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**TAKÁCS QUARTET'S CANCELLED NOVEMBER CONCERT  
RESCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY, MARCH 3  
AT 8:00 P.M. IN HERTZ HALL**

**BERKELEY, December 20, 2011**—Cal Performances announces the rescheduling of the **Takács Quartet's** cancelled November concert. The added performance will be given on **Saturday, March 3 at 8:00 p.m. in Hertz Hall.** While the Grammy Award-winning group comprised of **Edward Dusinger** (violin), **Károly Schranz** (violin), **Geraldine Walther** (viola) and **András Fejér** (cello) may seem superhuman in their musical abilities, they are indeed mortal; one of the musicians succumbed to illness in November, thus cancelling the engagement. On March 3, the ensemble will perform **Antonín Dvořák's** String Quartet No. 10, Op. 51; one of **Franz Schubert's** best remembered string quartet, **String Quartet in C minor, "Quartettsatz,"** and a **Ludwig van Beethoven** favorite from his late quartets, **String Quartet No. 14 in C minor, Op. 131.**

If a patron would like a refund, they are advised to call the Ticket Office at 510.642.9988 by **January 31, 2012.** If Cal Performances is not contacted, patrons will automatically receive tickets for the March 3 concert in the mail; a patron's seat location will remain the same.

As previously scheduled, the Takács Quartet will also perform in Hertz Hall on February 19 at 3:00 p.m. The program includes **Leoš Janáček's** "*Intimate Letters*" which references the composers own joy, doubt and despair over a married woman, **Claude Debussy's** Quartet in G minor, Op. 10 and Britten's Quartet No. 3 in G major, which utilizes all possible pairings of the instruments and incorporates the styles of Beethoven, Shostakovich and Bartók.

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## TICKET INFORMATION

Tickets for the **Takács Quartet**'s rescheduled November concert on **Saturday, March 3, 2012**, at **8:00 p.m.** in Hertz Hall are priced at **\$60.00**. If a patron would like a refund, they need to contact Cal Performances' Ticket Office by **January 31, 2012**. If Cal Performances is not contacted, patrons will automatically receive tickets for the March 3 concert in the mail; a patron's seat location will remain the same. Questions regarding these procedures can be directed to the Ticket Office in person at Zellerbach Hall; by telephone at (510) 642-9988; by e-mail at [tickets@calperfs.berkeley.edu](mailto:tickets@calperfs.berkeley.edu); or by fax at (510) 643-2359. Half-price tickets are available for purchase by UC Berkeley students. UC faculty and staff, senior citizens, other students and UC Alumni Association members receive a \$5 discount (Special Events excluded). For more information, call Cal Performances at 510.642.9988, or visit the Cal Performances web site at [www.calperformances.org](http://www.calperformances.org).

For select performances, Cal Performances offers UCB student, faculty and staff, senior and community rush tickets. Rush tickets are announced two hours prior to a performance and are available in person only at the Ticket Office beginning one hour before the performance; quantities may be limited. Rush ticket sales are limited to one ticket per person; all sales are cash only. Rush ticket prices are \$10 for UCB students; \$15 for UCB faculty and staff (UCB ID required) and seniors age 65 or older; and \$20 for all other community members. Information is available on Cal Performances' Facebook page and at (510) 642-9988, press 2 for the rush hotline, two hours prior to a performance only.

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**RESCHEDULED EVENT**

**Saturday, March 3 at 8:00 p.m.**

**Hertz Hall, UC Berkeley Campus**  
Bancroft Way at College Ave., Berkeley

*Chamber Music*  
**Takács Quartet**

**Program:**

Dvořák/String Quartet No. 10, Op. 51  
Schubert/String Quartet in C minor, "Quartettsatz", D703  
Beethoven/String Quartet No. 14 in C minor, Op. 131

**Tickets:** \$60.00, available through the Cal Performances Ticket Office at Zellerbach Hall; at (510) 642-9988 to charge by phone; at [www.calperformances.org](http://www.calperformances.org); and at the door. If a patron would like a refund, they are advised to call the Ticket Office at 510.642.9988 by **January 31, 2012**. If Cal Performances is not contacted, patrons will automatically receive tickets for the March 3 concert in the mail; a patron's seat location will remain the same. Questions regarding these procedures can be directed to the Ticket Office in person at Zellerbach Hall; by telephone at (510) 642-9988; by e-mail at [tickets@calperfs.berkeley.edu](mailto:tickets@calperfs.berkeley.edu); or by fax at (510) 643-2359.

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