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Trio Eusebius to perform on Friday 24 July in the Rector's Palace

Dubrovnik, 22 July 2020 – **Trio Eusebius** consisting of violinist **Eva Šulić**, cellist **Tonka Javorović**, and pianist **David Vuković** will perform at the 71st Dubrovnik Summer Festival on Friday, 24 July at 9.30 pm in the Rector's Palace and perform works by Dubravko Detoni, Dmitri Shostakovich and Maurice Ravel.

The first festival performance of this young piano trio, which was founded in 2017 at the Music Academy in Zagreb, brings the **Dubravko Detoni** piece *They Call Me Tryor*, a piece for piano, violin and cello, that he composed in Dubrovnik in 1996 at the initiative of the Orlando Trio, who premiered it in Zagreb the following year at the composer's birthday concert. The piece was already performed at the Dubrovnik Summer Festival by the Zagreb Trio in 2012 and, in addition to the arrangement for piano, violin and cello, its arrangement for piano, flute and saxophone is also often performed. In 2019 the Trio achieved great results at the 16th Ferdo Livadić International Competition of Young Musicians (winning the Ferdo Livadić Award for Best Artistic Personality and the City of Samobor and Croatian Composers' Society Award for Best Performance of a Work by a Croatian Composer for Dubravko Detoni's composition They Call Me Tryor). The concert repertoire then includes the Trio for Violin, Cello and Piano by Dmitry Shostakovich, a composition that is considered one of the most significant works of chamber music of the 20th century. The four-part Piano Trio in A minor by French composer Maurice Ravel is the only piano trio written by this composer, and the Eusebius Trio dedicates the second part of its festival concert to it.

Tickets for this performance are available for purchase at the Dubrovnik Summer Festival website www.dubrovnik-festival.hr or via www.ulaznice.hr ticketing service and at the box office of the Festival Palace (OdSigurate1) every day from 9 am to 9.30 pm. Purchases made with Mastercard® and Maestro® cards receive a 10% discount while all purchases and orders over 500 kunas receive a 30% discount voucher for Festival souvenirs. OTP bank continues the tradition of supporting the Festival, and this year with the loyalty program OTPetica offers its users an additional 10% discount when buying tickets at the box office in the Festival Palace.

The Dubrovnik Summer Festival will comply with the recommendations of the **Croatian Institute of Public Health** for preventing the spread of COVID-19 disease during all festival events, and we kindly ask the audience to do the same.

The Dubrovnik Summer Festival, as the centre of Croatian and global spirit and culture, a place of creation, and not just a place of visit, a place of encounters, ideas and new artistic expressions, is traditionally supported this year by the Ministry of Culture of the Republic of Croatia, the City of Dubrovnik, the Dubrovnik-Neretva County and numerous sponsors, to help realize this most prestigious cultural event in Croatia.

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