ELENA MASHKOVSTEVA

Harpist Elena Mashkovtseva was born in Moscow, Russia. She grew up in a family of professional artists who encouraged and supported her interest in the arts from an early age.

Her grandfather, Nikolai Mashkovtsev was a renowned art historian, author and curator of the famous Tretyakov Gallery in Moscow. Elena began her musical studies at the age of five in a school for children gifted with musical talent. Her schooling continued until graduation from the Moscow Conservatory, where she studied with, and was mentored by world famous Russian harpist Vera Dulova. After graduating from the conservatory, Elena won first prize in the USSR harp competition. By this time she was already performing with several orchestras in Moscow.

In 1991 Elena moved to Mexico in order to become part of the Orquesta de Baja California, a new chamber ensemble formed by Eduardo Garcia Barrios. With immediate success in its home town, the orchestra continued on to tour all of Mexico. Elena and the orchestra recorded a CD titled Tango Mata Danson which was nominated for a Grammy award.

Elena moved to San Diego, California in 1997, where she became principal harpist with San Diego Chamber Orchestra Nova. During this period she was involved with recording music for motion picture sound tracks, as well as solo performances and chamber music concerts. Elena recorded Child Song with Chinary Ung for his album, which became the New York Times winner for classical CD in 2010.

Throughout her career, Elena has performed with many talented and world renowned musicians and performers including Placido Domingo, Luciano Pavarotti, Joshua Bell and Josh Groban. Currently Elena continues to perform with Orchestra Nova as principal harpist, as well as regular performances with the San Diego Symphony, San Diego Opera and Hutchins Consort. She is on the faculty at San Diego State University and teaches in her private studio.

ROBERT ZELICKMAN
Director / Conductor

Robert Zelickman, clarinetist, is a Lecturer of Music at UC San Diego where he has taught since 1983. In addition to teaching clarinet and performing contemporary music, Robert conducts the UCSD Wind Ensemble and lectures on Jewish Music. Besides his duties at the University, Robert can be seen in many other venues throughout the community. He was a member of Orchestra Nova San Diego for 23 years and has performed with the San Diego Symphony and the San Diego Opera. Robert is also well known throughout California as the co-director of the Second Avenue Klezmer Ensemble. Zelickman earned his BA at UCLA and a MFA at Cal Arts. He has studied with Hugo Raimondi, Michele Zukovsky and Ronald Rueben. Robert was Bass Clarinetist with the Mexico City Philharmonic (1978-1979) and the Vera Cruz Symphony (1980-1982).
Program

ROMAN CARNIVAL OVERTURE
Hector Berlioz

DANSES SACRED AND PROFANE
Claude Debussy
For Harp and Wind Ensemble
Arranged By John Wyman
Elena Mashkovseva Harp Soloist

FETES FROM THREE NOCTURNES
Claude Debussy

FUNERAL MARCH OF A MARIONET
Charles Gounod

CORTEGE DE BACCHUS
Leo Delibes
From Sylvia Ballet

Intermezzino

ORPHEUS IN DER UNTREWELT
Jacques Offenbach
Overture

SUITE FRANCAISE
Darius Milhaud
Normandie
Bretagne
Ile de France
Alsace-Lorraine
Provence

CROWN DIAMONDS OVERTURE
D.F.E. Auber

MARCHÉ MILITAIRE FRANÇAISE
C. Saint-Saëns
From Algerian Suite

Wind Ensemble

FLUTE
Valerie Chereskin
Jennifer Davis
Carmel Fiscko
Alex Forester (Piccolo)
Victoria Hall
Alice Harada
Kyle Johnson
Yi Na Kim
Maryjane Palmer
Jamie Toulze

OBOE
Sarah Dovi
Kathryn Ringrose (English Horn)
Stephanie Smith

BASSOON
Katherine Rimpau
James Swift

CLARINET
Leah Baum
Lynne H. Crick
Jon Crick
Jenimarie Dahl (Bass Cl.)
Alex Duran
Ana Friede
Abigail Gallegos
Stephanie Gates
Laura Hawkins
Eric Hsieh
Benjamin Hsu
Jay Kahn
Adrian Kinname (Eb)
Don Kowal
Lee Lallier (Bass Cl.)
Ashley MacIntosh
Sasha Mitrushina
Charlie Martyn
Grecia Pena
Duy Pham
Melinda Schneider
Alynn Sun
Lai Tat Szeto
Linda Thompson
Lisa Tulathimutte

SAXOPHONE
Andrew Bacong (Alto)
Lindsay Hickok (Tenor)

SAXOPHONE (continued)
Ryan Nafarrete (Alto)
Katherine Rimpau (Bari)
Junyou Yue (Alto)

HORN
Sumega Mandadi
David Ryan
Barry Toombs
Tim Toombs

TRUMPET
Lawrence Lee
Brian Marley
Sam Oberlies
Carl Privette
Chun-tse Shao
Hansveer Singh
Michael Yang

TROMBONE
Thomas Feick
Daniel Jio
Billy Lai
Timothy Ressler
Kirk Wang

EUPHONIUM
Thomas Butterweck

TUBA
Katia Anguiano
Ken Earnest
Yi Tian Fang
Albert Nguyen
Joseph Teresi

STRING BASS
Julia Dinwiddie

PERCUSSION
Beverly Dorcy (Timpani)
Carol Pelkner
Ramzy Saoud
Carol Pelkner

HARP
Elena Mashkovseva