

# **PROGRAM**

Brooke Maskin, speaker			
Introduction to <i>Also sprach Zarathustra</i> , Op. 30			
Short Ride in a Fast Machine			
Benjamin Fruchtl, speaker			
Daft Punk "Pentatonix Medley"			
Alexandra Charney, speaker			
The TypewriterLeroy Anderson (1908 – 1975)			
Evan Gibbs, soloist			
Bridget Haines & Hera Molina, speakers			
The Machine Awakes			
Rose Martus, speaker			
The Volunteers			
Benjamin Fruchtl, speaker			
Mr. Roboto			
Brooke Maskin, speaker			
The Cyber Conductor			

- I. Symphony No. 40, Movement I: Molto Allegro Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
- II. Symphony No. 5, Movement I: Allegro con brio Ludwig van Beethoven
- III. Symphony No. 9 "New World", Movement IV: Allegro con fuoco Antonín Dvořák

Mark Oldenburg, special guest presenter

# **BIOGRAPHIES**



#### Russell McCutcheon, Conductor

Russell McCutcheon is the Director of Bands in the Sunderman Conservatory of Music at Gettysburg College in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania where he conducts the Wind Symphony and the Sunderman Chamber Winds. In addition, he teaches conducting, music education courses, and supervises student teachers in the field.

Dr. McCutcheon received his Ph.D. in Music Education with a concentration in Wind Conducting from the University of Florida in Gainesville and earned an M.S. in Music Education from Troy University in Troy, Alabama.

Bands under his direction have performed at the Gewandhaus in Leipzig, at Smetana Hall in Prague, and in China, Singapore, England, Scotland, Italy, Canada and Switzerland. He has been a guest conductor at the WASBE 2005 International Conference in Singapore and in 2009 was in residence as invited guest conductor with the Universidad de Caldas Wind Ensemble in Manizales, Colombia as part of the 15th Annual Yamaha Latin American Wind Band Conference.

In 2016, McCutcheon was named an American Prize Finalist in the Conducting: University and College Bands Division of The American Prize national non-profit competitions in the performing arts. Of his conducting, composer Steven Bryant said: "Russell McCutcheon brings a unique mix of talents and experience to his music-making...my work, Ecstatic Waters, requires the players and the conductor to go above and beyond their usual roles, and he demonstrated fantastic attention to both the musical and the technical details of my music." In 2013, the Sunderman Conservatory Wind Symphony released a recording titled "Gettysburg at 150: Music of the American Civil War." This disc, commemorating the Sesquicentennial Anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg, was named 2013 Grammy nomination eligible in two categories.

Dr. McCutcheon is the founding conductor of the Atlantic Chamber Winds, whose recordings, Volumes 1 and II of The Cochran Chamber Winds Commissioning Series, were released in 2012 and 2016 on the Mark Masters Label. Of Volume I, composer Adam Gorb noted: "I loved your performance of French Dances Revisited...your ensemble plays the work so sensitively and with such spirit." Volume II was Grammy nomination eligible for the categories Best Orchestral Performance and Album of the Year. McCutcheon is the Conductor and Musical Director of the Pennsylvania Lions All-State Band, which performs yearly in Pennsylvania and regularly tours nationally and internationally. He is a contributor to the best-selling book series, "Teaching Music through Performance in Bands," and is an active clinician and guest conductor.



#### Mark Oldenburg, guest speaker

Mark Oldenburg taught at the Lutheran Seminary at Gettysburg for over thirty years, and is now Steck-Miller Professor Emeritus of the Art of Worship. Among his remaining responsibilities at United Lutheran Seminary is chairing Music, Gettysburg!, which for almost forty years has been presenting free concerts for audiences in South Central Pennsylvania. He is a graduate of Gettysburg College, where his major in mathematics left him significant free time to be a member of the College and Chapel Choirs and an active performer with the Owl and Nightingale Players. He is also a graduate of the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Philadelphia and Drew University. He is a founding

member of the Schola Cantorum of Gettysburg, a group dedicated to performing choral music from Bach and before in the context of worship services.

This past year, to honor their retirement, Schola Cantorum presented a hymn festival of his texts, with settings by his colleague at the Seminary, Stephen Folkemer. Along with hymns and sermons, he has published articles on the church year, spirituality, and the history of Lutheran worship in the United States, and was a co-author of The Historical Dictionary of Lutheranism. In retirement he is serving as interim choir director and pastoral associate at Christ Lutheran Church in Gettysburg. Among his honors, he has received the Commander's Award for Public Service from the Department of the Army, was recognized as the author of the best new hymn written in 1987, and has gotten ink as a Loser in the Washington Post Style Invitational.

