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Community Arts Events

JOSE LIMON DANCE COMPANY

Sat, May 9/8:00 PM

<http://www.nobadance.com/limndancecompany.cfm>

NEW ORLEANS BALLET ASSOCIATION

Stunning program by one of America's most revered contemporary dance companies.

Students: \$35 (30% discount from \$50 – see flyer – use event code NOBA30)

Phone: 504.522.0996

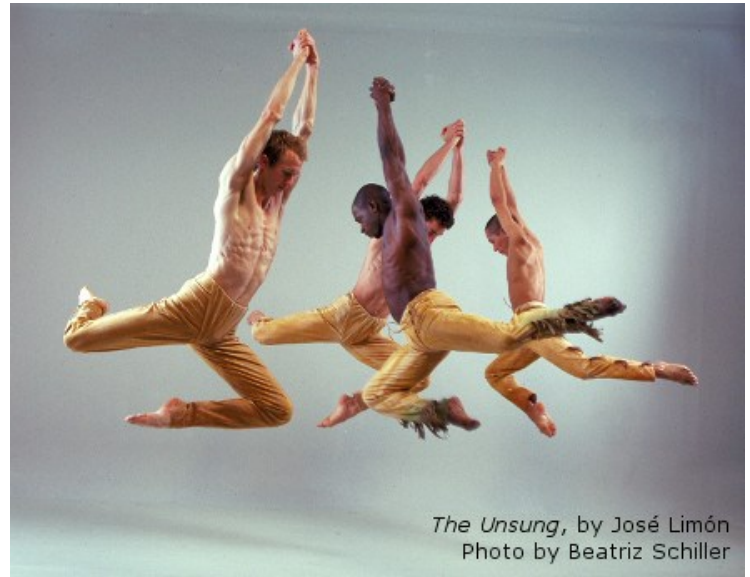
In Person at NOBA office: 935 Gravier St, Suite 800, NOLA 70112

Mahalia Jackson Theatre

1419 Basin Street

NOLA

Call 504-522-0996 for more information



ELISE BUTLER-PINKHAM (Cello)

Sun, May 17/5:00 PM

<http://www.marignyoperahouse.org/artist/?pid=1324&eid=2902>

MARIGNY OPERA HOUSE

New Orleans-based cellist Elise Butler-Pinkham performs the music of Beethoven and Barber with pianist Liliia Oliinyk and works by Gershwin, Debussy and Bartok in cello quartet with Lisa Hooper, Rebecca Holmes and Jennifer Miles.

Free admission. Donation requested.

Marigny Opera House

725 St. Ferdinand Street

Marigny (New Orleans)

Call 504-948-9998 for more information



NOBA presents

Limón Dance Company

SPECIAL TICKET OFFER

30% OFF

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Artistic Director Carla Maxwell
Saturday, May 9, 8 pm
Mahalia Jackson Theater

The Limón Dance Company kicks off its 70th anniversary season in New Orleans and begins a year-long celebration honoring the incredible legacy of founder and American modern dance icon José Limón. In tribute, this gorgeous company brings a brilliant program, including *Mazurkas*, *The Moor's Pavane*, and the NOBA-sponsored revival of the "profoundly stirring and exalting" (*Dance Magazine*) masterpiece *Missa Brevis*. With an exuberant score, this revival features a 40-member choir, organist and students from the NORDC/NOBA Center for Dance.

"FOR DRAMA, VIRTUOSITY, AND GRACE, THERE'S NO FINER COMPANY." —THE WASHINGTON TIMES

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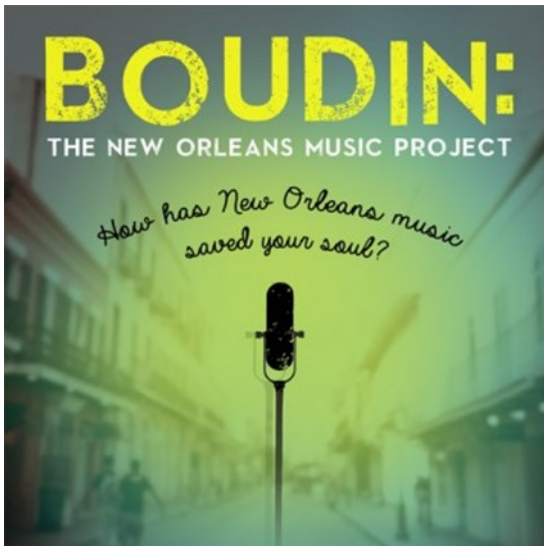
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HOTELS & RESORTS

