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**Long Island Guitar Festival 2012**  
**20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**  
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**Harris Becker, Festival Director**  
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November 13, 2011

Dear Friend,

The Department of Music of the School of Visual and Performing Arts at Long Island University's C.W. Post Campus is pleased to announce the 20th Annual Long Island Guitar Festival from April 16 to 22, 2012 at Tilles Center's Hillwood Recital Hall.

In the past, the Long Island Guitar Festival has proudly presented such distinguished guitarists as Ana Vidovic, Paul Galbraith, Fabio Zanon, Denis Azabagic, Paul O'Dette, The Los Angeles Guitar Quartet, Gyan Riley, Jerome Ducharme, Newman/Oltman Duo, Raphaella Smits, Adam Holzman, Roland Dyens, David Leisner, Frederic Hand, Carlo Domeniconi (U.S. Debut), Manuel Barrueco, Michael Lorimer, Eduardo Fernandez, Cecilia Siqueria, Hayley Savage, Jorge Caballero, Howard Alden, Mark Elf, Eliot Fisk, Ben Moran, Frank Vignola, Chiel Minucci, Jerry Willard, Howard Morgen, Bucky and John Pizzarelli, Pat O'Brien, Dennis Koster, Harris Becker, Amanda Cook, Ernesto Tamayo, Kevin Dolen, Pasquale Bianculli, Curtis High School Guitar Ensemble, Dennis Cinelli, Dušan Bogdanović, John Zaccari, David Starobin, Benjamin Verdery and Lutenist Ronn McFarlane.

This will be our 20th anniversary year and we are planning a major celebration. It will be another exciting year of workshops, master classes and concerts including **The Los Angeles Guitar Quartet, Carlo Domeniconi, The Appassionata Trio, Benjamin Verdery, and David Leisner**. Also, we are planning high school ensemble workshops and master classes, workshops in electric guitar techniques and the music of J.S. Bach, a jazz improvisation workshop, an Emerging Artist Series concert, and a C.W. Post / Long Island University Guitar Department Alumni Concert.

The Long Island Guitar Festival has maintained a commitment to the performance of new works for the guitar over the past 20 years. The festival has now featured two Guitarist-Composer festivals - the first in 2005, the second in 2008. Throughout the festival's history we have always had premieres, beginning in our first year in 1993. In 2007 we presented our 15th festival and in celebration included premieres by Jorge Morel, Hayley Savage and Howard Rovics. In 2002 the festival featured a new work written for the festival by Carlo Domeniconi – "Long Island Suite" a suite in seven movements. The upcoming Festival will feature the world premiere of a concerto for guitar, violin & musical saw by Dr. Alan Hirsh.

Another ongoing commitment has been to emerging artists. Each festival includes at least one emerging artist concert by a selected up and coming student or new professional.



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We are asking the business community and individuals to be part of our festival by advertising in our festival program book. With your support we are able to continue the Long Island Guitar Festival and an established tradition of excellence in guitar performance and pedagogy.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the C.W. Post Department of Music at (516) 299-3181 or [LIGFestival@aol.com](mailto:LIGFestival@aol.com).

Thank you very much for consideration of our proposal.

Sincerely,

*Harris Becker*

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