2023/24 SEASON

SILVER HALL

CONCERT SERIES

CWRU Symphonic Winds

Gaian Visions and Celestial Wonder

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Silver Hall
Maltz Performing Arts Center

1855 Ansel Road Cleveland, OH

March 6th, 2024 | 7:30 PM



10900 Euclid Avenue Cleveland, OH case.edu/artsci/music

Welcome to the

Milton and Tamar Maltz Performing Arts Center

The Maltz Performing Arts Center is a world-class performing arts venue based in Cleveland. It is the home of Silver Hall, the previous location of The Temple-Tifereth Israel. The Maltz Center honors the legacy of the Temple by providing opportunities for unique local and national artists, while partnering with community organizations, to provide meaningful cultural experiences to its surrounding neighborhoods. The Maltz Center serves to extend the mission of Case Western Reserve University - to improve and enrich people's lives through research that capitalizes on the power of collaboration and education that dramatically engages our students - by upholding the history of its unique gathering space for cultural, educational, and community programming. Learn more at https://case.edu/maltzcenter/.

RESTROOMS

Restrooms are located on each level of the building.

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As a courtesy to the performers and audience members, please power off all electronic and mechanical devices, cellular phones, computers, tablets, watches, etc., prior to the concert.

PHOTOGRAPHY, VIDEO, AND RECORDING DEVICES

Photography and videography are prohibited during the performance.

FACILITY GUIDELINES

In order to preserve the beauty and cleanliness of the hall, food or beverage, including water, are prohibited. A drinking fountain is located near the restrooms.

IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY

Contact an usher or member of the house staff if you require medical assistance. Exits are clearly marked throughout the building. Ushers and house staff will provide instruction in the event of an emergency.

COATS

Coat racks are available in the lobby behind Silver Hall.

COVID-19

University Health and Counseling Services (UH&CS) is committed to protecting the health and well-being of our campus community. Masking is not required on campus, but those who wish to wear masks may do so. Individuals with symptoms of COVID, who have recently completed isolation for COVID, or who have been exposed to COVID should wear a well-fitting mask, as per CDC guidelines.

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Performing Arts Center at
The Temple-Tifereth Israel
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Program

Riptides

Katahj Copley (b. 1998)

Bethany Westphal Graduate Conducting Associate

At Morning's First Light

David Gillingham

(b. 1947)

After a Gentle Rain

I. The Dark Green Glistens with Old Reflections

II. Sparkling Air Bursts with Dancing Sunlight

Anthony lannaconne

(b. 1943)

The Promise of Living from The Tender Land

Jonathen Morawski Graduate Conducting Associate Aaron Copland (1900 - 1990)

Ecstatic Samba

Kevin Day (b. 1996)

arr. Josh Trentadue

Aurora Awakes

John Mackey (b.

1973)

MUSIC DIRECTOR & CONDUCTOR

Dr. Ryan V. Scherber (he/him/his) is Assistant Professor of Music Education, Director of Bands, and Coordinator of Undergraduate Studies in Music Education at Case Western Reserve University. Dr. Scherber's duties include teaching music education coursework at the undergraduate and graduate level, field observations of student teachers, coordinating the music education teaching licensure program and adminstrative oversight of the CWRU Bands program. In addition to his duties with CWRU, Dr. Scherber serves as Instructor of Tuba and Euphonium within the Joint Music Program between Case Western Reserve University and the Cleveland Institute of Music as well as Assistant Director of the Florida State University Summer Music Camps. Scherber holds the Bachelor of Music in Music Education from the University of Cincinnati, College-Conservatory of Music (CCM) as well as the Master of Music and Ph.D. in Music Education from Florida State University (FSU). Prior to CWRU, Dr. Scherber served as music teacher for the Southeastern Local School District in South Charleston, OH where he taught music at the elementary, middle, and high school levels. Dr. Scherber's ensembles have been invited to perform at the Ohio Music Education Association Professional Development Conference and Severance Hall, the home of The Cleveland Orchestra, and his research interests include pitch perception, nonverbal communication, trauma-informed pedagogy, and classroom interactions.

GRADUATE CONDUCTING ASSOCIATES

Ms. Bethany Westphal is a second year Masters of Music Education student at Case Western Reserve University, where she serves as a graduate teaching assistant for Symphonic Winds and Conducting II. Previously, Bethany was a graduate teaching assistant for Case University Circle Symphony Orchestra and Vernacular Music in Education. Prior to CWRU, Bethany was a music teacher and band director and earned degrees in music education and integrated studies from Cleveland State University and Kent State University. In addition to being a graduate teaching assistant, Bethany co-directs the Cleveland Junior Honors Band at Cuyahoga Community College. Bethany is also a saxophonist and continues to perform and teach privately in the Cleveland area.

Mr. Jonathen Morawski is a second year Masters of Music Education with Licensure (MAL) student where he serves as a Teaching Assistant for Symphonic Winds and Marching Band. Prior to CWRU, Jonathen had prior studies in horn performance at Baldwin Wallace University, Manhattan School of Music, and the University of Illinois at Urbana - Champaign.

