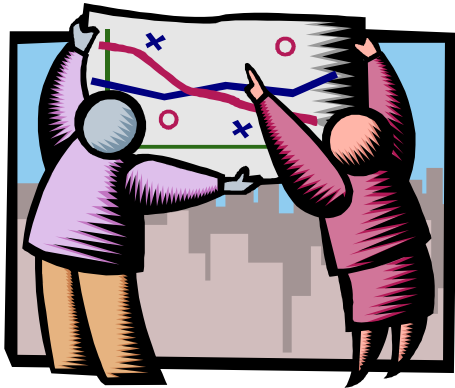


Thursday, September 15, 2011, 9:30 AM

Mid-State Meeting at Florida College Puckett Auditorium

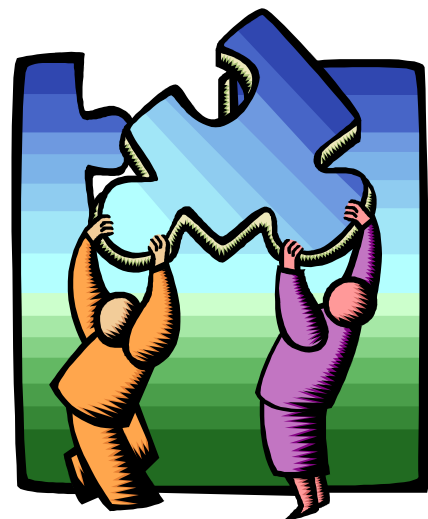


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Artist / Clinician



Judith Fleitas Jain

Judith Jain balances a career as a performer and pedagogue. Judith's performance career includes her 2010 Carnegie Hall debut and solo, chamber music, and orchestra recitals in US, Mexico, Cuba, and the commonwealth of Puerto Rico. Her teaching career is associated with the New School for Music Study, in Kingston, NJ, the University of Cincinnati-College Conservatory of Music, OH, and Indiana University in Bloomington.

Judith is a doctoral candidate in Piano Performance at the University of Cincinnati-College Conservatory of Music. From 2009-2010, she completed a post-graduate Fellowship in Piano Pedagogy at the prestigious New School for Music Study. The school specializes in the training of piano pedagogues, based on the teaching philosophy of Frances Clark. Her workshop "A Pedagogy of Practice" was featured at the Southwest Division of the Ohio Music Teachers Association in 2008, followed by a poster presentation on the same topic at the 2008 MTNA Conference in Denver, CO. For the National Conference on Keyboard Pedagogy, she was a performer in 2007 and was involved in the publicity campaign for the 2011 conference.

Judith and her husband recently relocated to Tampa, Florida. Upcoming engagements include a New York concert in late September, and the performance of Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 3, Op. 37, in Mexico, together with pedagogy workshops at the Puebla Conservatory in late November.

In the performance portion of her workshop for Mid-State on September 15th, Judith will present piano music of Argentinean composer, Alberto Ginastera (1916-1983). Pieces belong to his First Period of composition, known as Objective Nationalism, and feature Argentinean folk song themes and rhythms combined with 20th-century sonorities and a bit of virtuosic writing.

Judith Jain is a new member of Mid-State MTA. We warmly welcome her!

