

ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LIST

STATION: KXLU Los Angeles – 88.9FM
PUBLIC AFFAIRS DIRECTOR: Peter Ludwig
PROGRAM: Mystic Pete Chronicles

ISSUE: Novelty vs Chaos

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: How can we appreciate the new?

DATE: 1-7-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with experimental percussionist Ji Hye Jung who was praised as “spectacular” by the Los Angeles Times and “extraordinary” by the Ventura County Star. Ms. Jung began concertizing in her native South Korea at the age of nine where she performed more than 100 concerts including solo appearances with every major orchestra in Korea. Soon after coming to the United States in 2004, Ms. Jung garnered consecutive first prizes at the 2006 Linz International Marimba Competition and the 2007 Yale Gordon Concerto Competition. Essay by Marc Porter Zasada: Celebration of chaos. Musical interludes by Ji Hye Jung, and Hillary Hahn.

ISSUE: New Music

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Experimentalists...musical, psychological and emotional

DATE: 1-14-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with NY-based composer inti figgis-vizueta (b.1993) who braids a childhood of overlapping immigrant communities and Black-founded Freedom schools—in Chocolate City (DC)—with direct Andean & Irish heritage and a deep connection to the land. “Her music feels sprouted between structures, liberated from certainty and wrought from a language we’d do well to learn” writes *The Washington Post*. inti's work explores the transformative power of group improvisation and play, working to reconcile historical aesthetics and experimental practices with trans & Indigenous futures. Musical interludes by inti figgis-vizueta and Ji Hye Jung.

ISSUE: Supporting organ recipients

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Have A Heart

DATE: 1-21-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with Ava Kaurman of "AVA'S HEART," a nonprofit charity dedicated to providing financial assistance for organ transplant patients who cannot afford necessary treatment and care. Founded by heart transplant recipient, Ms. Kaufman, they provide pre-transplant and post-transplant patients a wide variety of basic essentials not covered by insurance. Story by Mystic Pete: "Goodbye Kidney."

ISSUE: REPLAY- Novelty vs Chaos

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- How can we appreciate the new?

DATE: 1-28-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with experimental percussionist Ji Hye Jung who was praised as "spectacular" by the Los Angeles Times and "extraordinary" by the Ventura County Star. Ms. Jung began concertizing in her native South Korea at the age of nine where she performed more than 100 concerts including solo appearances with every major orchestra in Korea. Soon after coming to the United States in 2004, Ms. Jung garnered consecutive first prizes at the 2006 Linz International Marimba Competition and the 2007 Yale Gordon Concerto Competition. Essay by Marc Porter Zasada: Celebration of chaos. Musical interludes by Ji Hye Jung, and Hillary Hahn.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Supporting organ recipients

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Have A Heart

DATE: 2-4-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with Ava Kaurman of "AVA'S HEART," a nonprofit charity dedicated to providing financial assistance for organ transplant patients who cannot afford necessary treatment and care. Founded by heart transplant recipient, Ms. Kaufman, they provide pre-transplant and post-transplant patients a wide variety of basic essentials not covered by insurance. Story by Mystic Pete: "Goodbye Kidney."

ISSUE: Cultural lesson #2

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Japanese Theater

DATE: 2-11-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Discussion about Japanese Theater with Katharine B. Free (elected to the 2017 LMU Faculty Hall of Fame), who began doing KXLU's Monday Night at the Opera in the 1970's. She discusses: -forms of Japanese theater (Noh, Kabuki, etc.); -how these forms emerged from court, religion and the public; -connections with Western theatre and art; -the works of some of the great Japanese playwrights and influencers. Musical interludes by Ensemble Nipponia.

ISSUE: Artistic Development

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: How to succeed in the music industry: plan on really, really trying.

