

# Musical Arts International, Inc

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## An Evening of Piano Duet

With Jose Ramos Santana and Jose Caceres Danielsen

Saturday, March 12th, 2016 at 8 PM.

Latvian Lutheran Church, 400 Hurley Avenue, Rockville, MD 20850.

Free parking. Q&A time, Reception follows

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"Two brilliant pianists, Jose Ramos Santana and Jose Caceres Danielsen, inhabitants of a number of interesting and intersecting sound in world music, rhythms and harmonies spoke in all their colorful insistence and momentum.." (Washington Post).

A native of Puerto Rico, **José Ramos Santana** is one of the most acclaimed pianists of his generation. He is a top prize winner of the Gina Bachauer Competition. He performs a wide and diverse repertoire while being an acknowledged master of Spanish music. Mr. Ramos Santana has appeared as a guest soloist with New York Philharmonic, Royal



José Ramos Santana

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Philharmonic Orchestra of London, Detroit, Saint Louis, Baltimore, San Antonio, Rochester Philharmonic, 92<sup>nd</sup> Street Y The New York Virtuosi, Casals Festival, Puerto Rico, New Mexico, Sioux City, Utah and Syracuse, among many others. Additional solo performances include the Moscow Philharmonic Latin American tour, Orchestra of L'Hermitage of Saint Petersburg, Russia as well as collaborating with distinguished musicians and conductors such as Krzysztof Penderecki, John Adams, Dennis Russell Davies, Jerzy Semkow, Dimitri Kitaenko, Joseph Silverstein, cellist Arto Noras, violinist Gregory Zhislin, and pianist Vladimir Viardo. He is presently a piano faculty at Catholic University of America in Washington, DC..



José Cáceres

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A major prizewinner in numerous national and international competitions, **Jose Cáceres Danielsen** accolades include the Young Soloists' Competition of the National Symphony Orchestra, the Teresa Carreño Intl Piano Competition of Venezuela and the John F. Kennedy Center's Fellowships of the Americas National Program Award. With a repertoire that encompasses a wide array of styles – from Bach to the varied idioms of today's leading contemporary composers – Mr. Cáceres has brought to the forefront some of the most ambitious and challenging music of lesser-known contemporary Latin American composers. This interest was recognized with a grant from the Johns Hopkins University Latin American Studies Program, through the Ford Foundation, to further expand his knowledge of the repertoire. In conjunction with the Smithsonian Institution's exhibition – *Piano 300 years*—he was one of four pianists featured in a series of concerts exploring the Spanish and Latin American repertoire.

**Reservation and 2-concert discount tickets, please call 301-933-3715. Ticket: adult \$20, student/senior \$15**

**Program:** Original works for piano duet by Reynaldo Hahn, Carlos Guastavino, J. Brahms, Wim Statius Muller, Juan Morel Campos, and 2 Slavonic Dances by A. Dvorak.

10% discount on the concert day with tickets at Seven Seas Restaurant, 301-770-5020, Maria's Bakery & Café, 301-984-2228 in Rockville. Zen Sushi, 301-588-3588, Charm Thai, 301-495-6308 in Silver Spring, Thai Pad, 202-244-8424 in Washington DC. **Preview:** May 29, 3 pm, 2016 Trio Cloisonné, Karin Brown, viola, Marcia Kemper, flute and Jacqueline Pollauf, harp

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