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WYSU Thrilled to be featured in Fall/Winter 2019 Youngstown State University Magazine!

As part of our 50th anniversary celebration, WYSU was honored to have an article by station director Gary Sexton featured in the most recent edition of the Youngstown State University alumni magazine. In the article, Gary explains how WYSU has been 'an anomaly in a good way' by maintaining a focus on classical music. According to Gary, "classical music has been the single thread running through all 50 years of WYSU's existence, which is a wonderful thing to recognize and celebrate. What an honor it has been for all of us here to be part of that." Click [HERE](#) to read Gary's article.



WYSU 2020 Travel Excursion: The Best of Italy & Greece

Join us for the 2020 WYSU travel excursion 'The Best of Italy & Greece', as our travelers get an intimate look inside the cultures that shaped Western civilization. Our group's travel dates are **May 16th through May 29th**. This is a private tour, with a limited capacity of no more than 30 travelers, so book your spots now!

Information and reservations through

Ana Torres at 330-941-1717. More information available [HERE](#).



MARK YOUR CALENDAR AND JOIN US!

- **The American Brass Quintet** – January 24th at the DeYor Performing Arts Center in downtown Youngstown. Click [HERE](#) for details.
- **The Dance Theatre of Harlem** – February 12th at the DeYor Performing Arts Center in downtown Youngstown. Click [HERE](#) for details.
- **Winter Listener Appreciation Night** – February 13th at Noble Creature Cask House. Click [HERE](#) for details.
- **WYSU Spring 2020 Donor Drive "Onward & Upward"** March 25th through March 28th **Contribute NOW!**

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Avoid the hassles of selling your vehicle when you donate it. The pick-up is free, and your gift is tax-deductible.

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WYSU Vehicle Donation Program

THERE'S AN EASY WAY TO GET RID OF THAT UNWANTED VEHICLE...DONATE IT TO 88.5 WYSU-FM!

We'll handle all the hassles of selling or removing your extra car, truck, RV, motorcycle, or even ski-boat - all for free. The process is easy, and we take care of the paperwork and pick-up. Just call 855-277-2346 or [CLICK HERE](#).

Our vehicle donation program has been doing very well for the station! During 2019 we had 37 vehicles donated to WYSU to help support our public radio programming. Please help us keep that momentum going - Donate your unwanted vehicle today!



WYSU IS EXCITED TO AGAIN BE A MEDIA PARTNER FOR THE 44TH CLEVELAND INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL!

CIFF44 will be held March 25 through April 5, 2020 at Tower City Cinema in Cleveland. Watch our website and Facebook page for more information, and WYSU members only promotions!

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THE TAKEAWAY • WEEKDAYS AT 6 PM

Produced by WNYC in New York City, WYSU-FM is happy to bring its weekday evening listeners The Takeaway.

The Takeaway offers a fresh alternative in daily news featuring critical conversations, live reports from the field, and listener participation. The Takeaway provides a breadth and depth of world, national, and regional news coverage that is unprecedented in public media.

Starting around January 27th, regular host Tanzina Vega will go on maternity leave, and an exciting roster of great journalists will be filling in for her:

- January 27th - February 27th: Arun Venogupal, WNYC News
- March 2nd - March 31st: Duarte Geraldino, Deputy Managing Business Editor, Al Jazeera Digital; Former PBS NewsHour correspondent
- April 1st - April 30th: Lizzie O'Leary, Host of Slate's What Next: TBD (Friday podcast); Former Marketplace Weekend Host
- May 4th - May 29th: Shumita Basu, WNYC News

These hosts will continue to bring us the sharp journalism, analysis and smart takes on the news, culture and more that we have come to expect from The Takeaway.

The Takeaway strives to deliver national and international news and cultural stories through a conversational and unprecedented personality-driven format. Tune in weeknights at 6:00 and find out for yourself!

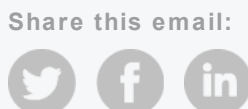
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