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Indigenous Influences on Baroque Music from the Former Jesuit Reductions in Bolivia

Wednesday, 31 January | 3:00 p.m.

First Peoples House, Ceremonial Hall

Presented by [the Latin American Studies Program](#)

Dr. Piotr Nawrot is an internationally renowned musicologist specializing in 17th- and 18th-century compositions from the Jesuit missions of Paraguay and Bolivia. For over twenty years he has studied, reconstructed, and published thousands of scores composed there by European and Indigenous musicians. This musical treasure, mostly unknown, is key to understanding how the Chiquitano and Moxos peoples appropriated and accommodated European culture, creating community identity markers. Nawrot has contributed as historian, musical director, and conductor to multi-volume recordings that have made this music accessible to a larger public.

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