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RECITALS AT LUNCH: VEENA AKAMA- MAKIA

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MONDAY 23 OCTOBER AT 1PM

APPROXIMATE TIMINGS

The performance will last approximately 45 minutes to 1 hour.

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ARTISTS

Mezzo-soprano **VEENA AKAMA-MAKIA**

Pianist **DAVID GOWLAND**

PROGRAMME

'I LOVE HIM' from *Blue* by Jeanine Tesori (b.1961)

'DREAM VARIATIONS' from *Three Dream Portraits* by Margaret Bonds (1913–1972)

'I, TOO' from *Three Dream Portraits* by Margaret Bonds (1913–1972)

'MINSTREL MAN' from *Three Dream Portraits* by Margaret Bonds (1913–1972)

'RESIGNATION' from *44 Art Songs and Spirituals* by Florence Price (1887–1953)

'JOTA' from *Canciones populares españolas No.4* by Manuel de Falla (1876–1946)

'CUBA DENTRO DE UN PIANO' from *Cinco Canciones Negras No.1* by Xavier Montsalvatge (1912–2002)

'CANCIÓN DE CUNA PARA DORMIR UN NEGRITO' from *Cinco Canciones Negras No.4* by Xavier Montsalvatge (1912–2002)

'EN VAIN POUR ÉVITER' from *Carmen* by Georges Bizet (1838–1875)

'KENNST DU DAS LAND' from *Goethe-Lieder No.9* by Hugo Wolf (1860–1903)

'SYMPATHY' from *44 Art Songs and Spirituals* by Florence Price (1887–1953)

'SLEEP NOW' from Op.10 by Samuel Barber (1910–1981)

'O GLORY' by Shawn Okpebholo (b.1981)

'STEAL AWAY' Arr. by Dr. Maria Thompson Corley (b.1966)

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