DATE: 2-18-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with Ottawa born Mike Gormley who has achieved top recognition as journalist, record company executive, artist manager, music supervisor for TV and films and marketing/PR expert in the 40+ years in the music industry. His work has brought the world such artists as film composer Danny Elfman, and The Bangles and helped launch the careers of such diverse artists as Rod Stewart, Rush, BTO, The Police and Supertramp. We discuss the artistic process, and what it takes to support talent in this rapidly changing creative environment. Musical interludes by Jeff "Skunk" Baxter and Trevor McShane.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Artistic Development

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- How to succeed in the music industry: plan on really, really trying.

DATE: 2-25-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with Ottawa born Mike Gormley who has achieved top recognition as journalist, record company executive, artist manager, music supervisor for TV and films and marketing/PR expert in the 40+ years in the music industry. His work has brought the world such artists as film composer Danny Elfman, and The Bangles and helped launch the careers of such diverse artists as Rod Stewart, Rush, BTO, The Police and Supertramp. We discuss the artistic process, and what it takes to support talent in this rapidly changing creative environment. Musical interludes by Jeff "Skunk" Baxter and Trevor McShane.

ISSUE: Spirituality through the arts

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Jai Uttal

DATE: 3-3-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with Jai Uttal, Grammy nominated sacred music composer, recording artist, multi-instrumentalist, and ecstatic vocalist, who combines influences from India with influences from American rock and jazz, who tries to create a stimulating and exotic multi-cultural fusion that is truly world spirit music. We discuss the challenges of being a musician, even for a recognizable figure like Jai Uttal, and how music can fuse with spirituality so it can be appealing to a general audience. Musical interludes by Jai Uttal.

ISSUE: Emerging singer/songwriters

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Neska and Libby Rose

DATE: 3-10-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with Neska and Libby Rose, 17-year-old multi-hyphenate talents. Neska writes the songs and sings lead, and Libby, her twin sister, is her harmonist and pianist. This pair are recording an EP with six-time Grammy Award-winning producer David Greenbaum and we discuss how one finds one's unique voice as emerging artists, and the challenges and opportunities that present. Also, an homage to 60s chanteuse "Melanie," who recently died. Musical interludes by Neska and Libby, and Melanie.

ISSUE: Poetry and Music

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: The New Jet Set and Emily Dickenson

DATE: 3-17-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with drummer, author and music educator Matt Johnson, who is equally versed in all forms of jazz, pop and world drumming styles and has performed with a range of entertainers, from singers Julie Andrews and Andy Williams and Surf-rock pioneers Jan and Dean to big band legends Billy May and Les Brown. He is a founding member of the Tony Guerrero Quintet which, since 2014, has toured with Golden Globe- and Emmy Award-winning actress/comedienne Jane Lynch. Also, "Poetry Corner," with Mystic Pete reading many works by Emily Dickenson. Musical interludes by Matt Johnson's band, The New Jet Set.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Poetry and Music

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- The New Jet Set and Emily Dickenson

DATE: 3-24-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Interview with drummer, author and music educator Matt Johnson, who is equally versed in all forms of jazz, pop and world drumming styles and has performed with a range of entertainers, from singers Julie Andrews and Andy Williams and Surf-rock pioneers Jan and Dean to big band legends Billy May and Les Brown. He is a founding member of the Tony Guerrero Quintet which, since 2014, has toured with Golden Globe- and Emmy Award-winning actress/comedienne Jane Lynch. Also, "Poetry Corner," with Mystic Pete reading many works by Emily Dickenson. Musical interludes by Matt Johnson's band, The New Jet Set.

ISSUE: Local Theater

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: The Odyssey's Ron Sossi & Kevin Flynn

DATE: 3-31-24
TIME: 7pm-8pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: *Marc Porter Zasada*, as part of a series called, "Staying Human," interviews Ron Sossi, founder of the Odyssey Theater in West Los Angeles, and director of "Stalin's Master Class," currently in production, about his vision for the theater, and this play; and Marc also interviews Kevin Flynn, award winning actor, writer, producer, host, and comedian, who is currently touring nationally with his one-man show, *Fear of Heights—A Very Funny Phobia* about to play at the Odyssey Theater. Musical interludes by Prince Diabate and Michael Jost.

ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LIST

STATION: KXLU Los Angeles – 88.9FM
PUBLIC AFFAIRS DIRECTOR: Peter Ludwig
PROGRAM: Passing Judgment

ISSUE: REPLAY- Ethics and influence: Exploring Allegations Surrounding Supreme Court Justices

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Ethics and influence: Exploring Allegations Surrounding Supreme Court Justices

DATE: 1-4-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: On the newest episode of the Passing Judgment podcast, we focus on the ethical dilemmas surrounding Supreme Court justices and their affiliations. Joined by Supreme Court correspondent for USA Today, John Fritze, we delve into Justice Thomas' alleged luxurious trips to Justice Alito's controversies, and examine a web of potential influences on court decisions. Fritze shares his expertise on how the lack of clear authority to enforce ethical rules raises questions about self-policing and potential separation of powers concerns. This episode emphasizes the need for ethics reform and transparency urging us to question the higher standard we hold for our esteemed justices.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Inside the Trump Trials: Examining RICO, Election Fraud, and High Stakes Legal Maneuvers with Rebecca Beitsh

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Inside the Trump Trials: Examining RICO, Election Fraud, and High Stakes Legal Maneuvers with Rebecca Beitsh

DATE: 1-11-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Let's dive into the intriguing world of legal cases involving former President Donald Trump. With a multitude of indictments, federal trials, and state investigations, it can be challenging to keep track of all the allegations and their implications. Our host is joined by special guest Rebecca Beitsh as they unpack the latest developments in these cases, including the controversy surrounding RICO conspiracy charges and the federal case relating to the 2020 election. They discuss the unique aspects of these cases, such as the involvement of a candidate for federal office and the legality of hush money payments. Jessica and Rebecca also examine the strategic decisions being made by defense attorneys, the upcoming trial dates, and potential implications for the former president. So, put on your legal thinking caps, because we're about to pass judgment on these complex and consequential legal battles.

ISSUE: REPLAY- The Ongoing Civil Case: Fraud Allegations, Bias, and Witness Testimonies Against the Former President

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- The Ongoing Civil Case: Fraud Allegations, Bias, and Witness Testimonies Against the Former President

DATE: 1-18-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: In today's episode of the Passing Judgment podcast, we explore the intricacies of the legal realm and examine the most recent developments in the ongoing civil case against the former president. Our guest is Elie Honig, a CNN senior analyst and the bestselling author of 'Hatchet Man.' Together, we delve into the allegations of fraud, witness tampering, and their potential implications for our justice system. From analyzing the judge's ruling to questioning the validity of guilty pleas, this episode leaves no stone unturned. We also delve into the power dynamics, legal strategies, and potential solutions within this captivating case, which could have significant, far-reaching consequences.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Inside the Trump Trials: Examining RICO, Election Fraud, and High Stakes Legal Maneuvers with Rebecca Beitsh

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Inside the Trump Trials: Examining RICO, Election Fraud, and High Stakes Legal Maneuvers with Rebecca Beitsh

DATE: 1-25-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Let's dive into the intriguing world of legal cases involving former President Donald Trump. With a multitude of indictments, federal trials, and state investigations, it can be challenging to keep track of all the allegations and their implications. Our host is joined by special guest Rebecca Beitsh as they unpack the latest developments in these cases, including the controversy surrounding RICO conspiracy charges and the federal case relating to the 2020 election. They discuss the unique aspects of these cases, such as the involvement of a candidate for federal office and the legality of hush money payments. Jessica and Rebecca also examine the strategic decisions being made by defense attorneys, the upcoming trial dates, and potential implications for the former president. So, put on your legal thinking caps, because we're about to pass judgment on these complex and consequential legal battles.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Gun Control: How the Supreme Court's Decision Could Shape Future Laws, Supreme Court Adopts Code of Conduct: A Toothless Gesture or Step Towards Reform?, & The Role of Classified Information and Delayed Deadlines in Trump's Legal Battles

