

# ARTSReach

2016–2017 Season



*Cirque Mechanics: Pedal Punk  
Friday, January 13*

LISA SMITH WENGLER  
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## Frederick R. Weisman Museum of Art

**CELEBRATING 25 YEARS**  
**MUSEUM TOURS** are provided to you at **NO COST** and are available before or after performances at Smothers Theatre, or at specially arranged times. Regular museum hours are 11 AM to 5 PM, Tuesday through Sunday. Please call 310.506.4766 to reserve a tour. Space in the museum is limited.



Larry Bell, c.s. 7/7/14, 2014, mixed media on red Hiromi paper, 60 x 40 inches.



ORLAN, *Self-Hybridization No. 37*, 1998, C-print, 59 x 39 inches.

### LARRY BELL

January 21–April 2, 2017

Larry Bell helped found the California Light and Space movement in the 1960s and since then has continued to explore the dynamic possibilities of light and optics. This exhibition focuses on a new site-specific installation that uses his signature materials—glass, plastic, and industrial coatings—to push the boundaries of vision and perception.

### ALTERED REALITY

Selections from the Frederick R. Weisman Art Foundation

August 30–December 4, 2016

Art changed in the 19th century with the invention of the camera, and was radically transformed once again with the rise of digital imagery. This exhibition of contemporary photographs and digital media reveals why the interaction between the camera and the computer is one of the most fascinating areas of art today.

Each year Pepperdine's ARTSReach Program, supported by the Center for the Arts Guild, inspires the lives of thousands of schoolchildren from Ventura to the inner city of Los Angeles. These free arts experiences enrich the lives of children with world-class performances and art museum tours.

The guild supports many programs, but its primary focus is to support ARTSReach. If you would like to become involved in this important program or sponsor a bus, please contact the Lisa Smith Wengler Center for the Arts at 310.506.4594.

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#### Apply for tickets to an ARTSReach performance!

- 1 Complete the application below and submit by mail or fax, or visit us online at arts.pepperdine.edu to fill out the online submission form.
- 2 You will be notified by e-mail or phone regarding the status of your request.
- 3 If we are able to accommodate your request, you will be asked to send a \$1-per-seat deposit.

Seating is limited. Applications are filled on an

as-is-available basis and allocated to maintain a balance of local and out-of-area schools, as well as those new to the program. Prior attendance records are also considered. A limited number of bus grants are available to schools showing financial need.

Questions? Call Monica at 310.506.4766 or e-mail monica.chapon@pepperdine.edu. Additional ARTSReach forms may be downloaded at: arts.pepperdine.edu

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## ARTSReach

### Request Form

I request the following seats for my class (limit 200 per performance):

SHOWS	DATES	TIMES	NUMBER OF SEATS	GRADE	RANK IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE
Parsons Dance Company	Wed., Oct. 5	Noon			
Flip Fabrique	Tues., Oct. 18	11:45 AM			
A Rockapella Holiday	Wed., Dec. 7	10 AM			
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Cirque Mechanics	Fri., Jan. 13	10 AM			
Cirque Mechanics	Fri., Jan. 13	Noon			
Figaro's American Adventure	Tues., Jan. 17	10 AM			
Figaro's American Adventure	Tues., Jan. 17	11:30 AM			
Justin Roberts	Fri., Jan. 20	10 AM			
Justin Roberts	Fri., Jan. 20	11:45 AM			
Black Violin	Wed., Feb. 1	Noon			
Dance in Flight	Wed., Feb. 8	10 AM			
Versa-Style Dance Co.	Fri., Mar. 3	10 AM			
Versa-Style Dance Co.	Fri., Mar. 3	11:45 AM			

School name \_\_\_\_\_

Field trip contact person \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

School address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

School phone \_\_\_\_\_ Ext. \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Phone to reach you on day of show \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Summer e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

I request a bus grant.

YES, please treat our \$1-per-seat deposit as a donation to ARTSReach.

