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### **Ibis Camerata to Perform Schumann, Brahms, Kam and Ewazen at The Newton Free Library on Sunday, December 30 at 2:00 pm**

The Ibis Camerata was formed under the auspices of the University of Miami's Frost School of Music in 2001 and has garnered much attention with audiences and critics in the U. S. and around the world. They command a varied repertoire and perform rarely heard classical masterpieces, works by contemporary composers and non-conventional pieces such as tango and jazz. Offering audiences an original and unique listening experience, the Ibis Camerata's innovative vision takes them well beyond the boundaries of classical music. They have been recognized as one of North America's premier young ensembles by some of the world's top chamber musicians and have given critically acclaimed performances in festivals and cities worldwide. A duo from the Camerata will perform at the Newton Free Library on Sunday, December 30 at 2:00 pm.

Biljana Milovanovic, piano and harpsichord, is a native of Belgrade, Serbia and is a founding member of Ibis Camerata. She began piano studies at the age of six at the Mokranjac music school for gifted children. Ms. Milovanovic graduated from the world renowned Conservatory "Rimsky- Korsakov" in St-Petersburg, Russia under full scholarship and completed her doctoral studies in Chamber Music performance at the University Of Miami Frost School Of Music. She holds numerous first prizes from international competitions and has performed both as a soloist and chamber musician throughout Europe and the United States. Her performances can be heard on many public radio stations in the United States, as well as on TV and radio in Europe.

Christopher Graham, clarinet holds B.M. and D.M.A. degrees from the University of Miami and a M.M. from the Royal Academy of Music in London. In Boston, he has performed at Symphony Hall, Jordan Hall and Sanders Theater at Harvard. He has participated in numerous summer festivals including the Tanglewood Institute and has performed with orchestras in the U. S and beyond. He is on the faculty of the New World School of the Arts in Miami where he teaches gifted college and high school students.

For more information call the Newton Free Library at 617-796-1360. All programs are free and open to the public, parking is free. The Newton Free Library is handicap accessible.

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