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Whitaker Center Presents Blues Rock Wunderkind Ana Popovic
Acclaimed Serbian rocker tours the U.S. makes stop in Harrisburg

Harrisburg, PA- On Saturday, September 15 Whitaker Center Presents Ana Popovic in Sunoco Performance Theater at 8:00pm. All Whitaker Center Presents shows are sponsored by Capital BlueCross.

L.A. based Belgrade-born guitar player and singer Ana Popovic is back on the road promoting her new triple album TRILOGY - her most ambitious project yet. With TRILOGY Ana releases three albums in one! Twenty-three funk, rock/blues and jazz tunes produced by Grammy Award winner Warren Riker (Lauryn Hill, Carlos Santana), Grammy Award winner Tom Hambridge (Buddy Guy) and Delfeayo Marsalis, one of the top trombonists, composers and producers in jazz today. Guest appearances on the album include Joe Bonamassa, Robert Randolph and many others.

The only female guitarist and part of the 'all-star' Experience Hendrix 2014 - '17 line-up, Popovic says about her album release: "In an era where most are skeptic about the current state and future of the music industry, I wanted TRILOGY to tell a different story. The record biz might be broken and Spotify might rip us off, but that can't keep an artist down. Creativity is very much alive, and music is the celebration of life."

Ana and her powerful band are tirelessly touring, playing major blues, jazz and rock festivals. She is endorsed by Fender, D'Angelico, Jim Dunlop and DR strings. Ana has shared headlining stages with B.B. King, Buddy Guy, Joe Bonamassa, Gary Clark Jr. and many others. She's been nominated for six Blues Music Awards, appeared on the cover of Vintage Guitar and Guitar Player magazine. Her albums Can You Stand The Heat (2013) and Unconditional (2011) where Pick-Of-The-Week by USA Today and featured on NPR Music. Nearly all of Ana's albums made it the Top 5 of the Billboard Blues Charts and are being played regularly on US radio.

Tickets go on sale Friday, June 8 at 10:00am at whitakercenter.org and at the Whitaker Center Box Office. Tickets range from \$27.50 - \$36.50. To purchase tickets or for more information, please visit whitakercenter.org or call the Whitaker Center Box Office at 717-214-ARTS (2787).

Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts is a non-profit center for the arts, education, entertainment and cultural enrichment located in the heart of Harrisburg's vibrant downtown. Whitaker Center is home to Sunoco Performance Theater, Harsco Science Center and Select Medical Digital Cinema featuring a four story premium large format theater with a recently upgraded 4K digital projection system. Visit whitakercenter.org for a full list of events, shows, hours of operation, and ticket rates.

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