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EISEMANN CENTER PRESENTS “CIRQUE SHANGHAI: BAI XI”
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RICHARDSON, TX – Dating back to the Han Dynasty more than 2000 years ago, Chinese acrobatic spectacles were first called "**Bai Xi**," meaning "one hundred amazing acts," in reference to the performer's seemingly limitless skills and innumerable feats they could perform. These daring and beautiful talents were featured in command performances for China's imperial courts and have been passed down and enhanced through generations.

International Special Attractions, Ltd's, production of *Cirque Shanghai: Bai Xi* combines all aspects of the traditional and the modern in acrobatic stage performance: awesome displays of physical strength; incredible feats of balance; graceful folkloric pageantry; fast paced contemporary dance and energetic martial arts...all performed in spectacular costumes, on the stage and high in the air, in a grand theatrical production. Featuring state-of-the-art computerized lighting and beautiful orchestrations that range from exotic Oriental to trend-setting electronic compositions, *Cirque Shanghai: Bai Xi* is a breathtaking spectacle that establishes a new standard of acrobatic and entertainment excellence.

Tickets for the Sat., Nov. 14th **Spotlight Series** appearance of *Cirque Shanghai: Bai Xi*, range from \$30-\$60 and are available online at www.eisemanncenter.com or by calling the Eisemann Center Ticket Office at 972-744-4650. Ticket Office hours are 10:00 am until 6:00 pm Monday through Saturday and one hour before performances. Group discounts are available for 10 or more by calling 972-744-4657.

The Eisemann Center's *Prelude Café* is open for casual pre-show dining for all *Eisemann Center Presents* performances except matinee performances. Reservations are strongly encouraged and can be made by calling 972-367-2000.

The Charles W. Eisemann Center is located in the Galatyn Park Urban Center at 2351 Performance Drive in Richardson, Texas. The Eisemann Center is easily accessible from Highway 75 North taking the Galatyn Parkway/Renner Road exit going north and the Galatyn Parkway/Campbell Road exit going south or from the DART light rail station at Galatyn Park. Sponsors for the 2009-2010 Season include *The Dallas Morning News*, WFAA-TV and ticket sponsor PegasusNews.com.

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