

Wednesday Noon Hours

Roy Barnett Recital Hall
January 25, 2023 | 12:00pm

Duo Concertante

Nancy Dahn *violin*, Timothy Steeves *piano*

Programme

Love in the Time of Covid: lotsistokwaron:ion (The Stars)
(2021)

Dawn Avery

The Garden of Earthly Delights
(2020)

Ian Cusson

Sonata in A Major for Violin and Piano

César Franck

- I. Allegretto ben moderato*
- II. Allegro*
- III. Ben moderato: Recitativo-Fantasia*
- IV. Allegretto poco mosso*

We gratefully acknowledge that we are gathered together for this performance on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territory of the Musqueam people.

Duo Concertante

For twenty-three years through live performances and acclaimed recordings, violinist Nancy Dahn and pianist Timothy Steeves have built an international career as artist and life partners in the Canadian chamber ensemble Duo Concertante.

Outstanding musicians, champions of new music, and visionary artistic directors, Nancy and Tim forge a musical legacy through live performances, recordings and a determination to provoke thought about our world through music.

Known for the passion and brilliance of their performances, critics have praised Nancy Dahn and Timothy Steeves' "artistry, poetry, and impeccable technique" (La Scena Musicale) and "deeply integrated performances that flow naturally as if the music were being created on the spot" (Gramophone).



Nancy and Tim's twelve commercial CDs include a 2011 JUNO award winner and the ECMA Classical Recording of the Year for 2017, 2018 and 2019. Their newest release of new Canadian works inspired by the climate emergency, *Ecology of Being* (Marquis Classics, March 2022), has been praised as "world-class...a powerful and deeply moving album" (WholeNote), and "wonderful music, superbly recorded... a balm for the soul" (Audiophilia). Fellows of the Royal Society of Canada, they hold John Lewis Paton Distinguished Professorships at Memorial University and are also Artistic Directors of the Tuckamore Festival. www.duoconcertante.com

Thank you for coming!

*Join us next week on **Feb 1** when we present **Echoes and Embers**
Featuring clarinetist **Jose Franch-Ballester** and pianist **David Fung**.
Music by Dorothy Chang, Mark Simpson, Peter Schickele, and more!*

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