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Pianist Jacques Abram, visiting professor of music at New College, will present a solo recital in the Music Room of College Hall Tuesday, May 17, at 8 p.m.

The recital is one of a series of performances by the music faculty given for the college community and guests during the year.

Abram will have as his program for the evening Beethoven's Sonata, Opus 109, three selections by Debussy, Poissons d'Or, Feux d'Artifice, and l'Isle Joyeuse, and Chopin's Sonata in B Minor.

Abram has been guest soloist with all of the major European orchestras including the Vienna Symphony and London's Royal Philharmonic. He was chosen by British composer, Benjamin Britten, to present his First Piano Concerto in the United States and he has performed it as guest soloist with some of the most important symphony orchestras including the New York Philharmonic, the San Francisco Symphony, and the Los Angeles Philharmonic.

At the age of 10 Abram held a scholarship at the Curtis Institute and at the Juilliard School of Music at 14. In addition to his concert duties and his teaching at New College he is professor of piano at the University of South Florida.