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Young Clarinet Virtuoso José Franch-Ballester Appears at the Mondavi Center

Davis, Calif.—Young Concert Artist **José Franch-Ballester**, clarinet, appears at the **Robert and Margrit Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts, UC Davis**, on **Saturday, Nov. 8, at 8 p.m.** and **Sunday, Nov. 9, at 2 p.m.** Both performances take place in the **Studio Theatre**.

Born in Moncofa, Spain, into a family of clarinetists and Zarzuela singers, **José Franch-Ballester** [FRAHNK BAI-YESS-TAIR'] has performed at Carnegie Hall, the Kennedy Center, and throughout Europe. As noted by the "New York Times," Franch-Ballester plays "with technical wizardry and tireless enthusiasm."

"The Mondavi Center is committed to promoting the careers of young artists, and this young man is a great example of that," said Don Roth, Mondavi Center executive director.

Pricing is \$30 for regular tickets and \$15 for students and children. Purchase tickets online at MondaviArts.org, through the Mondavi Center box office at 530-754-2787 or 866-754-2787 (toll-free), or at the door. Accommodations for persons with disabilities are available upon request.

- **José Franch-Ballester**
- **Sat., Nov. 8, 8 p.m.**
Sun., Nov 8, 2 p.m.
- **Mondavi Center, Studio Theatre**
- **9399 Old Davis Road, Davis, CA 95616 (GPS)**
- **\$30 regular; \$15 students, children**
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