



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## FEBRUARY 2010

**SAN FRANCISCO OPERA BOX OFFICE** 415-864-3330  
Opera House, 301 Van Ness Avenue [www.sfopera.com](http://www.sfopera.com)  
Mon 10:00 am-5:00 pm; Tue-Fri 10:00 am-6:00 pm;  
performance days 10:00 am through the 1<sup>st</sup> intermission.

**SAN FRANCISCO SYMPHONY BOX OFFICE** 415-864-6000  
Grove Street between Van Ness Avenue & Franklin Street  
Mon-Fri 10:00 am-6:00 pm; Sat noon-6:00 pm, or visit website at [www.sfsymphony.org](http://www.sfsymphony.org)

**CITY BOX OFFICE / HERBST THEATRE** 415-392-4400  
180 Redwood Street, Suite 100 [www.cityboxoffice.com](http://www.cityboxoffice.com)  
Phone Hours: Mon-Fri 9:30 am-5:00 pm; Sat 10:00 am-4:00 pm

Herbst Theatre Box Office, 401 Van Ness Avenue opens 1½ hours prior to performance.

**SAN FRANCISCO BALLET BOX OFFICE** 415-865-2000  
Phone Hours: Mon-Fri 10:00 am-4:00 pm, or visit website at [www.sfballet.org](http://www.sfballet.org)  
Performance date phone hours 10:00 am until the performance begins.

Ballet Box Office at the Opera House, 301 Van Ness Avenue, open on performance dates only: Tue-Fri noon through the 1<sup>st</sup> intermission; Sat-Sun 10:00am-1<sup>st</sup> intermission

DATE	THEATRE	TIME	EVENT	BOX OFFICE
1 Mon	GREEN ROOM	8:00pm	<b>LEFT COAST CHAMBER ENSEMBLE</b> performs <b>HARPSICHORD REDUX</b> : Music of J.S. Bach, Dan Becker, Gyorgy Ligeti, Manuel de Falla and <b>(premiere)</b> work for harpsichord and chamber ensemble by Eric Zivian.	642-8054 <a href="http://www.leftcoastensemble.org">www.leftcoastensemble.org</a> \$20 At the Door \$15 Seniors & Students
3 Wed	DAVIES HALL	7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs Schubert, Mass No. 2 in G major, D.167; Ives (orch. Henry Brant) <i>A Concord Symphony</i> . SFS Chorus; <b>Michael Tilson Thomas, conductor.</b>	864-6000 \$15-\$130
4 Thu	DAVIES HALL	1:00pm 2:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs; see February 3.	864-6000 \$15-\$130
	HERBST THEATRE	8:00pm	<b>SF Performances</b> presents <b>Kuchipudi dancer SHANTALA SHIVALINGAPPA</b> and guest musicians from India.	392-2545 <a href="http://www.performances.org">www.performances.org</a> \$27-\$39
5 Fri	DAVIES HALL	7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs; see February 3.	864-6000 \$15-\$130
	HERBST THEATRE	8:00pm	<b>Humanities West</b> presents <b>ALEXANDER/ALEXANDRIA: THE FLOWERING OF HELLENISTIC CULTURE.</b>	392-4400 <a href="http://www.humanitieswest.org">www.humanitieswest.org</a> \$30-\$45
6 Sat	DAVIES HALL	7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs; see February 3.	864-6000 \$15-\$135
	HERBST THEATRE	10:00am	<b>Humanities West</b> presents <b>ALEXANDER/ALEXANDRIA: THE FLOWERING OF HELLENISTIC CULTURE.</b>	392-4400 <a href="http://www.humanitieswest.org">www.humanitieswest.org</a> \$40-\$65
		8:00pm	<b>SF Performances</b> presents <b>MIDORI, violin and CHARLES ABRAMOVIC, piano.</b>	392-2545 <a href="http://www.performances.org">www.performances.org</a> \$32-\$49
8 Mon	HERBST THEATRE	6:45pm 7:30pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>Earplay</b> presents <b>EAR AND THERE</b> , a concert of contemporary music.	392-4400 <a href="http://www.earplay.org">www.earplay.org</a> \$20 Adults \$10 Students & Seniors 65+

