SUU’s One for All Choir Concert Celebrates Unity through Music
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Southern Utah University, Cedar City, Utah: SUU’s Department of Music will feature a combined Choirs Concert, One for All. The performance will be held Tuesday, April 17, 2018 at 7:30 p.m. in the Heritage Center Theater. Tickets are $10 for adults and $5 for students and children. Southern Utah University faculty, staff, and students are free with a valid ID card. Faculty and staff IDs are allowed one guest. Tickets can be purchased at the door the night of the concert or online at www.suu.edu/pva.

This delightful performance will include a mix of contemporary and Golden Age Broadway favorites such as “Do You Hear the People Sing” from Les Misérables, “Seize the Day” from Newsies, and “No One Mourns the Wicked” from Wicked.

“After conquering the impressive Carmina Burana in early March, the choral students decided to end the semester with musical theater selections celebrating the theme of unity,” said Dr. Krystal McCoy, Director of Choral Activities.

The SUU Choral Ensemble is made up of talented vocal performers from the Luminosa Women’s Choir, Concert Choir and the Opus Chamber Choir. This combined effort creates a rich and enlivening mixture of voices and sound. They bring a visual and social aspect to the theme of unity in musical theater.

“We want to give an authentic, amazing performance, and that comes with a lot of work! Practice doesn’t make perfect, practice makes performance!” said Macey Naumann, a senior choral music education major at SUU. As the student conductor, Naumann made the repertoire programming choices for this concert. “The audience can look forward to an amazing Musical Theater concert filled with music from both old and new theater! My favorite musical numbers are “Someone Like You” from Jekyll and Hyde and “Entr’acte” from The Hunchback of Notre Dame.”

Luminosa is an auditioned choir specifically designed for women’s voices. The Concert Choir, comprising 50-60 singers, is home to music majors and students from a variety of disciplines across campus. OPUS Choir is the premier mixed choral ensemble of Southern Utah University and has toured extensively in Utah, Nevada, Arizona, California, Washington, Canada, and England.

Celebrate unity through fantastic music and choral talent at the One for All Choir Concert. For more information on SUU’s Department of Music, please visit www.suu.edu/pva/music.
About the College of Performing and Visual Arts

The College of Performing and Visual Arts (CPVA) at Southern Utah University comprises 26 academic programs including liberal arts (BA/BS) and professional (BFA, BM) degrees in art, design, dance, music and theatre. It offers graduate programs in the fields of arts administration, music education, and music technology. More than 60 full- and part-time faculty and staff are engaged in teaching and mentoring over 600 majors in the College. CPVA presents over 100 performances, lectures, presentations, and exhibitions each year and is affiliated with the Southern Utah Museum of Art (SUMA), Utah Shakespeare Festival, and the Center for Shakespeare Studies. Southern Utah University is an accredited member of the National Association of Schools of Art & Design (NASAD), National Association of Schools of Dance (NASD), and the National Association of Schools of Music (NASM). For more information about the College of Performing and Visual Arts, visit www.suu.edu/pva.

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