

Pianist Federico Colli Performs October 30-November 2

Recorded Performance Launches Steinway Society's Home Concert Hall Series

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SAN JOSE, CA—Federico Colli, whose concerts have been broadcast live throughout Europe, will be the featured artist in the first performance of the Steinway Society - The Bay Area's new Home Concert Hall virtual series.

The concert will be available during a four-day performance window. Patrons will be able to view the recording as many times as they'd like during that period. Colli will give a short talk before the performance about his choice of pieces, while sharing information about his musical life and how he is faring during the pandemic. A recorded pre-concert lecture by Bay Area classical music expert Dr. Gary Lemco will also be available for viewers to download.

Colli achieved international prominence after winning both the 2011 Salzburg Mozart Competition and the 2012 Leeds International Piano Competition. He has concertized throughout Europe, Russia, Japan and the Americas. His two CDs have received wide acclaim.

Born in Italy, Colli has studied at the Milan Conservatory, the Imola International Piano Academy, and the Salzburg Mozarteum. In 2014, he was selected by International Piano magazine as one of the '30 pianists under 30 who are likely to dominate the world stage in years to come.'

WHO: Steinway Society - The Bay Area presents

WHAT: FEDERICO COLLI performs in the Steinway Society – The Bay Area HOME CONCERT HALL

WHEN: October 30-November 2, 2020

WHERE: Online, steinwaysociety.com

TICKETS/INFO: Single Tickets: \$20 per household; package of four concerts: \$60.

www.steinwaysociety.com or 408-300-5635

"His beautifully light touch and lyrical grace make the music shine." --The Daily Telegraph

"Colli brings out the joy of the pieces, taking the listener through adventures." --American Record Guide

PROGRAM:

Scarlatti, *Keyboard Sonatas*

- K19 in F Minor (Allegro)
- K430 in D Major (Non presto ma a tempo di ballo)
- K32 in D Minor (Aria, moderato)
- K1 in D Minor (Allegro)

Schubert, *Piano Sonata in A Minor, D. 784*

- Allegro giusto (A Minor)
- Andante (F Major)
- Allegro vivace (A Minor)

Beethoven, *Sonata No. 14 in C-sharp Minor "Quasi una fantasia," Op. 27, No. 2 ("Moonlight")*

- Adagio sostenuto
- Allegretto—Trio
- Presto

PHOTO:

Pianist Federico Colli launches Steinway Society – The Bay Area’s new Home Concert Hall season with music by Scarlatti, Schubert, and Beethoven. Performance available from October 30 to November 2nd.

See attached Photo © Sarah Ferrara

ABOUT US

Steinway Society - The Bay Area is a nonprofit organization based in Silicon Valley. Now in its 26th season, this dedicated group of musicians, pianists, teachers, and arts lovers promotes excellence in piano performance and music education. Each season, Steinway Society presents a series of classical piano concerts featuring international award-winning pianists, as well as an active school music program. For more information on season subscriptions, individual tickets, the artists, and Steinway Society, go to www.SteinwaySociety.com or contact (408) 300-5635.

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