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Gun Control: How the Supreme Court's Decision Could Shape Future Laws, Supreme Court Adopts Code of Conduct: A Toothless Gesture or Step Towards Reform?, & The Role of Classified Information and Delayed Deadlines in Trump's Legal Battles

DATE: 2-1-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: In the latest episode of the Passing Judgment podcast our host, Jessica Levinson delves into a significant Supreme Court case involving gun control. The case, US versus Rahimi, has sparked discussions about the court's position on gun control measures and their constitutionality. Tune in to gain insights into the legal intricacies of this case and the potential implications for future gun control regulations.

This week's episode of the Passing Judgment podcast, host Jessica Levinson, breaks down the significance of the Supreme Court's code of ethics. While it may come as a surprise to some, this is actually the first time in our nation's history that such a code has been implemented for Supreme Court justices. And while the introduction of the code is a step in the right direction, it is important to note that it lacks an enforcement mechanism.

This week's episode of the Passing Judgment podcast we have a riveting discussion with special guest Hugo Lowell, a prominent political investigations reporter for The Guardian. As he joins our host, Jessica Levinson, together they tackle the intriguing and complex case surrounding former President Donald Trump.

ISSUE: REPLAY- The Ongoing Civil Case: Fraud Allegations, Bias, and Witness Testimonies Against the Former President

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- The Ongoing Civil Case: Fraud Allegations, Bias, and Witness Testimonies Against the Former President

DATE: 2-8-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: In today's episode of the Passing Judgment podcast, we explore the intricacies of the legal realm and examine the most recent developments in the ongoing civil case against the former president. Our guest is Elie Honig, a CNN senior analyst and the bestselling author of 'Hatchet Man.' Together, we delve into the allegations of fraud, witness tampering, and their potential implications for our justice system. From analyzing the judge's ruling to questioning the validity of guilty pleas, this episode leaves no stone unturned. We also delve into the power dynamics, legal strategies, and potential solutions within this captivating case, which could have significant, far-reaching consequences.

ISSUE: The Intersection of AI, Law, and National Security: Insights from Congressman Ted Lieu & Dr. Norm Ornstein on the Transformation of the Republican Party and Future Political Scenarios

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: The Intersection of AI, Law, and National Security: Insights from Congressman Ted Lieu & Dr. Norm Ornstein on the Transformation of the Republican Party and Future Political Scenarios

DATE: 2-15-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Want to know more about the intersection of AI and the law? Check out this week's episode of Passing Judgment podcast with Congressman Ted Lieu. He shares his expertise on the benefits and potential detriments of AI and discusses its implications for healthcare, national security, and the upcoming election season.

Join us in a thought-provoking conversation about the Republican Party's transformation and the potential impacts of court decisions on elections and politics. We're joined by Dr. Norm Ornstein; senior fellow emeritus at the American Enterprise Institute, as he provides eye-opening insights offering a perspective on the potential emergence of a figure with Trump-like views in the party's future.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Ethics and influence: Exploring Allegations Surrounding Supreme Court Justices

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Ethics and influence: Exploring Allegations Surrounding Supreme Court Justices

DATE: 2-22-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: On the newest episode of the Passing Judgment podcast, we focus on the ethical dilemmas surrounding Supreme Court justices and their affiliations. Joined by Supreme Court correspondent for USA Today, John Fritze, we delve into Justice Thomas' alleged luxurious trips to Justice Alito's controversies, and examine a web of potential influences on court decisions. Fritze shares his expertise on how the lack of clear authority to enforce ethical rules raises questions about self-policing and potential separation of powers concerns. This episode emphasizes the need for ethics reform and transparency urging us to question the higher standard we hold for our esteemed justices.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Breaking Down the Hunter Biden Indictment: Gun Charges, Plea Deal Fallout, and Political Backdrop & Protecting Democracy: Colorado Lawsuit Seeks to Disqualify Trump from Public Office