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9 Tue	OPERA HOUSE	7:00pm 8:00pm	MEET THE ARTIST INTERVIEW. <b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 2: OPUS 19/THE DREAMER</b> by Prokofiev, Robbins, Benson and Bates; <b>GHOSTS (world premiere)</b> by Christopher Wheeldon; <b>COMPANY B</b> songs by The Andrew Sisters, Taylor, Loquasto and Tipton.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	HERBST THEATRE	8:00pm	<b>SF Performances</b> presents the <b>2009 Naumburg Competition Winner, TRIO CAVATINA.</b>	392-2545 <a href="http://www.performances.org">www.performances.org</a> \$25
10 Wed	OPERA HOUSE	7:30pm	<b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 2</b> ; see February 9.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	DAVIES HALL	9:00am 10:00am	PRE-REHEARSAL LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> OPEN REHEARSAL.	864-6000 \$20-\$33
		7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs Walton, Violin Concerto; Holst, <i>The Planets</i> . Alexander Barantschik, violin Women of the SFS Chorus; <b>Charles Dutoit, conductor.</b>	864-6000 \$15-\$130
	GREEN ROOM	6:00pm	<b>POINTES OF VIEW LECTURE: SF Ballet</b> presents an overview of <b>Program 2. Dance scholar and educator Mary Wood</b> and special guests.	865-2000 FREE
11 Thu	OPERA HOUSE	7:00pm 8:00pm	MEET THE ARTIST INTERVIEW. <b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 3, ALL-BALANCHINE PROGRAM: SERENADE</b> by Tchaikovsky, Balanchine, after Karinska and Bates; <b>STRAVINSKY VIOLIN CONCERTO</b> by Stravinsky, Balanchine and Pinkham after Bates; <b>THEME AND VARIATIONS</b> by Tchaikovsky and Balanchine.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	HERBST THEATRE	7:15pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>PHILHARMONIA BAROQUE ORCHESTRA</b> performs <b>AN ELEGANT ROMANCE.</b> Viktoria Mullova, violin; <b>Nicholas McGegan, conductor.</b>	392-4400 <a href="http://www.philharmonia.org">www.philharmonia.org</a> \$25-\$75
12 Fri	OPERA HOUSE	7:00pm 8:00pm	MEET THE ARTIST INTERVIEW. <b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 2</b> ; see February 9.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	DAVIES HALL	7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs; see February 10.	864-6000 \$15-\$130
	HERBST THEATRE	8:00pm	<b>The International Fund for Africa</b> presents <b>SOUL FOOD FOR THOUGHT</b> , an evening celebrating Black History Month with music, food and thought-provoking speakers with comedian <b>LEO FLOWERS</b> as MC and <b>TRACI BINGHAM</b> as co-host. Also featuring <b>LENNY WILLIAMS, MIDNIGHT SUN, FUA DIA CONGO, KENNETH G. WILLIAMS, DRS. ANTENH ROBA</b> and <b>MILTON MILLS.</b> Proceeds benefit the International Fund for Africa.	392-4400 <a href="http://www.ifundafrica.org">www.ifundafrica.org</a> \$10-\$40
13 Sat	OPERA HOUSE	2:00pm 8:00pm	<b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 3</b> ; see February 11.	865-2000 \$20-\$275

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13 Sat	DAVIES HALL	7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs; see February 10.	864-6000 \$15-\$135
	HERBST THEATRE	8:00pm	<b>PR @ PAIZ.com</b> presents <b>HOW WE FIRST MET</b> featuring real audience stories spun into hilarious comedy!	392-4400 <a href="http://www.howwefirstmet.com">www.howwefirstmet.com</a> \$25-\$40
14 Sun	OPERA HOUSE	1:00pm 2:00pm	MEET THE ARTIST INTERVIEW. <b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 2</b> ; see February 9.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	HERBST THEATRE	8:00pm	<b>PR @ PAIZ.com</b> presents <b>HOW WE FIRST MET</b> ; see February 13.	392-4400 <a href="http://www.howwefirstmet.com">www.howwefirstmet.com</a> \$25-\$40
16 Tue	OPERA HOUSE	8:00pm	<b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 3</b> ; see February 11.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
17 Wed	OPERA HOUSE	7:30pm	<b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 3</b> ; see February 11.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	HERBST THEATRE	8:00pm	<b>SF Performances</b> presents <b>KING'S SINGERS, A Cappella</b> .	392-2545 <a href="http://www.performances.org">www.performances.org</a> \$32-\$42
	GREEN ROOM	6:00pm	<b>POINTES OF VIEW LECTURE: SF Ballet</b> presents an overview of <b>Program 3. Dance scholar and educator Mary Wood</b> and special guests.	865-2000 FREE
18 Thu	OPERA HOUSE	8:00pm	<b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 2</b> ; see February 9.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	DAVIES HALL	1:00pm 2:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs Haydn, Cello Concerto No. 1 in C major; Beethoven, Symphony No. 3 in E-flat major, Opus 55, <i>Eroica</i> . Michael Grebanier, cello; <b>Herbert Blomstedt, conductor</b> .	864-6000 \$15-\$130
19 Fri	OPERA HOUSE	7:00pm 8:00pm	MEET THE ARTIST INTERVIEW. <b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 3</b> ; see February 11.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	DAVIES HALL	7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs; see February 18.	864-6000 \$15-\$130
	HERBST THEATRE	6:30pm	<b>Anne Thull Fine Art Designs</b> presents <b>ENERGY BY DESIGN: THE POWER TO CONTROL YOUR SUCCESS &amp; KISS FATE GOODBYE with DR. FRED ALAN WOLF</b> speaking on energy from a Quantum physics, metaphysics and spiritual point of view.	392-4400 \$90 one ticket is for 2/19 & 3/19.
20 Sat	OPERA HOUSE	2:00pm 8:00pm	<b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 2</b> ; see February 9.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	DAVIES HALL	7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs; see February 18.	864-6000 \$15-\$135

