

## The Bay-Atlantic Symphony Performs at the Stockton Performing Arts Center

Pieces by Ravel, Barber, Strauss and Shubert Set for March 23 Concert

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**Galloway Township**, NJ- The Bay-Atlantic Symphony will perform selections by Ravel, Barber, Strauss and Shubert at the Richard Stockton College of New Jersey's Performing Arts Center on **March 23, 2014.** At 1 p.m., "Conversation with the Conductor," Jed Gaylin, will be held in the L-Wing Gallery.

Show time is 2 p.m. Tickets are \$32 thanks to a generous grant from PNC Arts Alive and may be ordered online at <u>www.stockton.edu/pac</u> or by calling the Box Office at (609) 652-9000. The Box Office is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 90 minutes before the performance.

The Bay-Atlantic Symphony is Stockton's Orchestra-in-Residence.

The orchestra will perform the following selections:

Life Cycles-3/22, 3/23

Maurice Ravel—Le Tombeau de Couperin

Samuel Barber—Knoxville: Summer of 1915

Jennifer Casey Cabot, soprano

Intermission

Richard Strauss—Selected Songs:

Wiegenlied (Lullaby)

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Muttertändelei (Mother's Dalliance)

Morgen (Tomorrow)

Jennifer Casey Cabot, soprano

Franz Schubert—Symphony No. 5

This rich program features Samuel Barber's masterpiece depicting American childhood. "Knoxville: Summer of 1915," set to text by American novelist James Agee. Ravel's exquisite "Tombeau de Couperin," portraying the same era, pays homage to friends lost in World War I. These two works act as the bookends of life. After intermission, romance is in the air with intoxicating love songs by Richard Strauss and Schubert's delicious Fifth Symphony.

For our patrons with special needs, the Stockton Performing Arts Center offers wheelchair accessible seating, large type programs, and listening assistive devices. Please identify any needs you may have when making a reservation.

The Stockton Performing Arts Center, the Jersey Shore's Center for the Arts, is located on the campus of The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey, on Jim Leeds Road in Pomona (Galloway Township). Just 12 miles west of Atlantic City, the Center is easily accessible from the Garden State Parkway and the Atlantic City Expressway.

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