Church and Composers

Words and Sounds

Lumsa University, Via di Porta Castello, 44, Rome

13-15 September 2018

Programme

13 September - Music and Word

09:00-09:30 Welcoming

09:45 Opening Greetings from the Rector of the University and from Bishop Carlos AZEVEDO, Delegate of the Pontifical Council for Culture

10:00 "You heard the sound of words but saw no form: there was only a voice" (Dt 4:12): Card. Gianfranco RAVASI, President of the Pontifical Council for Culture

10:30 Composing for Christian Communities Today: John RUTTER, Composer, Great Britain

11:10 Historical Excursus: The Composing Style of the Sistine Chapel for Papal Celebrations: Mons. Massimo PALOMBELLA, SDB Director of the Cappella Musicale Pontificia "Sistina"

11:40 Break

12:00 – 12:45 WORKSHOPS

- 1. Translations, Music and Composition: Archbishop Arthur ROCHE, Secretary, Congregation for Divine Worship and Discipline of the Sacraments
- 2. Psalm, Psalms, Singing Psalms: Mons. Alberto TURCO, Coro Canto Gregoriano, Papal Archbasilica of St. John in Lateran
- 3. Singing the Word: Daniele SABAINO, Faculty of Musicology and History of Cultural Goods, Pavia

15:00 – 15:40 *The Bible and Biblical Songs:* Mons. Marco FRISINA, Director, *Coro della Diocesi di Roma*

16:00 – 16:40 *Music and Philology:* Thomas Forrest KELLY, Morton B. Knafel Research Professor of Music, Harvard University, USA

16:40 Break

17:00 – 17:40 *Music and Formation:* Mons. Vincenzo DE GREGORIO, Head, Pontifical Institute of Sacred Music

18:00 Roundtable: Mons. Marco FRISINA / Thomas Forrest KELLY / Mons. Vincenzo DE GREGORIO. Moderation: Fr. Jordi-A. PIQUÉ, OSB, Head, Pontifical Liturgical Institute, *Sant'Anselmo*

19:30 Vespers in the Sistine Chapel, presiding Archbishop Paul Richard GALLAGHER, Secretariat of State

14 September - Music and the Gospel

09:15 Claudio ZONTA, SJ, La Civiltà Cattolica

10:00 Salvatore MARTINEZ, National President, Renewal in the Spirit Movement 10:45 Break

11:15-12:30 WORKSHOPS

- 1. Spirituality and Songwriting in the New Evangelization: Nancy UELMEN, Gen Verde International Performing Arts Group
- 2. *Gospel and Composition:* Gabriel de Jesús FRAUSTO ZAMORA, Secretary for Liturgical Music of the Mexican Episcopal Conference
- 3. Oratorio and Cantata, History and Perspective: Richard MAILÄNDER, Musical Director, Diocese of Cologne, Germany

15:00 – 15:40 *New Forms*: Mons. Pierangelo SEQUERI, Head, Pontifical Institute "John Paul II"

16:00 – 16:40 *New Styles*: Maeve Louise HEANEY, Theology Faculty, Australian Catholic University

16:40 Break

17:00 – 18:30 Roundtable: Movements

Nancy UELMEN (Gen-Focolari) / Luciana LEONE (RnS) / Pippo MOLINO (Communion and Liberation).

15 September - Music and Instruments

9:15 - 10:15 WORKSHOPS

- 1. Modes, Tones, Contemporary Times: Joana CARNEIRO, Teatro Nacional São Carlos Lisbon, Portugal
- 2. Organ, Guitar, Tambourine: Mons. Pierangelo RUARO, Director, Diocesan Office for the Liturgy, Vicenza
- 3. Electronic Music: Marcello FILOTEI, Music Critic
- 10:30 *Instruments: one beauty, many expressions:* Gianna FRATTA, Orchestral Conductor
- 11:15 "I saw and I heard the voices of many around the throne": the pipe organ: Simon JOHNSON, Organist, St. Paul's Cathedral, Great Britain
- 12:00 12:45 "Praise him with the harp and ... with the tambourine ..." (Ps 150:3): Liturgical Inculturation and Musical Instruments : Fr. Olivier-Marie SARR, OSB, Liturgist, Pontifical Athenaeum Sant'Anselmo

14:30 Departure for Assisi

20 – Concert at Assisi in the *Basilica Superiore* within the context of the Francesco Siciliani Prize, an international competition for a composition in sacred music, Fondazione Perugia Musica Classica Onlus with the *St. Jacob's Chamber Choir*, Stockholm, directed by Gary GRADEN