### **Special Thanks**

The Wind Symphony would like to extend special thanks to the student members of the Gettysburg College Sunderman Conservatory chapter of Collegiate National Association for Music Education and their advisor, Dr. Brent Talbot. These music education majors provided invaluable assistance in promoting awareness of this program among local schools and researched, composed, and delivered this afternoon's program notes from the stage.

Gettysburg's Collegiate Chapter of the National Association for Music Education (CNAfME) exists to promote the study and making of music by all. The chapter, which meets monthly, currently consists of all music education students at Gettysburg College. Each month, the chapter hosts a guest, who speaks on a major music education topic. The collegiate group is also associated with Pennsylvania Collegiate Music Educators Association (PCMEA). Every spring, members of the group visit the state PMEA Annual Conference for professional development workshops.

# WIND SYMPHONY PERSONNEL

Piccolo Gracie Herron '21	Major Music and Environmental Science	<b>Hometown</b> Doylestown, PA
Flute Sydney Goldberg '22 Maya Johnson '21 Amanda Herold '22 Gracie Herron '21 Rose Martus '19 P	Psychology, Music Minor Music Music Education Music and Environmental Science Music and Mathematics	Media, PA Macungie, PA Waymart, PA Doylestown, PA West Milford, NJ
Oboe Kim McCaskey '20 Lindsey Paszczuk '19 P	Music and Chemistry Music and Health Sciences	Mount Joy, PA Berlin, CT
Clarinet Chloe Dougherty '22 † Caroline Greiner '20 Kayl Murdough '21 Brian Ruether '19 P Emma Schilling '21	Music Education Organization & Management Studies Computer Science, Music Minor Music and Biology English	Hershey, PA Pittsburgh, PA Contoocook, NH Newark, DE West Chester, PA
Bass Clarinet Benjamin Fruchtl '20	Music Education	Kempton, PA
<b>Bassoon</b> Samantha Burr '22 P	Music Education	Manahawkin, NJ
Alto Saxophone Jenna Pavis '21 P Peter Wang '22	Music Performance Undeclared, Music Minor	North Yarmouth, ME Beijing, China
Tenor Saxophone Summer Burton '22	Music Education	Taneytown, MD
Trumpet Sophia Bookas '22 Tom Crafa '20 Will Esposito '22 John Glennon '19 Kenneth Millson '22 Patrick Peters '20 P	Music and Biology Music and Political Science Music and History Music Performance Music Performance Music Education	Fairfield, CT Garden City, NY Lititz, PA West Babylon, NY Rome, NY Florham Park, NJ

Horn Justin Chovanec '22 † Danny Cresci '19 Daniel Lee '22 Jeremy Porter '20 P Zachary Rhodes '20 P	Physics and Math Philosophy Undeclared, Music Minor History, Music Minor History	Mount Pleasant, PA Sayville, NY Ellicott City, MD Belle Mead, NJ Lexington, MA
Trombone Andrew Buckley '22 Ethan Fielding '22 Maci Mark '21 Diego Rocha '19 P †	Political Science, Music Minor Music Education History, Music Minor Music	Norfolk, MA Cheshire, CT Los Angeles, CA Dunnellon, FL
Euphonium Benjamin Pontz '20 Abel Rose '21 P † Logan Shippee '22	Pol. Science and Public Policy, Music Minor Music Education Music Education	Strasburg, PA Hollidaysburg, PA Kingston, NY
<b>Tuba</b> Nick Wallace '22 Erik Wendt '19 P Seth Zimmann '20	Physics and Computer Science Mathematics Physics and Computer Science	Gettysburg, PA Titusville, NJ Gettysburg, PA
<b>Double Bass</b> Scott Kaliszak '16	Music Educator	New Freedom, PA
Percussion Amanda Carrier '22 Eric Gabriel '22 P Evan Gibbs '21 Brandon Hall '21 † Kai Saunders '22 Blaise Veres '22	Political Science and French Music Education Health Sciences, Music Minor Music and Computer Sciences Music Physics	Branchburg, NJ Taneytown, MD Westfield, NJ Woodbine, MD Bowie, MD Mullica Hill, NJ

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Band Staff =  $\dagger$ 

# **GETTYSBURG COLLEGE**

Janet Morgan Riggs, *President* Chris Zappe, *Provost* 

#### **Sunderman Conservatory of Music**

James Day, *Director*Diane MacBeth, *Senior Administrative Assistant*Shelley Stoner, *Administrative Assistant* 