Discount is not valid on previously purchased tickets and cannot be combined with any other discount. Discount is only available on \$44 - \$69 tickets. Offer is valid through Wednesday, May 6, 2015 or while quantities last. Some restrictions apply. Limit 4 tickets per discount purchase.

BOUDIN: THE NEW ORLEANS MUSIC PROJECT

April 15 – May 17 (See website for detailed calendar)

<http://www.southernrep.com/plays/boudin-the-new-orleans-music-project-2/>



SOUTHERN REP THEATRE

An exhilarating theatre production that celebrates the music, art, magic, and history of our city - a mash-up of local visual art, storytelling, live New Orleans music, and real stories from real citizens of New Orleans!

\$20 student tickets. Use discount code UNOBOUDIN for online purchase at <http://www.southernrep.com/tickets/>

Ashe Powerhouse Theatre
1731 Baronne Street, NOLA

For more information call 504-522-6545

‘OPERA ON TAP’

Free opera recital in the heart of the French Quarter!

(Parking \$5)

Weds, May 20/7-8:30 PM

A beloved New Orleans tradition: intimate recital by superb singers in a comfortable lounge setting. A mix of opera, operetta and Broadway featuring highlights from the upcoming 2015-16 season offerings: La Traviata, Die Fledermaus, and Tosca.



Free admission. Say “Opera on Tap” for \$5 2-hour parking in the hotel garage.

Four Points Sheraton
541 Bourbon Street
NOLA

For more information call 504-529-3000



Birdfoot Festival

Classical Music Festival

Tues, May 26 – Fri, May 29

Various times and locations. See website for details.

<http://birdfootfestival.org/>



International quality with a local flavor

The Birdfoot Festival brings dynamic live chamber music to New Orleans each May. Named for the branching footprint of the Mississippi River Delta, Birdfoot has gained an enthusiastic local following and won glowing critical reviews for its fresh approach to presenting chamber music and its “youthful, rule-bending style.”

Student discounts to main events. Others free. Advance online purchase advised:

<http://birdfootfestival.org/2015-tickets/>

Various locations including Contemporary Arts Center, Basin Street Station, Marigny Opera House, Dixon Hall

For more information call 504-451-6578

MERRILY WE ROLL ALONG

Broadway musical

May 22-31 See website for performance schedule: <http://www.lepetittheatre.com/>



{LE PETIT THEATRE FOUNDATION}

Award-winning Stephen Sondheim musical, produced in the intimate historic Le Petit theatre in the heart of the French Quarter.

50% UNO student discount

Purchase online using event code: UNOTH.

2 tickets per student i.d..

Show i.d. for pick up at door.

Note that performance on Wednesday, May 27 is already discounted.

Le Petit Theatre

616 St. Peter Street

NOLA

STUDENT RECITAL

5/1/2015 2:00 PM—3:00 PM

Performing Arts Center Recital Hall

The final student Recital Hour of the year will feature an eclectic array of music performed by UNO students. For details call (504)280-6381



New Orleans Children's Choir

5/2/2015 2:00PM — 3:00 PM

Performing Arts Center Recital Hall

The New Orleans Children's Choice performs in a public concert Saturday afternoon, May 2

Crawfish Mambo

Cook-Off and Music Festival on the Lake

5/9/2015 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM

The Cove

The UNO Alumni Association invites all faculty, staff, students, friends, and lovers of crawfish and good music to the Fourth Annual Crawfish Mambo. Enjoy all-you-can-eat boiled crawfish prepared by 30+ teams competing for the title of "Crawfish Mambo Boiling Champion." For more information, visit www.CrawfishMambo.com or contact Jason Guilbeau at (504) 280-6394 or Jason.Guilbeau@uno.edu.



