Special Performance

Excerpts from La Curandera

Robert Xavier Rodríguez's Mexican folklore themed opera intertwines Mexican culture with opera delightfully offering audiences traditional folkloric music with a Mozart-esque twist.

La Curandera is a comedic one-act opera with original stage direction by Dr. Stacey Fraser. It's modern and innovative music and staging will appeal to audiences who normally would turn a deaf ear to new music. The music for this opera is textured, multifaceted and alive with an upbeat orchestration reflecting the Latino culture.

By Robert Xavier Rodriguez
Dr. Stacey Fraser, Director
Dr. ChoEun Lee, Music Director and Pianist
Ms. Sandy Sooter, Choreographer
Ms. Jacqueline Saint-Anne, Costume Designer
Mr. Curtis Bailey, Projection Designer
(Senior in the Dept of Art)

Cast:
Maria Spalding as La Curandera
Andres Valenzuela as Alberto
Olivia Clark as Alba
Erick Valencia as Ramon
Leslie Gonzalez /Abbey Williams as Dionisia
Kevin Blickfeldt as General