



KANDINSKY TRIO
TWENTIETH SEASON



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A PEEK BEHIND THE SCENES

It's hard not to wonder how a trio of temperamental musicians could hold it together for twenty years. After all, two decades of touring, rehearsing and performing can't be easy. Think of all the notes they've played. "And it's not just the playing of the notes," violinist Benedict Goodfriend points out. "You have to play them in the right order."

"It's what our sophisticated audience has come to expect," adds cellist Alan Weinstein.

"And a goal *some of us* have yet to achieve," says pianist Elizabeth Bachelder.

The Kandinsky Trio 20th Anniversary Season at Roanoke College will be quite a celebration! Don't miss a year teeming with beloved masterpieces, old friends, new surprises, and genre-bending encores — all commemorating one of the most successful and longest artist residencies in the country. Help mark two decades and over a thousand concerts of high caliber chamber music. Each performance will include a favorite Beethoven trio. And there will be birthday cake at each reception.

20TH SEASON OPENER

Saturday, September 15, 8:00 p.m.
Olin Theater \$20/12
RC community complimentary

The Kandinskys relive their opening season 20 years ago with a repeat performance of Smetana's G minor Trio. Have they improved over time? Come decide as well as hear Beethoven's "Ghost" Trio in D major and Haydn's C major Trio.



MUSIC OF MIKE REID

Saturday, December 8, 8:00 p.m.
Olin Theater \$20/12
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This concert is underwritten
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The Kandinskys have always championed current composers such as Ellsworth Milburn, John D'earth, and Gunther Schuller: "13 Ways of Looking at a Blackbird", a favorite commission by multi-Grammy award-winner Mike Reid will be paired with a new work by Mr. Reid written to commemorate the Kandinsky's 20th season. Performing will be soprano Elizabeth Weigle, called "beautifully accurate and exciting" by the New York Times. Also performed will be the seminal "Archduke" Trio in B flat major by Beethoven.



BRAHMS G MINOR PIANO QUARTET WITH ROGER CHASE, VIOLA

Saturday, January 26, 8:00 p.m.
Olin Theater \$20/12
RC community complimentary

The Trio welcomes viola star Roger Chase for a performance of the Brahms Quartet in G minor. Mr. Chase has served as principal viola of both the St. Martins-in-the-Fields and the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra as well as recorded for EMI, Hyperion and Virgin Records. Mozart's E flat major Piano Quartet and Beethoven's "Kakadu" Variations round out the program..



THE TROUT QUINTET

Saturday, April 12, 8:00 p.m.
Olin Theater \$20/12
RC community complimentary

Old companions, bassist JB VanDemark and violist Lenny Schranze, team up with the Kandinskys again for the beloved "Trout Quintet" by Franz Schubert. Beethoven's Opus 1, #1 and Libby Larsen's "Four on the Floor" will also be performed. Professor of Double Bass at the Eastman School of Music, Mr. VanDemark is one of the most sought after bassists performing today. His chamber music collaborations include Yehudi Menuhin, the Cleveland and Guarneri Quartets, Andre Watts and Alfred Brendel. Mr. Schranze, Associate Professor of Viola at Memphis University is a member of the acclaimed Ceruti Quartet and is a recipient of the Gruber award given by Chamber Music America.





Benedict Goodfriend brings the timeless wonder of chamber music to a receptive student audience.



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Saturday, January 26, 2008 Olin Hall Theatre, 8:00 p.m.		\$15 \$10*	
Saturday, April 12, 2008 Olin Hall Theatre, 8:00 p.m.		\$15 \$10*	
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