Alumni & Senior Social
5/12/2015 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

[The Bulldog Mid-City](#) ([map](#))

The UNO International Alumni Association & Office of Student Involvement and Leadership invite graduating seniors and graduate student to an Alumni & Senior Social @ The Bulldog Mid-City. Enjoy complimentary beer and snacks at a casual networking social connecting you with UNO Alumni! Register at www.UNOAlumni.com/SeniorSocial.



Spring Commencement
5/15/2015 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

[Lakefront Arena](#) ([map](#))

Further information can be found at [Registrar's website](#). Please note that 6 p.m. is an approximate ending time.



[**New Orleans Concert Band Concert**](#)
[**5/17/2015 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM**](#)

[Performing Arts Center Recital Hall](#)

The New Orleans Concert Band presents their annual spring concert.



[**Finding Rebecca: Or, How an Enslaved Girl from New Orleans became an Abolitionist Icon**](#)

[**5/27/2015 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM**](#)

[Historic New Orleans Collection](#)

"Finding Rebecca: Or, How an Enslaved Girl from New Orleans became an Abolitionist Icon," a lecture by Mary Niall Mitchell.

ASCE-T&DI LOUISIANA CHAPTER
(Co-sponsored with the UNO Transportation Institute)

Presents

Blueprint for Louisiana Growth Management and Transportation

The Louisiana ASCE-T&DI chapter will highlight the work the Merritt C. Becker, Jr. UNO Transportation Institute (UNOTI) was tasked by the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) and the Louisiana Transportation Research Center to conduct research on growth management policy for application in Louisiana. In many areas around the state, growth is not planned or managed effectively; State and local government agencies often react to what has occurred and attempt to catch up with the necessary infrastructure. Growth management initiatives are intended as a mechanism for coordinating infrastructure investment and development to encourage a safe, efficient, sustainable and multimodal transportation system.

UNOTI developed recommendations for minimum state requirements for local growth management policies for use in Louisiana, particularly with respect to transportation and the state's new Complete Streets policy. As part of this effort, UNOTI met with representatives from stakeholder agencies and organizations in each region of the state to gain their knowledge and insights about current conditions in their jurisdictions, opportunities for improvement, and barriers to policy implementation. In addition UNOTI conducted two statewide surveys and evaluated the potential costs and benefits of implementing select growth management policies. From this research, UNOTI developed a set of potential policies, programs, and strategies that local and regional agencies throughout Louisiana can employ to promote managed growth and support livable communities.

A native of Baton Rouge, LA, Eric Kalivoda is a licensed professional engineer in Louisiana, Arizona, and North Carolina. He presently serves as the Deputy Secretary for the DOTD and has experience in the fields of highway geometric design, traffic engineering, highway safety, and urban and statewide transportation planning.

Dr. John L. Renne, AICP is an Associate Professor of Planning and Urban Studies at the University of New Orleans and Director of the Merritt C. Becker Jr. University of New Orleans Transportation Institute. Dr. Renne is a member of the American Institute of Certified Planners (AICP). His research focuses on transportation and land use planning, including livable communities, sustainable transportation, and evacuation planning. Dr. Renne is an author and editor of *Transit-Oriented Development: Making It Happen* (Ashgate, 2009). Since moving to New Orleans in August 2005, Dr. Renne has shown leadership in the city's recovery. He serves on a number of local and national boards within the transportation and planning fields. Dr. Renne has convened several national conferences and workshops on issues related to transit-oriented development and livability, sustainable transportation, and evacuation planning. He is a founding host of the National Evacuation Conference and he chairs the City of New Orleans Sustainable Transportation Advisory Committee.

