

**David Felberg** violin  
**Gints Berzins** piano

Gints Berzins was born in Riga, Latvia and began piano playing at the age of four, entered music school at the age of five, and at eleven won the first prize at the International Competition for Young Pianists held in Vilnius, Lithuania. Gints has participated in numerous international festivals and for the last 10 years has been residing in New York where he has extended his talents to the opera world, doing extensive work as pianist for numerous opera houses in the US. including the Metropolitan Opera, New York City Opera, Dicapo Opera, Amato Opera. He's also worked with leading singers including Rene Pape, Dmitri Hvorostovsky, Anna Netrebko and many others. Gints has recorded three CDs presenting music of Chopin, Tchaikovsky and Mussorgsky and he currently is currently working on the six-CD set of the Complete Piano Sonatas of Mozart.

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**MUSIC WORTH TALKING ABOUT**

## **Violin Sonata No 21 in E Minor** K 304 (1778)

**Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart** (1756-1791)

I Allegro

II Tempo di Menuetto

## **Justin St. Germain** Poet

Justin St Germain is the author of *Son of a Gun*, a memoir, which was released in August by Random House and has been a *New York Times Book Review* Editors' Choice, *The Arizona Republic's* Book of the Month, a Barnes & Noble Discover Great New Writers selection, a *GQ Punch* List selection, an Oprah.com Book of the Week, and was included in Amazon's Best Biographies & Memoirs of 2013. He received his BA and MFA from the University of Arizona and was a Wallace Stegner Fellow in fiction writing at Stanford University. He is currently the Joseph M. Russo Chair in Creative Writing at the University of New Mexico.

## Celebration of Silence :: Two Minutes

## **Piano Sonata No 8 in A Minor** K 310 (1778)

**Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart** (1756-1791)

I Allegro maestoso

II Andante cantabile con espressione

III Presto

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## CHATTER **SUNDAY**

Sunday, February 23 @ 10:30am

**Krzysztof Zimowski** violin :: **Jacquelyn Helin** piano

Sergei Prokofiev *Sonata No 1 in F Minor*

Karol Szymanowski *Mythes: Three Poems for Violin & Piano*

Erika Wurth poet

## CHATTER **CABARET**

Sunday, April 6, 2014 @ 5pm

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Paraphrases of arias composed by  
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Music of Schnittke, Bach and Pärt.

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