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Ravi Shankar, India's foremost sitarist and composer, will appear in a concert co-sponsored by the Cornell India Association and the University Department of Music in Alice Statler Auditorium at 8:15 p.m. Sunday.

Shankar, who has performed in Great Britain, is making his first American appearance at the University. The concert is the first in a series being presented by the Asia Society performing arts program. He will be accompanied by Kanai Dutta on the tabla and N. C. Mullickon on the tamboura.

The soloist, a well-known famous virtuoso on India's national instrument, has been referred to as India's "renaissance man."

Shankar, along with such musicians as Casals, Oistrakh and Ansermet, appeared in the international broadcast in honor of the United Nations 10th anniversary.

The sitarist and composer is musical director of All India Radio, which is well-known for Shankar's "Melody and Rhythm" series. Many of the scores of international prize-winning films have been composed by Shankar.

Due to the traditional complexity of Indian music, no two concerts of the soloist are ever exactly the same.

Concert tickets are now on sale at Willard Straight Hall, the Music Department and the Triangle Book Shop.

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