SPEAKERS

Eric Kalivoda, Ph.D., P.E., Deputy Secretary, Louisiana Department of Transportation & Development
John L. Renne, Ph.D., AICP, Associate Professor of Planning and Urban Studies;
Director, Merritt C. Becker Jr. UNO Transportation Institute; Director, Transportation Studies

DATE Tuesday, May 5, 2015 from 5:00-7:45PM

PLACE Engineering Auditorium, EN 101, University of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA
(For directions go to: <http://uno2.uno.edu/maps/lakefront>. Engineering Building is Building 12)

COST See the other side for the cost of the seminar and the registration form.

PDH 2.0 PDHs can be earned.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

5:00 – 5:30 PM Registration (Sandwiches & Soft Drinks)

5:30 – 5:35 PM Introductions: Jennifer Stenhouse, AICP, Center for Planning Excellence (CPEX)

5:35 – 7:35 PM Seminar Presentations

7:35 – 7:45 PM Questions and Closing Remarks: Jennifer Stenhouse, AICP, CPEX

Registration Form

BLUEPRINT FOR LOUISIANA GROWTH MANAGEMENT AND TRANSPORTATION

MAY 5, 2015

In order to ensure space and refreshments for you, please complete the following form and mail to:

James Simmons

ASCE-T&DI La. Chapter, Post Office Box 6712, Metairie, LA 70009

For payment information please call James Simmons @ (504) 885-0500

For seminar information, please call Jennifer Stenhouse @ (225) 389-7193

\$35 All registered on or before Monday, May 4, 2015

\$10 Seniors (65 or older) registered on or before Monday, May 4, 2015

Free - Full Time Student with valid ID registered on or before Monday, May 4, 2015

\$45 For All at the door

\$_____ Check, payable to *ASCE-T&DI La. Chapter*, is enclosed.

Please assist us in registration efforts by complying with the cutoff dates.

Name _____ Email Address _____

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Your seminar suggestions are appreciated _____

ASCE-T&DI Louisiana Chapter

P.O. Box 6712

Metairie, LA 70009

Dear UNO community,

As you all may know, Nepal has just experienced a tragedy that has shaken the nation and the international community. A 7.9 Richter Scale earthquake followed by numerous major/minor aftershocks has left more than 4000 dead, thousands displaced and millions of dollars in damages so far. Because of the threat of imminent earthquakes, a state of emergency has been declared and people are living in out in the open in makeshift shelters and tents, struggling to find food, clean drinking water, and medical supplies.

Quick USGS calculations estimate a two-thirds likelihood of between 3,000 and 100,000 fatalities and damage between \$100 million and \$10 billion (about 50% of Nepal's GDP). Scientists estimate that more than 105 million people felt at least moderate shaking during the quake.

We, the Nepalese community at the University of New Orleans, plead with the UNO community to help the disaster relief initiative. There are several organizations that have been working with Nepal to provide immediate response and relief, and the rescue of survivors is still going on. After carefully studying several organizations that have been raising funds, we have selected HelpNepal, an extremely transparent organization that has been raising funds for underprivileged Nepalese people. It has now established an earthquake fundraiser which will be used for search and rescue, medical care, food, water, and shelter for the displaced.

We had originally set-up a go-fund-me campaign as an immediate response to collect donations, but to avoid a part of donation being lost to GoFundMe fees, you can now donate directly at the HelpNepal website at www.helpnepal.net. Our gofundme campaign link is <http://www.gofundme.com/nepalreliefnow>. The sum that has been donated there until now will be forwarded to HelpNepal. If you would like to see other organizations that have been working for the earthquake relief and would rather donate to them, here is a link to a list published by CNN:

<http://edition.cnn.com/2015/04/25/world/nepal-earthquake-how-to-help/index.html>

Please share the message and contribute to an organization of your choice (all of the organizations on the CNN list are currently working on relief). As we have an enrollment of 7,000, even a single dollar from a student will help us generate \$7000 towards relief funds, which will be equal to Nrs. 700,000, which is a significant amount.

If you would like to reach out to us, you can contact us at our Facebook page or email us at nsano@uno.edu.

Thank you,
Shaswot Kharel
President - Nepalese Students Association of New Orleans

