Faculty Recital featuring **Tanya Prochazka, cello**

One Cello, Many Voices

Friday, November 12, 1999 at 8:00 pm



Hall University of Alberta

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Department of Music University of Alberta

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Prelude in C Major for Solo Cello, Third Suite BWV 1009 (c.1720)

Andante in G Major (c.1813)

Caprices for Solo Cello, Op. 25 (1875) No. 1 in G Minor No. 7 in C Major

Requiem for Cello Alone (1979) (with amplification) Introit Qui Mariam Lacrimosa Libera Me Lux Aeterna Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

> Jean Pierre Duport (1741-1818)

> > Alfredo Piatti (1822-1901)

Peter Sculthorpe (b. 1929)

Intermission

Prelude from the Sixth Suite in D Major for Solo Cello, BWV 1012 (c. 1720)

Johann Sebastian Bach

Suite for Solo Cello, Op. 72 (1965) CANTO PRIMO, Sostenuto e largamente I. FUGA, Andante moderato II. LAMENTO, Lento rubato CANTO SECONDO, Sostenuto

III. SERENATA, Allegretto: pizzicato

IV. MARCIA, Alla marcia moderato

CANTO TERZO, Sostenuto

V. BORDONE, Moderato quasi recitativo

V1. MOTO PERPETUO E CANTO QUARTO, Presto

Cellist **Tanya Prochazka** has a remarkably varied international career as soloist, chamber musician, freelance player and teacher. Born in Melbourne, Australia, her music has taken her throughout the world including the rapids of the Colorado River with her cello. She pursued her studies at the Paris Conservatoire with Andre Navarra, and in Bloomington, Indiana with Janos Starker.

She gathered a number of prizes at prestigious competitions at the Australian Broadcasting Commission Concerto Competition, Cassado Competition in Florence, Italy, International Tribune in Czechoslovakia, semi-finalist at the Tchaikovsky Competition in Moscow, and the Suggia Prize in London. Her early professional activities took her to Vienna, Austria, where, as cellist of Ensemble I, she performed throughout Europe, the Middle East, South East Asia, and Australia. Her next port of call was London, England, where she settled and became very active throughout Britain as soloist, chamber musician, and freelance player. She performed regularly for the BBC in recitals and chamber music concerts. Tanya also taught at the Royal Academy of Music, and the Guildhall School of Music.

Since her arrival with her family in Edmonton, Canada, in 1986 Tanya has become one of Canada's leading cellists, performing widely as soloist and chamber musician, and broadcasting frequently on CBC radio. Tanya is also highly regarded as a cello teacher and pedagogue. Since 1987, she taught at the University of Alberta and at Alberta College, and in July 1998, Tanya was appointed Assistant Professor of Strings at the University of Alberta. In addition to her activities in Canada, Tanya continues her international performing and teaching career, most recently in Germany, Russia and Australia.

Tanya Prochazka is an active recording artist for the ATMA and ARKTOS labels. Her CD recording with pianist Stéphane Lemelin, "American Cello Masterpieces" for ATMA has received wide critical acclaim, as has the CD "Landsmal" for ARKTOS, of music by Grieg, with pianist Milton Schlosser and soprano Kathleen Lotz.

Upcoming Events:

12 Friday, 8:00 pm Faculty Recital Tanya Prochazka, cello One Cello, Many Voices. Program will include works by JS Bach, Britten, Duport, Piatti, and Sculthorpe.

14 Sunday, 8:00 pm Master of Music Recital Anita Ho, piano Program will include works by Scarlatti, Beethoven, Chopin, and Ravel. Free admission. Donations to the Cross Cancer Institute accepted at the door.

15 Monday, 12:00 pm Noon-Hour Organ Recital featuring organist Wendy Markowsky, University of Bloomington Program to be announced. Free admission

17 Wednesday, 6:00 pm The University of Alberta Symphony Orchestra Piano Concerto Competition Participants will present works by Brahms, Chopin, Mozart, and others, accompanied by second piano. The Winner will perform with the University Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Malcolm Forsyth, at their concert in the Winspear Centre for Music on April 9, 2000. Free admission. 19 Friday, 8:00 pm The University of Alberta Madrigal Singers Concert Leonard Ratzlaff, conductor Programwill feature Britten *Rejoice in the Lamb*, music by Mendelssohn, Poulenc and Tavener, and the release of the Madrigal Singers new Christmas CD. West End Christian Reformed Church 10015 - 149 Street, Edmonton

21 Sunday, 2:00 pm Faculty Recital Allison Storochuk, clarinet with Roger Admiral, piano Program will include works by Brahms, György, Lovreglio, Mandat, Davies, and Smith.

26 Friday, 8:00 pm *Music at Convocation Hall Series* featuring Johannes Brahms complete chamber music for piano and strings Stéphane Lemelin, piano Martin Riseley, violin Aaron Au, viola Tanya Prochazka, violoncello

28 Sunday, 8:00 pm Opera Scenes Harold Wiens, director Program to be announced.



Unless otherwise indicated

Admission: \$5/student/senior, \$10/adult Convocation Hall, Arts Building, University of Alberta **Please note**: All concerts and events are subject to change without notice. Please call 492-0601 to confirm concerts (after office hours a recorded message will inform you of any changes to our schedule).