

School of Music

FACULTY ARTIST CONCERT SERIES

ROBERT HAMILTON

PIANO

KATZIN CONCERT HALL Friday, February 6, 1998 • 7:30 p.m.

PROGRAM

Sonata in D Major, Hob. XVI: 24

F.J. Haydn

Allegro Adagio

Finale: Presto

Suite, Opus 14

Allegretto Scherzo

Allegro molto

Sostenuto

Bela Bartok

Rondo a la Mazur, Opus 5

F. Chopin

There will be a 10-minute intermission

Mazurka, Op. 25 #2: Allegretto Mazurka, Op. 25 #3: Lento Mazurka, Op. 25 #6: Allegretto

A. Scriabin

Sonata in Bb minor (1975)

Paul Harvey Aurandt

Allegro Adagio Allegro assai

PAUL HARVEY AURANDT

Award-winning journalist, author, pianist, and composer Paul Harvey Aurandt is creator and writer of the longest-running and most popular series in radio history **The Rest of the Story** featuring his father, veteran broadcaster Paul Harvey.

Born and reared in Chicago, he received a bachelor's and a master's degree in piano performance from Chicago Musical College of Roosevelt University, studying with Dr. Rudolph Ganz, Mollie Margolies, Saul Dorfman, and Byron Janis. Even while still in school, he began winning nationwide recognition as a concert artist and composer. The formidable sixty-one-page **Piano Sonata in B-Flat Minor**, which he composed in 1975, was considered so challenging that no one but he would perform it in public for twenty-two years.

After touring successfully, he took what was originally intended as a sabbatical to establish **The Rest of the Story** for the ABC Radio Networks. Over the years that followed he published three books in **The Rest of the Story** series. Broadening his horizons, he created, produced, and starred in **Holiday in Orange and Black** in 1994 and **Incident at Lexington Green** in 1995, both hour-long entertainment specials for ABC. He also wrote, produced, and hosted two year-end news specials entitled **American Family Album**, the first airing in 1993.

Recent years he has ventured into theater, first as writer, lyricist, and composer of the musical-drama **Jehanne** about the enigmatic Pope who "discovered" Joan of Arc. His stageplay **Burton** exploring the turbulent life of actor Richard Burton and starring Timothy Nolen premiered in July of 1996 to enthusiastic acclaim at the prestigious Caldwell Theatre Company in Boca Raton, Florida.

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