Sunday, March 20, 2016
3:00pm
Madonna della Strada Chapel

Minkyoo Shin, Organ

Five Dance for Organ
   I. The Primitives
   II. At the Ballet
   V. Everyone Dance

Balleto del granduca

Passacaglia and Fugue in C Minor, BWV 582

Organbook III
   III. Basse de trompette
   IV. Jig for the Feet (Totentanz)
   VI. Finale – The Offering

Calvin Hampton (1938-1984)
Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck (1562-1621)
Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)
William Albright (1944-1998)

Minkyoo Shin earned a Bachelor’s degree from the Peabody Conservatory of Music and a Master’s degree from the Yale School of Music. She received her doctorate in organ performance and literature with a minor in music theory at the Jacobs School of Music, Indiana University Bloomington. Her teachers have included Peggy Haas Howell, Thomas Murray, Donald Sutherland, and Christopher Young. She also participated in the North German Academy Summer Festival where she studied with Harald Vogel. An avid proponent of new music for organ, her dissertation focused on the Metric Analysis of Selected Modern “Dances” for organ, an approach that has informed her teaching methods to a great extent.

Dr. Shin has performed throughout the United States as well as in Germany and Austria. She has been featured on Chicago’s classical station WFMT 98.7 as part of “Make Music Chicago.” She has also received a number of awards including finalists in the American Guild of Organist’s National Young Artist Competition in Organ Performance, first-place winner in the Region III young artist’s competition of the American Guild of Organist and finalist in the Yale University Institute of Sacred Music Biennial Organ Competition. In addition, Dr. Shin received the Wood Chandler Memorial Scholarship awarded to an outstanding major in organ playing from the Yale School of Music.

Dr. Shin serves as adjunct professor of music at Trinity Christian College in Palos Heights, Illinois and as music director at Lutheran Church of the Ascension in Northfield, Illinois. She resides in Chicago with her husband, Mischa Zupko and her son Leo.