

Bay Atlantic Symphony to Perform Chopin and Beethoven with Pianist Sejoon Park May 22

Concert at Stockton University's Performing Arts Center in Galloway, N.J.

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Perhaps the most rhythmically energized symphony ever composed, Beethoven's Seventh is one of the most ebullient in the repertoire as well. As a complement, Chopin's Second Piano Concerto is supple and songlike. This program will feature acclaimed young talent Sejoon Park in his debut with the Bay Atlantic, Stockton's orchestra-in-residence.

They will perform the following selections:

Chopin Concerto No. 2 in F minor

Sejoon Park, piano

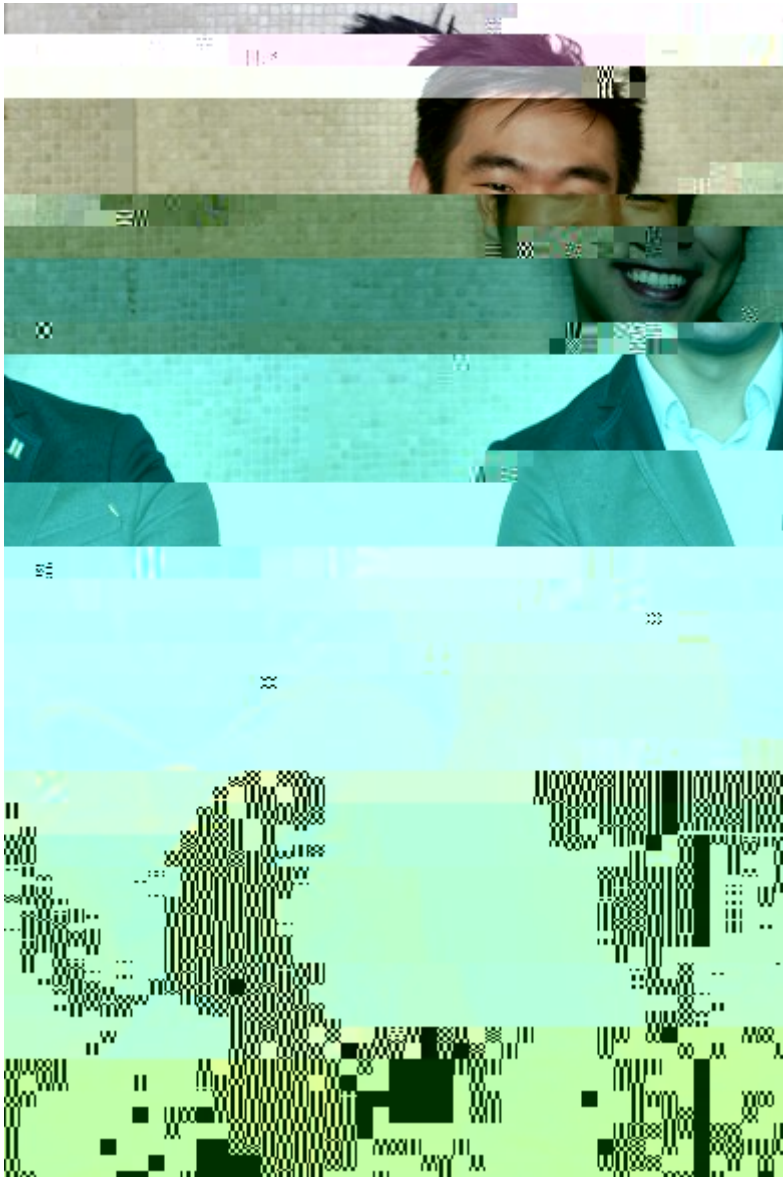
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Park was born in South Korea, began piano lessons at age 6 and made his orchestral debut with Korea's Busan Philharmonic Orchestra at age 10. After moving to the United States in 2001, he studied at the Levine School of Music, the Peabody Institute of the Johns Hopkins University and the Juilliard School.

Park has appeared on the stages of Lincoln Center's Alice Tully Hall and the Kennedy Center, and as a soloist with the Louisiana Philharmonic Orchestra, the Salina (Kansas) Symphony, the Eurasian Philharmonic, the South Carolina Philharmonic and the Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra. He also performed on National Public Radio's "From the Top."

A PianoArts Fellow and volunteer Artist for Sing for Hope, he regularly engages in musical outreach programs throughout the country.



Sejoon Park

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