# Instrumental Music in the Sunderman Conservatory of Music

Russell McCutcheon, *Director of Bands*Steven Marx, *Director of Marching and Symphony Bands*Paul Austerlitz, *Coordinator of Jazz and Jazz Dispatch*Paul Carr, *Director of Jazz Ensemble*Ari Issacman-Beck, *Conductor: Symphony Orchestra* 

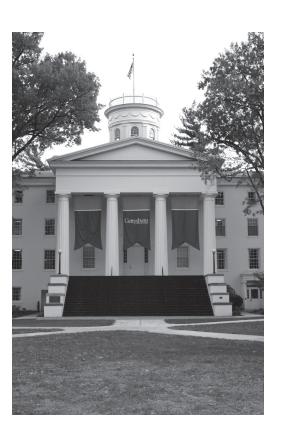
### **Gettysburg Bands Staff**

Chloe Dougherty, Justin Chovanec, Melanie Greenberg, Brandon Hall, Diego Rocha, and Holly Wentworth

## **Instrumental Applied Faculty**

Teresa Bowers, Flute
Edward Stanley, Oboe
Aaron Scott, Clarinet
Benjamin Greanya, Bassoon
Amanda Heim, Saxophone
Steven Marx, Trumpet
Kenneth Bell, Horn
Colin Wise, Low Brass
Paul Fadoul, Percussion
Yeon-Su Kim, Violin

Rebecca Henry, Viola
Daniel Levitov, Cello
Devin Howell, Bass
Jocelyn Swigger, Piano
Scott Crowne, Piano
Felix Hell, Organ
Astrid Walschot-Stapp, Harp



# UPCOMING SUNDERMAN CONSERVATORY SPRING EVENTS

February 10 • 6pm *From XIX to '19: Student Recital,* Paul Recital Hall February 15 • 7pm *Sunderman Wind Quintet,* Paul Recital Hall

February 22 • 8pm The US Army Blues with Gettysburg College Jazz Ensemble, Majestic Theater

February 23 • 4pm From XIX to '19: Adam Paul Cordle, viola, Paul Recital Hall

February 23 • 7pm Sr. Recital: Aaron Thompson, baritone, Paul Recital Hall

February 23 • 8:30pm Sr. Recital: Abigail Winston, soprano, Paul Recital Hall

February 24 • 2:30pm Sr. Recital: Elliot Pajer, piano, Paul Recital Hall

February 24 • 4pm Sr. Recital: Nicholas Sontag, violin, Paul Recital Hall

March 3 • 2:30pm Sr. Recital: Elizabeth DeVito, soprano, Paul Recital Hall

March 23 • 8pm College Choir and Camerata Spring Concert, Christ Chapel

March 24 • 2:30pm Sr. Recital: Lindsey Paszczuk, oboe, Paul Recital Hall

March 29 • 8pm Stan Scott and the Rangila Ensemble, Paul Recital Hall

March 30 • 2:30pm Sr. Recital: Brian Ruether, clarinet, Paul Recital Hall

March 30 • 8pm *Jazz Dispatch*, Paul Recital Hall

March 31 • 1pm From XIX to '19: Faculty Recital, Paul Recital Hall

April 5 • 8:30pm Sr. Recital: John Glennon, trumpet, Paul Recital Hall

April 6 • 8pm Jazz Ensemble, Majestic Theater

April 7 • 2:30pm Sr. Recital: Sophia Rostock, cello, Paul Recital Hall

April 7 • 4pm Sr. Recital: Vannessa Case, soprano, Paul Recital Hall

April 12 • 8pm Wind Symphony Masterworks Concert, Majestic Theater

April 13 • 8pm Spring Choral Concert, Christ Chapel

April 14 • 3pm Symphony Band, Majestic Theater

April 20 • 7pm Sr. Recital: Camille Iorio, soprano, Paul Recital Hall

April 25 • 7:30pm Opera Workshop, Majestic Theater

April 26 • 7:30pm Opera Workshop, Majestic Theater

April 27 • 8pm Symphony Orchestra, Majestic Theater

April 28 • 2:30pm Sr. Recital: Sebastien Ridore, viola, Paul Recital Hall

April 28 • 4pm Sr. Recital: Olivia Higgins, harp, Paul Recital Hall

May 3 • 4:30pm Gamelan Gita Semara, Musselman Library Steps

May 4 • 8:00pm Faculty Recital: Ari Isaacman-Beck, violin & Jocelyn Swigger, piano, Paul Recital Hall

