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RAFFMA Concert Celebrates “The Big Apple”

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. – “I Love New York: The Big Apple, 1920-1960,” a concert hosted by the Robert and Frances Fullerton Museum of Art at Cal State San Bernardino, will be presented on Friday, March 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the museum.

With artists in the studio, on the stage and in the streets of Manhattan, New York City has always been a hotbed of artistic creativity and collaboration. Join soprano Jamie Chamberlain, baritone David Castillo, pianist Victoria Kirsch and RAFFMA director Eva Kirsch for cocktails and a concert celebrating the highs and lows of the Big Apple during the middle years of the 20th century from Harlem to Broadway to the Lower East Side.

RAFFMA’s concert series offers snap shots of places, times or themes, at the same time attempting to cross boundaries of time, mixing and matching different art forms of different periods.

“Music complements visual arts by offering additional dimensions or perspectives to that understanding,” said Eva Kirsch. “When paintings and sculptures reach the limitation of their expressive abilities, leaving us cold, music may come to the rescue, touching the inner strings other arts cannot.”

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About RAFFMA

The Robert and Frances Fullerton Museum of Art is a nationally recognized museum accredited by the American Alliance of Museums, a Washington D.C. based organization whose members must meet the highest standards in securing accreditation. It is the only accredited art museum in San Bernardino.

Over its 16-year history, RAFFMA has accumulated a permanent collection of nearly 1,200 objects focusing on Egyptian antiquities, ceramics and contemporary art. The museum houses the largest permanent and public display of Egyptian art in Southern California.

General admission to the museum is free. Suggested donation is \$5. Parking at Cal State San Bernardino is \$5 per vehicle.



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The museum is open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Thursday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.; and is closed Friday and Sunday. For more information, call (800) 527-7373 or visit the RAFFMA website at <http://raffma.csusb.edu>.

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