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Washington Performing Arts September 23, 2023, Yunchan Lim Performance Postponed to Future Season

**Ticketholders may request to
donate the value of their tickets to Washington Performing Arts,
receive a credit for the value of tickets, or receive a full refund.**

Washington, D.C. — Washington Performing Arts today announced the postponement of pianist Yunchan Lim's September 23, 2023 Hayes Piano Series recital at the John F. Kennedy Center Terrace Theater to a future season. The post-performance reception, hosted by the Embassy of the Republic of Korea, is also postponed. This follows the announcement by IMG Artists that Yunchan Lim's September 2023 United States recitals are canceled due to personal reasons. Lim's management is working to reschedule the Washington Performing Arts concert for a date in a future season.

"I am heartbroken to disappoint the people who were planning to attend the performances. I am sorry to disappoint people who were looking forward to hearing this music. I look forward to being able to perform for you soon. Thank you again for your support and understanding," Lim said.

Washington Performing Arts ticket holders may request to either exchange their tickets for another Washington Performing Arts 2023-2024 performance, donate the value of their tickets to Washington Performing Arts, receive a Washington Performing Arts credit to be redeemed in the 2023-2024 season, or receive a refund for their performance tickets. Ticketholders should indicate their preference through the box office form:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdMSfZsZpkCu8ONHPaqdsIU9ZneclhuiQGyh2tqCIU-VrOIQ/viewform>.

ABOUT WASHINGTON PERFORMING ARTS

One of the most established and honored performing arts institutions in America, Washington Performing Arts has engaged for more than half a century with artists, audiences, students, and civic life. The city is truly our stage: for decades, in venues ranging from concert halls and clubs to public parks, we have presented a tremendous range of artists and art forms, from the most distinguished symphony orchestras to both renowned and emerging artists in classical music, jazz, international genres, and more. We also have an ever-expanding artistic and educational presence on the internet, envisioning ongoing opportunities for online connection and community.

Washington Performing Arts deeply values its partnerships with local organizations and other arts institutions. Through events online and in myriad performance venues and neighborhoods, we engage international visiting artists in community programs and introduce local artists to wider audiences. We place a premium on establishing artists as a continuing presence in the lives of both young people and adults through residencies and education programs.

Our achievements have been recognized with a National Medal of Arts and with three Mayor's Arts Awards from the DC Government. We have now embarked upon our second half-century, ever inspired by the motto of our founder, Patrick Hayes: "Everybody in, nobody out."

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