

La Jolla Symphony & Chorus

As Time Goes By

Return to Casablanca
GALA 2018

SPECIAL TRIBUTE

“Arts Angel”
Lux Boreal Dance Troupe



October 6 ♦ The Westgate Hotel

As Time Goes By

Our October 6th Gala, “As Time Goes By,” returns us to Rick’s Café Americain, The Blue Parrot lounge, and the romance and intrigue of the 1940s classic film, *Casablanca*. Please join us as we “round up the usual suspects” and begin “beautiful friendships” in this special evening to launch the 2018-19 Season!

RSVP by
September 24

Gala Co-Chairs

Pat Finn-Burkhard & Walt Burkhard
Celia Falicov & Peter Gourevitch

Honorary Committee

Samantha & Nick Binkley	Paula & Manny Rotenberg
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Gala Auction Committee

Trish Vlastnik, auction chair
Ann Desmond
Pat Finn-Burkhard
Karen Johns
Jan Merutka
Elena Yarritu

Gala proceeds benefit the artistic mission of the La Jolla Symphony & Chorus and its commitment to young talent through the LJS&C Young Artists Competition, Winners Recital, Thomas Nee Commission and concert performance opportunities for emerging artists. LJS&C is an independent 501(c)3 non-profit organization, founded in 1954 and affiliated with UC San Diego since 1967.

Saturday, October 6

The
Westgate Hotel

6:00 pm

Rick's Café Americain

Reception & Silent Auction
Champagne cocktails, hosted wine bar, hors d'oeuvres

7:30 pm

"La Marseillaise" Ballroom

Gala Dinner, Tribute & Live Auction

9:00 pm

The Blue Parrot

Young Artist Concert:
Eden Tremayne and Skyler MacKinnon
Coffee, libations

Master
of Ceremonies
Pierre Charmasson

Tickets:

\$200 individual ticket (\$100 tax-deductible) / \$2,000 table of 10
\$180 orchestra/chorus (\$80 tax-deductible) / \$1,800 table of 10

Venue:

The Westgate Hotel — 1055 Second Avenue, San Diego 92101
Special overnight room rate of \$199 based on availability.
Call 800-522-1564 to reserve.

Attire:

1940s Casablanca style
Black tie or cocktail best also apropos

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Dinner Menu

First Course

Moroccan Salad

Artisan Romaine, Chickpea, Quinoa,
Heirloom Cherry Tomatoes, Citrus Dressing

Second Course

(Choose One)

Harissa Marinated Flat Iron Steak

With Green Olive Relish

Grilled Swordfish

With Preserved Lemon, Sundried Tomato, Chermoula Sauce

Mediterranean Vegetable Tagine

With Couscous

Third Course

Fig and Citrus Pana Cotta

With Date and Almond Biscotti



Gala reception and dinner wines generously donated
by syndicated wine writer ROBERT WHITLEY



Arts Angel

Lux Boreal Dance Troupe

We are delighted to honor **Lux Boreal Dance Troupe** at this year's Gala as our 2018 Arts Angel. Founded by co-artistic directors Henry Torres and Ángel Arámbula in Tijuana 16 years ago, Lux Boreal is a leader in the contemporary artistic movement of Northern Mexico and a frequent collaborator with San Diego-based arts organizations. Notably with La Jolla Symphony & Chorus, Lux Boreal has collaborated on three concerts, creating original choreography and performing with the orchestra and chorus in Stravinsky's *Persephone* (2016) and *Les Noces* (2011) and with orchestra in Evan Ziporyn's *Frog's Eye* (2008). This innovative dance ensemble's work extends across borders and genres, contributing significantly to the quality of artistic expression in our cross-border region. Please join us at this year's Gala as we pay tribute to Lux Boreal Dance Troupe.

The Arts Angel award is given annually by La Jolla Symphony & Chorus to an artist(s) or advocate for the arts who has made a noteworthy contribution to the artistic life of our community.

Table Sponsorships

CASABLANCA Table: \$5,000 (\$3,000 tax-deductible)

- Premium table for ten (10)
- Full-page ad/acknowledgement in Gala booklet
- Sponsor name on Gala table
- Logo or Sponsor name on Gala video deck
- 10 tickets to 2018-19 concert of choice
- Logo on website; Facebook "thank-you" post

MARRAKESH Table: \$2,500 (\$1,500 tax-deductible)

- Table for (10)
- Half-page ad/acknowledgement in Gala booklet
- Sponsor name on Gala table
- Logo or Sponsor name on Gala video deck
- Facebook "thank-you" post

TANGIER Table: \$2,000 (\$1,000 tax-deductible)

Orchestra/Chorus: \$1,800 (\$800 tax-deductible)

- Table for (10)
- Name listing in Gala booklet

Underwriting Opportunities

(100% tax-deductible)

- Reception: \$3,000
- Band: \$2,000
- Video: \$1,000 (3 available)
- Decorations: SPONSORED
- Gala Booklet: \$1,000
- Photo Booth: \$1,000
- Photographer: \$500
- Raffle Tickets: \$500

All Sponsors and Underwriters will be
acknowledged in the Gala Booklet.