Ensemble Members

Piccolo Program/Plan Alto Saxophone Program/Plan Physics, Music Neuroscience, Music Kazutada Nakao* Shreya Girish Abigail Morse Mechanical Engineering **Physics Flute** Austin Kuntz Mechanical Engineering **Charlotte Post** Hana Lee* Biochemistry, Music Katheryn Uetz Statistics, Economics Brennan Flannery* Biomedical Engineering Electrical Engineering Sooah Park Psychology, Music Ben Nelson Electrical Engineering Lana Hernandez Nutrition, Music Ben Rov Computer Science, English Olivia Fietkiewicz* Engineering, Music Aine Thomas Cognitive Science, Pre-med Computer Science, Music Hannah Caraballo Gabriela Hernandez Biomedical Engineering Kyla Yung Civil Engineering Sean Shang **Tenor Saxophone** Harry Ganz* **Ashley Grieder Jacobs** Nutritional Biochemistry Music Allison Hall Rebecca Shick* Chemical Engineering Nursing Oboe **Baritone Saxophone** Biochemistry, Music Gabby Olivares* **Biochemistry** Matthew Smutny* Chemistry Ananya Srinivasan Bassoon Samhita Tatavarty* Cognitive Science, Trumpet International Studies Anish Singh* Neuroscience Piano Performance Kaleb Conger* Civil Engineering Tony Yan Tong Chen[^] Glennis Covault Religious Studies, Psychology Christopher Danner Computer Science Undecided Ronald Du Sociology Clarinet **Hunter Grace** Emma Bentley* Music Education, Mathematics Alex Summerville Chemical Engineering Susie Kim English, French Haley Quan Music Education French Horn Gabriel Sauer* Mechanical Engineering Jesse Silverberg* Computer Science, Music Psychology, Political Science Duncan Cayenne-McCall Mechanical Engineering Ariana Ellis Kennedy Brehm* Polymers Engineering, Music **Nell Harris Economics** Marija Djordjevic Computer Science, Music Chemical Biology Eva Nieman Daniel Shen Mechanical Engineering **Trombone Bass Clarinet** Hendrik Widener* Accounting, Finance Michael Hamoudi* Mechanical Engineering **Biochemistry** Jack Joseph* Alden Salmons* Electrical Engineering CWRU Alumni Weillin Feng Biomedical Engineering Madhav Narayan **Contrabass Clarinet** Robbie Shepherd Physics, Engineering, Astronomy Chemical Engineering Xiang Tao^{*} Clarinet Performance Roland Johnson* **String Bass** Euphonium Dr. George Nicholson# Georgia Martinez* Computer Science Faculty Physics (PhD) Jared May Civil Engineering Alex Pogharian Harp

Nick Shafer

Seth Gratz*

Physics, Music

Aerospace Engineering

^{*} Principal Player

[#] Case Western Reserve University Faculty

[^] Cleveland Institute of Music Student

[~]Alumni

Ensemble Members (continued)

Tuba Program/Plan
Andrew Director* Finance, Music
Jerry Zhang Mathematics

Percussion

Charlie Apy* Physics, Music
Darg Boni Neuroscience, Music
Adam Gousie Mathematics, Economics

Julie Moeller Cleveland Institute of Art - Animation
Max Zweiback Economics, Computer Science, Mathematics

Shanie Klas[^] Percussion Performance

ABOUT

The DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC, an academic department within the COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES, serves undergraduate and graduate students at CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY as well as all students at the CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF MUSIC through our JOINT MUSIC PROGRAM.

A top-ranked private research university with programs spanning the arts and sciences, engineering, health sciences, law, management, and social work, CWRU excels in musicology, historical performance practice, and music education. CIM is one of just three independent conservatories in the United States devoted exclusively to classical music performance. For over half a century, these distinguished institutions have used the JMP to share collective resources, focusing on the strengths of each institution.

Our campus (located in the heart of University Circle) provides a thriving and holistic learning experience where students feel comfortable in a diverse and supportive setting. The Department of Music aspires to be an inclusive environment in which all members feel empowered to participate in the community, fostering creative energy and insights that result in a better institution.

The mission of the CWRU Department of Music is to:

- Foster preeminent research, creative endeavors, and learning.
- Support students in developing their musical skills and knowledge in the context of a liberal arts education; equip students to become proactive scholar-practitioners in music education; and promote the academic education of students from the Cleveland Institute of Music, through the Joint Music Program.
- Provide local, regional, national, and international leadership in the fields of musicology, historical performance practice, and music education, and help prepare the next generation of leaders in these fields.
- Encourage service to the institution and related academic disciplines, participation in faculty governance, and the promotion of open communication and shared policy-making.

THANK YOU

We would like to express our sincere gratitude to our guests. Your presence and engagement are truly appreciated. We hope that you found our performance enjoyable and that you were able to connect with others in our community. We value your support and look forward to seeing you again soon!

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UPCOMING CONCERTS & EVENTS

7:30 p.m. | Tuesday, April 2nd, 2024

Baroque Dance and Vocal Ensembles Concert Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel

7:30 p.m. | Thursday, April 4th, 2024
Jazz Ensembles and Camerata Orchestra

Dazz Ensembles and Camerata Orchestr Denison Hall (at Wade Commons)

7:30 p.m. | Wednesday, April 17th, 2024

Symphony Orchestra and Concert ChoirFlorence Harkness Memorial Chapel 7:30 p.m. | Saturday, April 6th, 2024 CWRU Chamber Collective

Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel

7:30 p.m. | Wednesday, Arpil 24th

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