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20 Sat	HERBST THEATRE	10:00am	<b>SF Performances</b> presents <b>THE ALEXANDER STRING QUARTET with ROBERT GREENBERG, lecturer.</b>	392-2545 <a href="http://www.performances.org">www.performances.org</a> \$24-\$36
		8:00pm	<b>Clean Box Entertainment</b> presents <b>THE FAB FAUX: WORLD'S GREATEST BEATLES TRIBUTE BAND.</b>	392-4400 \$39-\$120
21 Sun	OPERA HOUSE	1:00pm 2:00pm	MEET THE ARTIST INTERVIEW. <b>SF Ballet</b> performs <b>Program 3</b> ; see February 11.	865-2000 \$20-\$275
	DAVIES HALL	7:00pm	<b>SF Symphony</b> presents the <b>GEWANDHAUS ORCHESTRA OF LEIPZIG</b> performing Chopin, Piano Concerto No. 1 in E minor, Opus 11; Dvo řák, Symphony No. 9 in E minor, Opus 95, <i>From the New World</i> . Nelson Freire, piano; <b>Riccardo Chailly, conductor.</b>	864-6000 \$15-\$100
22 Mon	DAVIES HALL	8:00pm	<b>SF Symphony</b> presents the <b>GEWANDHAUS ORCHESTRA OF LEIPZIG</b> performing Beethoven, Piano Concerto No. 5 in E-flat major, Opus 73, <i>Emperor</i> and Symphony No. 7 in A major, Opus 92. Nelson Freire, piano; <b>Riccardo Chailly, conductor.</b>	864-6000 \$15-\$100
24 Wed	DAVIES HALL	9:00am	PRE-REHEARSAL LECTURE.	864-6000
		10:00am	<b>SF Symphony</b> OPEN REHEARSAL.	\$20-\$33
		7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs Mozart, Symphony No. 36 in C major; Bruckner, Symphony No. 6 in A major. <b>Herbert Blomstedt, conductor.</b>	864-6000 \$15-\$100
	HERBST THEATRE	7:30pm	<b>The Long Now Foundation</b> presents <b>ALAN WEISMAN "THE WORLD WITHOUT US, WORLD WITH US."</b>	392-4400 <a href="http://www.longnow.org">www.longnow.org</a> \$10 FREE for members
25 Thu	DAVIES HALL	1:00pm 2:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs; see February 24.	864-6000 \$15-\$100
	HERBST THEATRE	7:30pm	<b>City Arts &amp; Lectures</b> presents <b>"EXAMINED LIFE,"</b> a film screening and discussion with <b>ASTRA TAYLOR, filmmaker; JUDITH BUTLER, philosopher; SUNAURA TAYLOR, artist and activist.</b>	392-4400 <a href="http://www.cityarts.net">www.cityarts.net</a> \$20
26 Fri	DAVIES HALL	7:00pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT LECTURE. <b>SF Symphony</b> performs; see February 24.	864-6000 \$15-\$100
	HERBST THEATRE	7:15pm 8:00pm	PRE-CONCERT TALK. <b>CYPRESS STRING QUARTET</b> presents <b>CALL &amp; RESPONSE 2010.</b>	392-4400 <a href="http://www.cypressquartet.com">www.cypressquartet.com</a> \$20-\$30
27 Sat	DAVIES HALL	3:00pm	<b>SF Symphony</b> presents the <b>10<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY CHINESE NEW YEAR CONCERT AND CELEBRATION</b> , an event combining music from the East and the West along with a Festival Reception for families in the lobbies of Davis Symphony Hall.	864-6000 \$25-\$65

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27 Sat	HERBST THEATRE	8:00pm	<b>John Bisceglie</b> presents <b>FOREVER BROADWAY!</b> a performance by a 60-person ensemble singing and dancing their way through 100 years of Broadway.	392-4400 \$25
28 Sun	DAVIES HALL	2:00pm	<b>SF Symphony</b> performs a <b>CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERT.</b>	864-6000 \$35
	HERBST THEATRE	4:00pm	<b>Four Seasons Concerts</b> presents <b>THOMAS BUCKNER, baritone.</b>	392-4400 <a href="http://www.fourseasonsconcerts.com">www.fourseasonsconcerts.com</a> \$30-\$40