

**Tel – Hai International
Piano Master Classes**
In memory of Marina Bondarenko
Under the patronage of Evgeny Kissin



תל-חי כיתות אמן
בינלאומיות לפסנתר (ע"ר)
לזכרה של מרינה בונדרנקו
בחסות יבגני קיסין

Wednesday, July 31th 2019, 16:00

יום רביעי, 31 ביולי 2019, 16:00

Evens Hall

אולם אוונס

Master Class

John O'Conor

Ireland

L. v. Beethoven

Piano Sonata No. 17 in D minor "The Tempest", Op. 31

Jung Hwan Lee, South Korea

F. Chopin

Polonaise-Fantaisie in A-flat major, Op. 61

Tatia Kukhianidze, Georgia

John O'Connor

Chair of the Piano Division at Shenandoah University in Virginia; Professor of Piano at the Glenn Gould School, the Royal Conservatory of Music in Toronto; International Visiting Artist at the Royal Irish Academy of Music and Visiting Professor at Showa University in Japan, he is artistic director and jury chairman of the Dublin International Piano Competition. One of today's most sought after performers, teachers and contest adjudicators. Has given recitals in world's famous halls, such as New York's Lincoln Center, the Kennedy Center in Washington, the Wigmore Hall in London, Musikverein in Vienna, the Dvorak Hall in Prague, the Bunka Kaikan in Tokyo. Has appeared with leading orchestras on the five continents. Collaborated in chamber music with the Cleveland, Tokyo, Vanburgh, Vermeer, Takacs, and Ying string quartets as well as with singers and instrumentalists. Has conducted acclaimed master-classes throughout the world. First-prize winner in the Beethoven piano competition, Vienna. He studied in his native Dublin, then in Vienna with Dieter Weber. Made a special study of Beethoven with Wilhelm Kempff.