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**PERFORMING** at 2015 Euro-Pinoy Jazz Concerts are Filipino keyboardist Henry Katindig, French guitarist Nguyen Lê, German vocalist Michael Schiefel, Austrian bassist Raphael Preuschl and Filipino drummer Mar Dizon.

**T**HIS month five international jazz artists from the Philippines and Europe will delight Manila at the 2015 Euro-Pinoy Jazz Concerts. Their sonic syntheses will be heard in two concerts that will take place on February 20, 9 p.m., at Tiendesitas, Ortigas Avenue corner E. Rodriguez Avenue (C-5), and on February 21, 8 p.m., at the historic Fort Santiago in Intramuros, Manila.

Admission is free on a first-come, first-served basis.

The musicians' six-day collaboration will commence with a three-day workshop, from February 17 to 19, where they will harmonize their unique brands of artistry to compose an origi-

nal jazz program. During these days, each artist will be bringing his own creative expressions of jazz music to the table, with the aim of creating a fresh and distinctive identity, and fostering cultural cooperation.

Highly respected for their innovative approaches to their craft, these musicians have also come together to foster a greater appreciation of jazz music among the Filipino audience, and transcend linguistic and cultural barriers between European nations and the Philippines through the language of music.

The roster includes the Philippines's very own Henry Katindig, son of the legendary jazz musi-

cian Eddie Katindig, and multi-awarded jazz drummer/percussionist Mar Dizon. European artists joining them onstage are guitarist Nguyễn Lê of France, German jazz singer Michael Schiefel and Austrian bassist Raphael Preuschl.

*Euro-Pinoy Jazz Concerts* is organized by the Goethe-Institut, embassies of Austria, France and Switzerland, together with the National Commission for Culture and the Arts and the Delegation of the European Union to the Philippines.

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