

Multicultural Sonic Evolution (MuSE) presents

QUARANTINI CONCERT SERIES

#1 “QUARANTINI”

A 60-minute Zoom concert moderated by Yui & Chihiro (in English)
<NY Time> Saturday, August 8, 2020 11am-12noon

Concert anyone can join from anywhere in the world♪

Today, we would like to share the music video we have just released on YouTube on 7/31 called “Quarantini” and talk about how the collaboration was like behind the scenes. We will also share other videos by artists.

Please have your own quarantini (coffee, juice, wine, sake, or anything you’d like!) during the concert.

<Program>

◆ Quarantini music by Yui Kitamura
performed by Chihiro Shibayama, percussion

◆ Konote Sonote (The Hands)
music by Mari Kotskyy
words by Mino Fukuchi
performance by MuSE Chorus

◆ The Girl from Ipanema
music by Antonio Carlos Jobim
performed by Wendy Law, cello

◆ In the Storm
music by Yui Kitamura
Eriko Sumi, violin
Reenat Pinchas, cello
Jun Kubo, flute
Chihiro Shibayama, percussion
Mariko Furukawa, piano

◆ plus some fun quizzes and Q&A with the artists.

<ZOOM LINK> Next time (Saturday, Aug. 22 at 11am in NY) uses the same link.
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86999852221?pwd=cU0rdThSY1lIT2EvS2x1NFF5YjNMZz09>

We ask you to join the concert by muting yourself except for game/quiz/Q&A portion of the concert. You can turn off your video if you would like to watch while you do something else.

[Note] This event is not streaming live performance. We would like to do live stream when we are out of the pandemic.

The list of the videos we have shared today.
If you liked them, please give them “LIKE” and subscribe to their channels. Thank you very much for supporting artists.

◆ Quarantini

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OtVVcuUyj74>

◆ Konote Sonote (The Hands)

<https://youtu.be/HqAhPKB7DsM>

◆ The Girl from Ipanema

The link we shared today <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KARXTHZMoyU>

The whole visual album <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kY81J4GwfxQ>

◆ In the Storm

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vGeU8LilcS8>



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Quarantini Concert Series link <https://www.musefriends.org/quarantini-concert-series>

This coming fall was supposed to be our 10th Sounds of Arts Festival. For the obvious reasons, we cannot hold our festival as we planned especially when we lost the venue we used has closed permanently due to Covid-19. We are thinking of making this year’s festival virtual and still support artists in the best possible way. If you can support our festival, a tax-deductible donation can be made on our website (via PayPal) and we are forever grateful. [Here](#) is the direct link to Paypal.

Of course, the money is only one of the ways you can support us. It would be great to see you coming back to find out our amazing artist friends in our Quarantini Concert Series or any future events we are hoping to meet you in person.

Thank you for your continuous support.

Yui Kitamura & Chihiro Shibayama, MuSE Co-founders and Co-directors

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