No, please refund our \$1-per-seat deposit after the performance.



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View the ARTSReach video!  
[arts.pepperdine.edu](http://arts.pepperdine.edu)

Your class attends these shows for FREE. All performances take place in the intimate 500-seat Smothers Theatre and last about one hour. Order your seats today!



## PARSONS DANCE COMPANY

Internationally known for presenting uplifting, energized, family-friendly contemporary ensemble work, Parsons Dance brings “delightful, vibrant, and enticing” dance (*Broadway World*) from emerging choreographers and collaborations with some of the greatest artists of our time.

**Wednesday, October 5**  
Noon  
Grades 6–12

## FLIP FABRIQUE

Internationally lauded for its technical ability and panache, Flip FabriQue’s fast-paced, innovative circus show incorporates hula hoops, juggling, and aerialist techniques in a crowd-pleasing cirque sensation with “acts that don’t seem humanly possible” and “an irrepressible spirit of fun” (*The New York Times*).

**Tuesday, October 18**  
11:45 AM  
Grades 3–6



## A ROCKAPELLA HOLIDAY

With buckets of catchy original pop songs, and complete contemporary revisions of sparkling Motown, pop, soul, and holiday classics, Rockapella has toured the globe and provided a funky powerful soundtrack to several generations of a capella music fans, showing every audience the raw power of pure vocal talent and originality.

**Wednesday, December 7**  
10 AM & 11:45 AM  
Grades 3–8



## CIRQUE MECHANICS: PEDAL PUNK

A Steampunk-inspired acrobatic whirlwind where cycling is the escape from technology obsessed society, Cirque Mechanics: Pedal Punk is pure artistry and thrill when a zany bike shop mechanic helps cyclists repair more than broken bikes, in what *Spectacle Magazine* calls “the greatest contribution to American circus since Cirque du Soleil.”

**Friday, January 13**  
10 AM & Noon  
Grades 5–8

## LA Opera presents FIGARO'S AMERICAN ADVENTURE

This lighthearted show is a wildly imaginative and engaging celebration of Rossini’s opera, *The Barber of Seville*. In colonial America, with his band of sneaky barbers and colonial compatriots, Figaro leads us on a delightful musical goose chase. Ultimately, he outsmarts his adversary and love triumphs as he helps his friend the Count win the hand of his beloved Rosina.

**Tuesday, January 17**  
10 AM & 11:30 AM  
Grades 2–5



## JUSTIN ROBERTS AND THE NOT READY FOR NAPTIME PLAYERS

Called the “Judy Blume of kiddie rock” (*The New York Times*), Grammy-nominated Justin Roberts and The Not Ready for Naptime Players dish out intelligent and whimsically-rocking music for kids and their parents.

**Friday, January 20**  
10 AM & 11:45 AM  
Grades K–4



## BLACK VIOLIN

Named one of the hottest bands of SXSW 2013, Black Violin’s rich blend of classical, hip-hop, rock, R&B, and bluegrass breaks down musical stereotypes to create a dynamic playful, high-energy, performance.

**Wednesday, February 1**  
Noon  
Grades 3–8



## Pepperdine Student Activities presents

### DANCE IN FLIGHT

For over 20 years, Dance in Flight has provided a safe environment for emerging student dancers and choreographers to cultivate creativity, physical expression, and teamwork in a professional performing atmosphere. The company members come from a variety of dance backgrounds, interests, and fields of study.

**Wednesday, February 8**  
10 AM  
Grades 2–5



## VERSA-STYLE DANCE COMPANY

Jackie Lopez and Leigh Foaad—aka Miss Funk and Breeze-lee—lead this dynamic troupe of some of the hippest street dancers in L.A. as they bust a move and spread their love of dance to the world. The energetic and uplifting show features hip-hop specialties like popping, locking, breaking, and house, along with salsa, West African, and merengue.

**Friday, March 3**  
10 AM & 11:45 AM  
Grades 2–6

