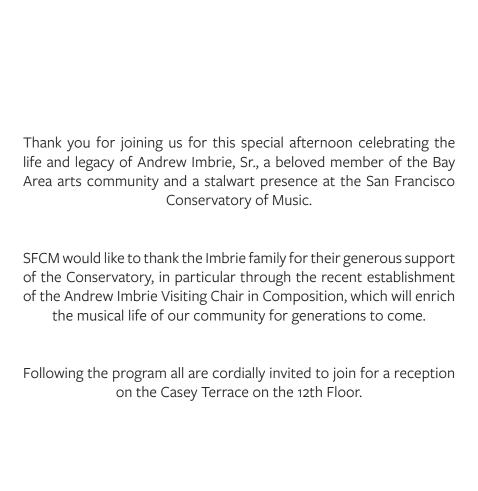


Celebration of Andrew Imbrie

Featuring Jean-Michel Fonteneau, Jason Kim, Elizabeth Dorman, and Christine Lee

Sunday, December 5, 2021, 4:00 PM Cha Chi Ming Recital Hall



Program

In Memoriam tribute to Nathan Schwartz (2003) Andrew Imbrie
Christine Lee, cello

Introduction

Jonas Wright, Dean and Chief Academic Officer

Remarks

Elinor Armer, SFCM Composition Faculty

Melody for Gayageum arranged for cello (2006) Andrew Imbrie

Jean-Michel Fonteneau, cello

Remarks

Hi Kyung Kim

To My Son (2006)

Andrew Imbrie

Jason Kim, piano

Remarks

Bonnie Hampton, SFCM Cello Faculty
Recorded excerpts of Andrew Imbrie's Piano Trio No. 2,
performed by The Francesco Trio

Encore for Cello and Piano

Andrew Imbrie

Christine Lee, *cello* Elizabeth Dorman, *piano*

About Andrew Imbrie

Andrew Imbrie was born in New York City and began his musical training as a pianist when he was 4. In 1937, he went to Paris to study composition briefly with Nadia Boulanger and piano with Robert Casadesus. He returned to the United States the next year to attend Princeton University where he studied with Roger Sessions, receiving his undergraduate degree in 1942. His senior thesis there, a string quartet, was recorded by the Juilliard Quartet. During World War II he served in the U.S. Army as a Japanese translator. Afterwards, he went to the University of California, Berkeley, where he received an M.A. in Music in 1947; there he continued to study with Sessions, who had taken a position at Berkeley.

Imbrie taught composition, theory, and analysis at Berkeley from 1949 until his retirement in 1991. In the summer of 1991 he was Composer-in-Residence at Tanglewood in Lenox, Massachusetts.

In addition to his principal teaching job at Berkeley, he served as a visiting professor at the University of Chicago, Brandeis University, Northwestern University, New York University, the University of Alabama, and Harvard University, and had a regular teaching post at the San Francisco Conservatory.

He died at his home in Berkeley, California at the age of 86.

His notable students include Larry Austin, Tamar Diesendruck, Richard Festinger, Alden Jenks, Frank La Rocca, Neil Rolnick, Allen Shearer, Laura Schwendinger, Nils Frykdahl, Kurt Rohde, Hi Kyung Kim, Leslie Wildman and Carolyn Yarnell.