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DEPARTMENT of MUSIC

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MU Guitar Ensemble

**Saturday, October 16, 2010**

**Jomie Jazz Forum**

**12:30 p.m.**

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### Program

<i>Berimbau</i>		Jürg Kindle (b. 1960)
<i>Lotus Eaters</i>		Andrew York (b. 1958)
	MU Guitar Ensemble	Pedro' Silva Andrei Uller
	Jason Breslin Daniel Ferreira Michael Pitanniolo	
	Júlio Alves, Director	
<i>Seven Variations based on a Youthful Theme</i> for cello quartet		F. Lenz (b.1955)
	MU Cello Quartet	Josh Wassum Ezgi Karakuş
	Dean Pauley James Thompson	
<i>Elegy, Op.24</i>		G. Fauré (1845-1924)
	Özge İleri, cello Alanna Cushing, piano	
<i>Flow My Tears</i> <i>Fine Knacks for Ladies</i>		John Dowland (1563-1626)
	Pedro Silva, guitar Andrei Uller, guitar	
<i>Ronde des génies (Dance of the Blessed Spirits)</i> from <i>Orfeo et Euridice</i>		C. W. Gluck (1714-1787)
<i>Sonata for Arpeggione and Piano</i> (Arranged for cello and guitar ensemble) Adagio		F. Schubert (1797-1828) Arr. Şölen Dikener
<i>Kaamos for cello quartet</i> (Arranged for cello and guitar ensemble)		Apocalyptica Rock Cello Quartet

**Cello & Guitar Ensemble**  
Şölen Dikener & Julio Alves, conductors

Cellists:

Dean Cornell  
Sharon Fulks  
David Hey  
Özge İleri  
Ezgi Karakuş  
Dean Pauley

Elider diPaulo  
Rachel Satterfield  
James Thompson  
Josh Wassum  
Abby Weible

Guitarists:

Jason Breslin  
Daniel Ferreira  
Michael Pitanniolo

Pedro Silva  
Andrei Uller

**Biographies**

Özge İleri (b.1982) began her music education in 1993 at Hacettepe University State Conservatory, Ankara, Turkey with Tufan Tolga. During her education he worked with Çağlayan Ünal and graduated from the cello studio of Erdoğan Davran in June 2003. She has graduated from Marshall University M.A. Cello Performance program where she worked with Dr. Şölen Dikener and participated at the Marshall University ensembles, and she had chance to give many recitals at the university and graduated in May 2006. At the present time, Özge İleri is completed the D.M.A. cello performance program at University of Memphis where she studied in the studio of Leonardo Altino and she is in the process of writing her doctoral dissertation.

Alanna Cushing has earned degrees from Marshall University and Bowling Green State University. She has appeared as a soloist and collaborative artist throughout much of the midwest. Ms. Cushing has a strong interest in playing new music. She has premiered works by Kristen Kuster, Mark Zanter, Erik Lund, and Graham Lynch. This past March, Ms. Cushing participated in the 2010 Society of Composers National Convention, where she gave the world premiere of *Intermezzo* for prepared piano, by Jose-Luis Hurtado. Her most recent collaborative work includes recitals given with trombonist Michael Strocher, tubist George Palton, and soprano Marlayna Maynard. Ms. Cushing is also an active teacher and was invited to be a guest instructor at Bowling Green's Summer Music Institute in 2008. She recently returned to Huntington, WV and is currently teaching piano and theory at Marshall University.

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