## FORBES CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

## JAMES MADISON UNIVERSITY.

School of Music

presents the doctoral recital of

# Aleksandra Velgosha, *piano*

# "The Farewell That Haunts Me Still"

Sunday, November 2, 2025 7pm Recital Hall



Patrons are reminded to turn off all pagers, cell phones, personal computers, and any other electronic devices.

The unauthorized videotaping or any other recording of this production is strictly prohibited in adherence with Federal copyright laws.

### **Program**

Sonata in B-Flat Major, D. 960 Franz Schubert
I. Molto moderato (1797-1828)

Nuages Gris, S. 199 Franz Liszt

(1811-1886)

Prelude: Hymn and Snowfall (2014) Eric Guinivan

(b. 1984)

Sonata in B-Flat Major, D. 960 Franz Schubert

II. Andante sostenuto

III. Scherzo. Allegro vivace con delicatezza

Two Paintings (2025) Sawyer Gage

I. Still Life (b. 1998)

II. Spirit in the Fields

Fragments (1917) Sergei Rachmaninoff

(1873-1943)

Sonata in B-Flat Major, D. 960 Franz Schubert

IV. Allegro ma non troppo

This recital is presented in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree of Doctor of Musical Arts.

Aleksandra Velgosha is from the studio of Dr. Gabriel Dobner.

#### Friends of the Arts and Design

Thanks to our generous Friends of the Arts and Design scholarship donors whose support allows our students to continue to create, perform, and inspire.

#### Arts and Design Hero (\$5,000+)

James McHone Jewelry • Ann & Mark Siciliano

#### Arts and Design Champion (\$1,500 - \$4,999)

Rubén Graciani & Matt Pardo • Hotel Madison • George and Marilou Johnson Kathy Moran Wealth Group • Mack & Towana Moore • Shannon Tierney

#### Arts and Design Advocate (\$500 - \$1,499)

John Allemeier • Beth Chandler Cahill & Jim Cahill • Nancy Davis • Matthew Duffy & Christine Jimenez-Duffy • Energy Windows LLC Jonathan Fox • Quillon Hall & Karin Tollefson-Hall • Holly Haney & Bob Kolvoord • Charles Ma & Sumei Wang • Matchbox Realty • Barbara & William Mayo • Ron Pugh • Scott & Wren Stevens • Debbie & Greg St. Ours •

Matthew & Sarah Von Schuch

#### Arts and Design Ally (\$250 - \$499)

Paul Ackerman & Weldon Bagwell • Elizabeth Alspaugh •
Jerry Benson & Martha Ross • Stephen Bolstad & Stephanie Wasta •
Robert & Suzanne Bothamley • Jared & Jenny Burden •
David & Jennifer Campfield • Jennifer Copeland • Myron Dickerson
Len & Miriam Discenza • Rhonda Dolan • Hillary Ellis
Joe & Rose Estock • Bob & Linda Failes • Johnny & Phyllis Garber •
John Keightley & Tammy Mannarino • Brenda & Ronald Krablin • JoAnn & Ric
Leobold • Kristi Lewis • Kathryn & Michael Loy • Brock Materson • Tom McKenzie
• Jamie & Tim Miller • Rebekah Noonan • Sharon Shewbridge • Barbara Shifflett •
Nick Swartz • Kristee Jo Trumbo • Cecelia Wolf • Melinda Wood

### Marlon Foster Scholarship How you can make a difference!

Dear Patron,

Thank you for attending this School of Music performance, we appreciate your support! The QR code below will take you to a page where you can donate to the Marlon Foster Scholarship. Marlon Foster ('82, '95) served in the United States Air Force, taught in Harrisonburg City Public Schools for 26 years, and taught percussion in the JMU School of Music. Marlon was awarded Teacher of the Year from Harrisonburg City Public Schools, and he was inducted into the Virginia Band and Orchestra Directors Association's Hall of Fame.

