# **Fan-Chen Huang**

Classical guitar

### Sundin Hall

Saturday, October 18th, 8 pm

## **Program**

Roland Dyens - Hommage a Villa-lobos

I. Calimazonie

II. Danse caractérielle et Bachianinha

III. Andantinostaglgie

IV. Tuhu –

J. S. Bach - Chaconne

Leo Brouwer - Sonata for Guitar

I. "Fandangos y Boleros"

II. "Sarabanda de Scriabin"

III. "La Toccata de Pasquini"

#### Intermission

Niccolo Paganini - Grand Sonata

I. Allegro risoluto

II. Romanza

III. Andantino Variato

Nicola Jappelli - Light Framework

W. Walton - Five Bagatelles

I. Allegro

II. Lento

III. Alla Cubana

IV. Sempre Espressivo

V. Con Slancio

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## **Biographical Note**

Classical guitarist Fan-Chen Huang was born in Taiwan in 1983 and began playing the guitar at the age of four. She gave her first public performance at age six, her first solo recital at eight, and won the teenage division of the International Guitar Competition "Abel Carlevaro" when she was nine. At 11, she received the gold medal in the adult division of the Concurso "Homenaje a R. Sainz de la Maza" as well as the "Taiwan Area Music Competition," the highest honor in Taiwanese music.

At 16, Huang won the bronze medal, while competing with adults, at the 42nd Tokyo International Guitar Competition. The next year, she was a finalist in that competition. In 2001 and 2003, she was a semifinalist in the Guitar Foundation of America (GFA) International Solo Competition. In 2003, she was a semifinalist in the Stotsenberg International Guitar Competition. She was a finalist in the GFA competition in 2002 and 2004. In 2006, she was one of fifteen artists selected to take part in the first Christopher Parkening International Guitar Competition.

Huang has given hundreds of performances since 1989. In addition to graduate studies with Scott Tennant of the internationally famous LA Guitar Quartet at the University of Southern California, she is active as a guitar teacher.

#### November events

**Next Sundin Hall Concert:** Sat, Nov 15th Prize-winning classical guitarist Pablo Sainz Villegas

Masterclass with Pablo Sainz Villegas co-sponsored by the MGS and MacPhail Center for Music on Sun, Nov 16th, 3 pm, at MacPhail's Antonello Hall. Visit < www.macphail.org>

**OpenStage** meeting: Sun, Nov 2nd, 2 pm Coffee Grounds in Falcon Heights

Local Artist Series concert: "Italian Virtuoso Music" Classical guitarist Steve Newbrough Sun, Nov 9th, 2 pm. Banfill-Locke Center for the Arts in Fridley

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