

BOOK LAUNCH, FILM SCREENING, and MINI-CONCERT

Join us for the book launch of *The Shell Seeker* by ocean expert and award-winning author Juli Berwald. Gorgeously illustrated and featuring an interactive wheel set into the cover, the book explores the ways shells have inspired us through art, music, architecture, financial systems, and even by providing insights into our future.

The event will include a screening of a short documentary, *The Rebel Reef*, a collaboration between Juli and Emmy-nominated composer Chad Cannon. The film interweaves the story of human resilience with that of an unexpectedly healthy coral reef in Honduras.

Chad composed the score for the film and will perform a mini concert after the screening, with excerpts from his concert, *Music for the Ocean*.



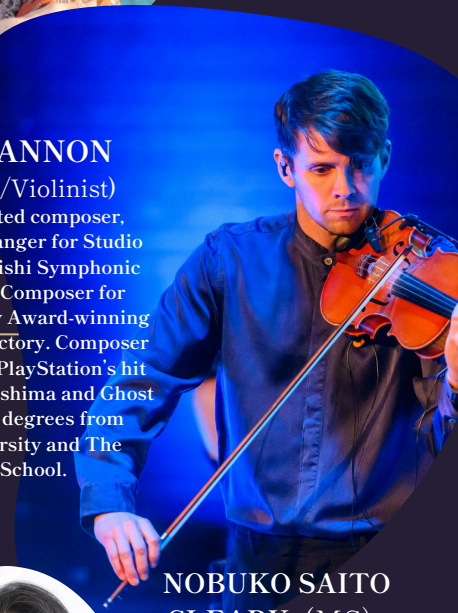
DR. JULI BERWALD

Marine scientist, author of *Spineless* and *Life on the Rocks*, and founder of the nonprofit *Tela Coral*. Holds a Ph.D. in Ocean Science from the University of Southern California.

CHAD CANNON

(Composer/Violinist)

Emmy-nominated composer, violinist, and arranger for Studio Ghibli's *Joe Hisaishi Symphonic Film Concerts*. Composer for Netflix's Academy Award-winning film *American Factory*. Composer and arranger for PlayStation's hit titles *Ghost of Tsushima* and *Ghost of Yotei*. Holds degrees from Harvard University and The Juilliard School.



NOBUKO SAITO CLEARY (MC)

Recipient of Japan's 2022 Order of the Rising Sun, with Silver Rays & internationally recognized advocate for U.S.-Japan cultural exchange. Producer of the Hiroshima film *Paper Lanterns*.



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6:00-8:00pm (Light Refreshments Served)

@ INTERNATIONAL HOUSE OF JAPAN 5-11-16 Roppongi, Minato-ku, Tokyo



RSVP: (2,500JPY)

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