

ENCUENTRO DE PIANISTAS COSTA RICA 2024

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**RECITAL**  
**Evocations:  
Memories in Sound**



**WAYNE GILREATH  
(Estados Unidos)**

**Música de  
Ola Gjeilo  
Valentin Silvestrov  
Yiruma  
Max Richter  
Jake Heggie  
Pēteris Vasks  
Eric Whitacre**

**Artista invitada: Stacy Chamblin**

**AUDITORIO SEDE DEL CARIBE  
UNIVERSIDAD DE COSTA RICA, LIMÓN  
SÁBADO 27 DE ENERO, 10:00 A.M.**

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**Entrada gratuita**

## PROGRAMA

### Evocations: Memories in Sound

...of New York City  
from The Stone Rose  
January  
Sidewalks  
April

Ola Gjeilo (n. 1978)

...of composers past  
The Messenger  
Moments of Chopin

Valentin Silvestrov (n. 1937)

...of time spent in nature  
The sunbeams...they scatter

Yiruma (n. 1978)

...of being loved  
On the nature of daylight

Max Richter (n. 1966)

Lucky Child \*

Jake Heggie (n. 1961)

...of an Alaskan childhood  
Balta ainava [White Scenery]

Pēteris Vasks (n. 1946)

Goodnight, moon \*

Eric Whitacre (n. 1970)

\* Artista invitada: STACY CHAMBLIN, mezzosoprano

## WAYNE GILREATH

Wayne Gilreath holds degrees in Piano Performance from the University of West Georgia and the University of Tennessee. His principal teachers were Mr. George Mann, Dr. Christy Lee, and Dr. David Northington. He serves as collaborative pianist for the University of West Georgia, where, since 2010, he has accompanied the choral ensembles, opera workshop, wind ensemble, percussion ensemble, numerous students, faculty, and guest artists. As a guest artist and alumni, he performed Grieg's Piano Concerto in A Minor with the UWG Wind Ensemble.

An active performer and teacher, Mr. Gilreath has been a member of The Music Teachers' National Association for many years. In 2018 and 2019, he presented a lecture recital titled "Listening for the Bells: The Piano Music of Arvo Pärt" at the Georgia Music Teachers' Association State Conference, the World Piano Conference in Novi Sad, Serbia, and the Encuentro de Pianistas at the University of Costa Rica in San Jose. Having a particular interest in Pärt's music, Wayne has performed all of Pärt's works for piano and organ. Wayne is excited to be playing a recital titled Evocations: Memories in Sound at the 2024 Encuentro de Pianistas in Limon, Costa Rica featuring modern works by Gjeilo, Silvestrov, Yiruma, Richter, Glass, Vasks, and Whitacre.

In the world of church music, Wayne began his position as Organist and Choirmaster at Douglasville First United Methodist Church in 2015. He is an active member of the Atlanta Chapter of the American Guild of Organists and has held two National Convention positions: Chair of Facilities for the 2020 Convention in Atlanta, Georgia and Chair of Exhibits for the 2022 Convention in Seattle, Washington. Wayne continues his organ studies with Sarah Hawbecker.