

**CCM**

CHAMBER SERIES  
PRESENTS

MUSICA NOVA  
“BLOOMING IN MURK:  
CONTEMPORARY  
IRANIAN-AMERICAN  
MUSIC”

Nick Photinos, director

**Tuesday October 13, 2026  
Cohen Family Studio Theater  
7:30 p.m.**

# PROGRAM

White Helmets as white as death (2017)

Niloufar Nourbakhsh  
(b. 1992)

Elva Tang, flute  
Jo-Ya Lin, clarinet  
Nick Photinos, cello\*

The Seville Orange Tree (2016)

Parisa Sabet  
(b. 1980)

Elva Tang, flute  
Hongjian Yan, piano

Saz-O-Dohol (2023)

Ali Balighi  
(b. 1986)

Jo-Ya Lin, clarinet  
Allison Olds, timpani

Lullaby (2015)

Sahba Aminikia  
(b. 1981)

Maxwell Hinton, piano

How Could I Know? (2023)

Parisa Sabet  
(b. 1980)

Jo-Ya Lin, clarinet  
Maxwell Hinton, piano

Blooming in Murk (2024)

Saman Shahi  
(b. 1987)

Elva Tang, flute  
Jo-Ya Lin, clarinet  
Maxwell Hinton, piano  
Hongjian Yan, piano  
Allison Olds, percussion

*\*denotes guest artist*

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