



Second Master of Music Recital

Tuesday, April 21, 2026

2pm, Mixon Hall

Xinran Zhang, cello
Mengyao Sun, piano

Sonata No. 2 for Cello and Piano in D Major, Op. 58

Felix Mendelssohn
(1809–1847)

Allegro assai vivace
Allegretto scherzando
Adagio
Molto Allegro e vivace

~ INTERMISSION ~

Two Pieces from Ballet Suite No. 2

Dmitri Shostakovich
(1906–1975)

Adagio
Springtime Waltz

Cello Sonata, Op. 6

Samuel Barber
(1901–1981)

Allegro ma non troppo
Adagio – Presto
Allegro appassionato

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