

Conversation and Performance with Yamandu Costa



Tuesday, April 19, 2022

4:00 - 5:00 pm EDT

FIU MMC - GC 275A

Yamandu Costa is widely considered one of the great guitarists in the world today. This virtuoso 7-string guitar player has left audiences breathless around the world with his impressive skill and overwhelming passion. Born to a musical family in Rio Grande do Sul in the south of Brazil, he played his first major concert at age 17 in São Paulo and quickly gained international fame for his incredible talent.

Yamandu is credited with reviving Brazilian guitar music and his diverse repertoire includes styles like chorinho, bossa nova, milonga, tango, samba and chamamé, making him difficult to categorize into a single genre.

A 2021 Latin GRAMMY winner for Best Instrumental Album, Costa has collaborated with Bobby McFerrin, Richard Galliano, Doug de Vries, Gilberto Gil, Toquinho, João Bosco, Ney Matogrosso, Marisa Monte, Renato Borghetti and more. He has also been a featured soloist with prestigious symphony orchestras around the world.

**“Musicians of this caliber that make you
fall out of your seat come once in a
generation.”**

– La Presse Montreal

Event in Portuguese. Part of LACC's FLAC Lecture Series and LACC's Program of Excellence in Brazilian Studies (PROBRAS). In partnership with Gene De Souza, producer at Brazilian Nites and host of Café Brasil on 88.9FM WDNA.

By invitation only for Portuguese language students at FIU.

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