

## Renowned pianist to give solo performance with Alfred University Symphony Orchestra

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ALFRED, NY – Award-winning pianist Lucy Mauro will solo with the Alfred University Symphony Orchestra on Friday, April 20, at 7:30 p.m. in the University's Miller Theater.

She will perform Mozart's Piano Concerto No. 25, K. 503 in C Major, with the Alfred University Symphony Orchestra. The orchestra is under the direction of Lisa Lantz, professor of music and chair of the Division of Performing Arts.

Mauro has received critical acclaim. Her recent recordings for Delos have been hailed in Gramophone, awarded a Recording of the Year 2011 by MusicWeb International, calling it "the revelation of the year", and featured on iTunes in their New and Noteworthy among other recognitions. Her most recent recording of *Mademoiselle: Première Audience – Unknown Music of Nadia Boulanger*, was recently nominated a Grammy.

She has performed and taught in Germany, Italy, Spain, Austria, China and throughout the United States. She made her concerto debut with the Dallas Symphony Orchestra at the age of 14, and is a graduate of the Peabody Conservatory, where she studied with Ann Schein and Julio Esteban. Her publications include *Essential Two-Piano Repertoire*, *Essential Keyboard Trios* and *Essential Piano Duets* from Alfred Publishing and *Master Singers: Advice from the Stage* (2015) from Oxford University Press, which includes interviews with many of today's top opera singers. She is an associate professor of piano at West Virginia University and member of The Recording Academy as a voting member for the Grammys.

In addition to the Mozart concerto, the orchestra will begin the program with Mozart's sublime Symphony 34, K. 338 in C major. The event is free and open to the public.