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**New Amsterdam Presents yMusic and Julianna Barwick in concert at Hilbert Circle Theatre  
Jan. 26**

INDIANAPOLIS – A special Sunday-night performance curated by [New Amsterdam](#), the artistic partner of the ISO, will be presented Jan. 26, 2014, at 7 p.m. at the Hilbert Circle Theatre. General seating tickets are now on sale for \$20 each. The Indianapolis Symphony does not appear on this program.

New Amsterdam is the only non-profit, artist-services organization and record label of its kind. The collective partners with the ISO to periodically showcase the sophisticated, adventurous sound of the highly-trained composers and instrumentalists on the New Am label. Appearing on the Jan. 27 concert is vocalist [Julianna Barwick](#), whose looped vocal compositions defy easy categorization. In recent months, she has toured with Sigur Ros, sung with children's choirs in Krakow and Barcelona, and performed at the Guggenheim Museum, architect Phillip Johnson's Glass House and Yoko Ono's Meltdown Festival. She's been lauded by NPR and *The New York Times* as well as *Pitchfork* and *The Fader*.

In addition, the six members of [yMusic](#) will perform as part of the New Am program. Hailed by NPR as "one of the groups that has really helped to shape the future of classical music," yMusic is a group of young performers equally comfortable in the overlapping classical and pop music worlds. The "six hip virtuosos" (*Time Out NY*) play a unique combination of instruments: string trio, flute, clarinet and trumpet. This orchestration has inspired an expanding repertoire of works by some of today's most important artists. Indie rock luminaries Annie Clark (St. Vincent), Shara Worden (My Brightest Diamond) and Ryan Lott (Son Lux), have crafted instrumental works specifically for the ensemble. On yMusic's debut album, "Beautiful Mechanical," the group pairs these works with pieces by NewAm composers Judd Greenstein, Sarah Kirkland Snider and Gabriel Kahane, a result that was named *Time Out New York's* #1 Classical Record of 2011.

Also featured on the program is vocalist Kristin Newborn and the Indianapolis Children's Choir performing "From Rivers," a piece composed by Pulitzer-Prize winning composer Caroline Shaw for the opening of the new Sidney & Lois Eskenazi Hospital in Indianapolis.

Led by co-directors William Britelle, Judd Greenstein, and Sarah Kirkland Snider, New Amsterdam has been christened one of the most influential voices in new music by *Time Out New York*, *The New York Times*, *New York Magazine*, and many other outlets. Now in its second year of partnership with the ISO,

the group continues to bring its unique musical voice and influence to Indianapolis. The next New Am concert is scheduled for Tuesday, May 27, with the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra.

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