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Breaking Down the Hunter Biden Indictment: Gun Charges, Plea Deal Fallout, and Political Backdrop & Protecting Democracy: Colorado Lawsuit Seeks to Disqualify Trump from Public Office

DATE: 2-29-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: In this episode, we dive into the highly publicized indictment of Hunter Biden, son of President Joe Biden. From the charges laid against him to the collapse of his previous plea agreement, we unravel the legal complexities surrounding his case. Join us as we analyze the potential defenses, including a surprising Second Amendment argument, and examine the political backdrop against which this indictment unfolds. Stay tuned as we shed light on what this indictment means for Hunter Biden's future and the implications it holds for American politics.

This week's episode of the Passing Judgment podcast, we are joined by the president of CREW (Citizens for Responsibility and Ethics in Washington), Noah Bookbinder. We delve into the recent lawsuit filed by CREW in Colorado. The suit claims that former President Trump is disqualified from holding public office due to his alleged violation of Section 3 of the 14th Amendment. This provision prohibits individuals who have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the United States from holding federal or state office. Tune in to better understand the intersection between the law, politics, and the preservation of democracy.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Ethics and Influence: Exploring Allegations Surrounding Supreme Court Justices

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Ethics and Influence: Exploring Allegations Surrounding Supreme Court Justices

DATE: 3-7-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: On the newest episode of the Passing Judgment podcast, we focus on the ethical dilemmas surrounding Supreme Court justices and their affiliations. Joined by Supreme Court correspondent for USA Today, John Fritze, we delve into Justice Thomas' alleged luxurious trips to Justice Alito's controversies, and examine a web of potential influences on court decisions. Fritze shares his expertise on how the lack of clear authority to enforce ethical rules raises questions about self-policing and potential separation of powers concerns. This episode emphasizes the need for ethics reform and transparency urging us to question the higher standard we hold for our esteemed justices.

ISSUE: REPLAY- The Ongoing Civil Case: Fraud Allegations, Bias, and Witness Testimonies Against the Former President

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- The Ongoing Civil Case: Fraud Allegations, Bias, and Witness Testimonies Against the Former President

DATE: 3-14-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: In today's episode of the Passing Judgment podcast, we explore the intricacies of the legal realm and examine the most recent developments in the ongoing civil case against the former president. Our guest is Elie Honig, a CNN senior analyst and the bestselling author of 'Hatchet Man.' Together, we delve into the allegations of fraud, witness tampering, and their potential implications for our justice system. From analyzing the judge's ruling to questioning the validity of guilty pleas, this episode leaves no stone unturned. We also delve into the power dynamics, legal strategies, and potential solutions within this captivating case, which could have significant, far-reaching consequences.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Juliette Kayyem's Strategies for Personal Preparedness in an Age of Disasters & The Intersection of AI, Law, and National Security: Insights from Congressman Ted Lieu

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Juliette Kayyem's Strategies for Personal Preparedness in an Age of Disasters & The Intersection of AI, Law, and National Security: Insights from Congressman Ted Lieu

DATE: 3-21-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: In our latest episode of Passing Judgment, we had the pleasure of hosting Juliette Kayyem, a prominent figure in the fields of homeland security and crisis management. With an extensive background, Juliette brought a wealth of insights about current world events with a focus on the situation in Israel and the implications for disaster management and preparedness.

Want to know more about the intersection of AI and the law? Check out this week's episode of Passing Judgment podcast with Congressman Ted Lieu. He shares his expertise on the benefits and potential detriments of AI and discusses its implications for healthcare, national security, and the upcoming election season.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Understanding the State of Abortion Rights: A Year After the Fall of Roe v Wade

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Understanding the State of Abortion Rights: A Year After the Fall of Roe v Wade

DATE: 3-28-24
TIME: 6am-7am, PST
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: In this episode of the Passing Judgment podcast, we're joined by Laura Kusisto, national legal affairs reporter for The Wall Street Journal, to discuss the state of abortion rights in America one year after the Supreme Court's decision in Dobbs. They explore the shifts in legislation and litigation surrounding abortion, emphasizing the political and legal hurdles faced by the anti-abortion movement. Overall, the episode delves into the complex landscape of abortion rights in post-Roe America.

ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LIST

STATION: KXLU Los Angeles – 88.9FM
PUBLIC AFFAIRS DIRECTOR: Peter Ludwig
PROGRAM: Uncut Series

ISSUE: Interview with the musician Nicole Mitchell Gantt, Part 2

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Interview with the musician Nicole Mitchell Gantt

DATE: 1-2-24
TIME: 6pm-7pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Nicole Mitchell Gantt is a flutist, composer, poet, multimedia artist and educator. In today's episode, Mitchell Gantt discusses aspects of her musical philosophy and shares biographical details about her life.

ISSUE: REPLAY- Interview with the musician Nicole Mitchell Gantt, Part 3

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: REPLAY- Interview with the musician Nicole Mitchell Gantt, Part 3

DATE: 1-9-24
TIME: 6pm-7pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Nicole Mitchell Gantt is a flutist, composer, poet, multimedia artist and educator. In today's episode, Mitchell Gantt talks about some of the great musicians who she's played with over the years.

ISSUE: Interview with Dr. Lesa Terry, Part 1

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Interview with Dr. Lesa Terry, Part 1

DATE: 1-23-24
TIME: 6pm-7pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Dr. Lesa Terry is a widely respected violinist, arranger, educator and composer and is an original member of the Uptown String Quartet. In today's episode, she talks about coming from a musical family (which includes the jazz legend Clark Terry) and about her philosophy of music.

ISSUE: Interview with Dr. Lesa Terry, Part 2

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Interview with Dr. Lesa Terry, Part 2

DATE: 1-30-24
TIME: 6pm-7pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Dr. Lesa Terry is a widely respected violinist, arranger, educator and composer and is an original member of the Uptown String Quartet. In today's episode, she talks about her experiences making music with the Uptown String Quartet and other great musicians.

ISSUE: Interview with Ali Majeed

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Interview with Ali Majeed

DATE: 2-6-24
TIME: 6pm-7pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Ali Majeed of Guyana is a former labor organizer and a member of the Working People's Alliance, of which the famous historian Walter Rodney was a member until his assassination in 1980. On today's program, Majeed talks about Dr. Rodney and about organizing strikes among fellow bauxite miners in the 1970s and 80s.

ISSUE: Interview with Gavin Winter

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Interview with Gavin Winter

DATE: 2-13-24
TIME: 6pm-7pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: This episode features Gavin Winter, the monitoring coordinator of the South Rupununi District Council, which is the legally recognized governing body of Wapichan Wiizi (Wapichan territory) in Guyana. Gavin works to create reports of unauthorized extractive practices in the territory — especially mining — with an eye to having those activities stopped.

ISSUE: Interview with Immaculata Casimero

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Interview with Immaculata Casimero

DATE: 2-20-24
TIME: 6pm-7pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Mackie Casimero is the communications officer of the South Rupununi District Council (SRDC) and the co-founder of the Wapichan Wiizi Women's Movement, which is an organ of the SRDC. In this episode, she discusses some of the issues most critical to indigenous women in Wapichan Wiizi (Wapichan territory, in Guyana) and to Wapichan people generally.

ISSUE: Interview with Chief Kokoi

WE RAN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM TO ADDRESS IT: Interview with Chief Kokoi

DATE: 3-6-24
TIME: 6pm-7pm, PDT
DURATION: 01:00 Hour

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM: Chief Kokoi is a former Toshao of Aishalton, a village in Wapichan Wiizi, Guyana, and the chief of the now-defunct Region 9 Toshias' Council. In this episode, he tells his story as a land defender and discusses the Wapichan people's decades-long struggle to regain control over their ancestral territories that fall within the borders of modern-day Guyana. Today, the Wapichan in Guyana hold title to less than half of the territory that they lay claim to.
