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he Frederic Chopin Society is an international piano recital series serving the area surrounding St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minnesota. Concerts are held in the intimate setting of Mairs Concert Hall at Macalester College in St. Paul. Works of Chopin are often heard, but programs include a diverse range of piano music from over three centuries.

Our 2016-17 season presents five of the brightest rising stars in the piano world, each one a unique and passionate interpreter of great music. It is a special thrill for us to bring back the wonderful young British pianist Benjamin Grosvenor for his third appearance on our series.

Season tickets are available any time before the first concert on Oct. 9. Single tickets go on sale Aug. 15. Orders may be placed using the attached order form, or with PayPal on the Tickets page of our website. Many of our concerts sell out so it's a good idea to order early.

We invite you to learn more about each artist and program on our website and to join us at the concerts!

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#### Sunday, October 9 • 3:00 PM SERGEI BABAYAN

The Armenian-born powerhouse bestows sizzle and soul to works by Ryabov and Rachmaninoff and serves up a generous helping of Chopin mazurkas.





#### Sunday, November 13 • 3:00 PM FRANCESCO PIEMONTESI

Mozart, Liszt, and Schubert are illumined with meticulous expression and near-philosophical introspection by this acclaimed Swiss-Italian.



#### Sunday, February 12 • 3:00 PM **BENJAMIN GROSVENOR**

Expect pure magic when this British sensation applies his flawless musical instincts and sublime touch to Schumann, Mozart, Beethoven, Scriabin, Granados, and Liszt.

#### Sunday, April 2 • 3:00 PM **BEATRICE RANA**

Italy's 2013 Van Cliburn Silver Medalist conveys the intricate marvels and soaring spirit of Bach's Goldberg Variations.

#### Sunday, May 7 • 3:00 PM KATE LIU

The XVII International Chopin Bronze Medalist brings deft and beguiling artistry to sonatas of Mozart and Scriabin, nocturnes of Chopin, and Brahms Ballades.

#### 2016~2017 TICKET ORDER FORM

To purchase two season tickets or single tickets at the member price, membership must be at or above the \$60 level. For more than two season tickets or single tickets at the member price, membership must be at or above the \$75 level. Non-member tickets may also be purchased on our website using PayPal.

#### All tickets are for general admission.

#### SEASON TICKETS (ALL 5 CONCERTS)

	Price	Number	Total
FCS Member Season Ticket	\$95		\$
Non-Member Season Ticket	\$115		\$

#### SINGLE TICKETS (AVAILABLE AUG. 15)

FCS members save \$5 per ticket when purchasing or reserving in advance. Student prices are for full-time students 21 and under.

Concert	Single Price	Number	Total
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Oct. 9	\$25 / \$20 / \$15		\$
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