature Sound.

http://erniesigsound.com/
Canadian Brass
Date: April 15, 2012, 7:00 pm
Contact: hpac@andrews.edu
Ticket Info: $35 Reserved Seating | $30 Flex Series | $10 AU Students | $30 Faculty/Staff

Boasting an international reputation as one of the most popular brass ensembles, Canadian Brass has four decades under their belt. With a discography of over 90 albums and an extensive world-wide touring schedule, Canadian Brass is an important pioneer in bringing brass music to mass audiences everywhere.

Current members include: founding member Chuck Daellenbach, tuba; Christopher Coletti and Brandon Ridenour, trumpets; Keith Dyrda, trombone; and Eric Reed, horn. With their fun-loving charisma, Canadian Brass brings genres of all types together–big band, Broadway, Renaissance and jazz to name just a few.

Friends Chuck Daellenbach and Gene Watts formed a brass quintet in 1970 which developed with new repertoire, creativity, and energy. Since then, Canadian Brass continues to thrill audiences around the world - and they don't look like they are letting up anytime soon!

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Sinfonietta Winter Concert
Date: February 4, 2012, 8:00 pm
Contact: hpac@andrews.edu
Ticket Info: $5 Adults, $3 Students & Seniors, Kids 12 & under free

The Sinfonietta presents their winter concert.
Wind Symphony Pops Concert
Date: February 11, 2012, 8:00 pm
Contact: hpac@andrews.edu
Ticket Info: $5 Adults, $3 Students & Seniors, Kids 12 & under free

The Wind Symphony presents a crowd favorite - their annual Pops Concert.
Martha Councel-Vargas, flute and Richard Steinbach, piano

Date: February 12, 2012, 4:00 pm
Contact: hpac@andrews.edu
Ticket Info: No Tickets Required

The Second Sunday Concert for February is a flute and piano performance by Martha Councel-Vargas and Richard Steinbach.