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Daniel Dauber, saxophone

Katzin Concert Hall | March 19, 2023 | 7:30 p.m.

Program

Concerto Paul Creston I. Energetic II. Still III. Wild Hannah Creviston, piano **Images** David Biedenbender I. Deep II. Still III. Wild Joshua Pielemeier, piano Intermission Mai Ryo Noda Black Marc Mellits Dan Dauber, baritone sax

Calvin Wong, baritone sax

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Program Notes

Mai - Ryo Noda

At dusk of an Autumn evening,

As the moon reflects its silver light on the surface of the waves,

General Kiyotsun Taira plays his flute.

Standing at the bow of his ship,

He seizes his dagger and slices a braid(knot) from his head,

Places it by his feet,

And disappears into the sea.

At the threshold of his house,

The ghost of the Samurai appears.

Confronting him his wife asks:

"Why did you leave?"

"To save my army", he answered... "Because I knew in advance that the battle was lost, and thus, I saved the lives of my men and their families".

"And me", she said, "Did you think of me"?