



## PRESS ADVISORY: Network for New Music announces its 38th Season, a new board member, and new staff.

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Network for New Music's 38th Season begins on October 16th with a program called **Spotlight** at Settlement Music School. This concert connects Philadelphia's great community of music schools by weaving a thread through Settlement, Haverford, Curtis, Temple, and UPenn. Headlining the program is UPenn graduate, Professor Emeritus at Temple, and Philadelphia native Richard Brodhead with two new works. Also featured is guitarist and Curtis graduate Jiji, UPenn faculty Tyshawn Sorey's beautiful memento to James Primosch, and music by Brian Raphael Nabors.

Network continues its season with concerts around the Philadelphia region. **Spheres & Spectres**, February 26th at Rose Hall on UPenn's campus, features a premiere by Lukas Ligeti, Viet Cuong's music inspired by Michael Gard's sculptures, guided improvisations by Christopher Burns, and a premiere for solo cello by Richard Wernick for Network Ensemble musician Tom Kraines. **A Murmur in the Trees**, April 22nd at Awbury Arboretum, feature's Eve Beglarian's titular work for 24 solo bassists as well as a new commission by Lenape composer Brent Michael Davids. Finally, **Piano & Percussion** closes our season on May 7th at Settlement Music School with works by Vivian Fung, James Lee, and a composer from the Wildflower Composers Festival.

### Spotlight Tickets

*Additional performance: October 17th at Haverford College.*

Advance ticket sales: \$25 regular/\$20 senior/\$10 livestreaming/\$5 student

For more information about Network's 38th season, including additional performance dates, visit [networkfornewmusic.org/events](https://networkfornewmusic.org/events)

Network for New Music is also pleased to announce the addition of a new board member and a new staff person. New **Board Member Richard Quinn** joins Network as an experienced development consultant. "Richard's expertise has had an impact on nonprofits in a variety of sectors, including health and human services, education, housing, public interest law, women's rights, LGBTQ+ rights, animal welfare, heritage sites, and arts and culture." New **Media, Marketing, and Concert Production Associate Evan Kassof**

joins Network's staff as a versatile producer of contemporary music. He is a composer, conductor, opera maker, and sound artist working in Philadelphia and received his PhD from Temple in 2021.

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