

THE SUNDERMAN CONSERVATORY
OF MUSIC AT GETTYSBURG COLLEGE *presents the*

SUNDERMAN WIND SYMPHONY

RUSSELL MCCUTCHEON, *Conductor*



Stage and Screen

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2017 · 8:00 P.M.
MAJESTIC THEATER · GETTYSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA

PROGRAM

Overture to “Candide” Leonard Bernstein
(1918 – 1990)
arr. Walter Beeler

Scenes from “The Louvre” Norman Dello Joio
(1913 – 2008)

- I. The Portals
- II. Children’s Gallery
- III. Kings of France
- IV. Nativity Paintings
- V. Finale

Opening Night on Broadway arr. Michael Brown

Music from the film “Lincoln” John Williams
(b. 1932)
arr. Jay Bocook

Bond...James Bondarr. Stephen Bulla

Glory of the Yankee Navy.....John Philip Sousa
(1854 – 1932)

ABOUT THE CONDUCTOR



Russell McCutcheon is Director of Bands in the Sunderman Conservatory of Music at Gettysburg College in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. At Gettysburg, he conducts the Wind Symphony, Sunderman Conservatory Symphony Band, 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 where he served as Assistant Conductor of the Wind Symphony. Prior to his appointment in the Sunderman Conservatory, Dr. McCutcheon served for three years as Associate Director of Band, Wind and Percussion Activities at Otterbein University in Westerville, Ohio and has eight years of high school teaching experience in the public schools. Bands under his direction have performed in China, Singapore, England, Scotland, Italy, Canada and Switzerland.

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. In 2016, McCutcheon was named as a finalist in the Conducting-University and College Bands Division of The American Prize national non-profit competitions in the performing arts.

Dr. McCutcheon is the founding conductor of the Atlantic Chamber Winds and 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.

WIND SYMPHONY PERSONNEL

Piccolo

Tess Fernald `20
Rose Martus `19 P

Hometown

Mount Joy, PA
West Milford, NJ

Major

Music Performance
Music & Mathematics

Flute

Barbara Benowitz `20
Tess Fernald `20
Rose Martus `19 P
Leigh Richard `19

Bethesda, MD
Mount Joy, PA
West Milford, NJ
Springfield, PA

Music & Psychology
Music Performance
Music & Mathematics
English Education

Oboe

Clare Diederich `18
Kim McCaskey `20
Lindsey Paszczuk `19 P

Middletown, MD
Mount Joy, PA
Berlin, CT

Japanese Studies
Music & Chemistry
Music & Health Sciences

English Horn

Kim McCaskey `20

Mount Joy, PA

Music & Chemistry

E-flat Clarinet

Jasmin Eddy `19

Windham, ME

Music Education

Clarinet

Jasmin Eddy `19
Ben Fruchtl `20
Caroline Greiner `20
Isaac Hawkins `18 P ‡
Rachel Loney `20
Megan Zierold `20

Windham, ME
Kempton, PA
Bethel Park, PA
Steelton, PA
Wilmington, DE
Hillsborough, NJ

Music Education
Music Education
Undeclared
Music Education
Biology
Undeclared

Bass Clarinet

Caroline Valenti `18

New Fairfield, CT

Economics & Music

Contrabass Clarinet

Ben Skinner `19

Bowie, MD

Biochemistry & Molecular Biology

Bassoon

Graham Boudreau

Orrtanna, PA

Community Member

Alto Saxophone

Colin Messinger `17 P
Brian Ruether `19

Hanover, PA
Newark, DE

Computer Science
Biology & Music

Tenor Saxophone

Amanda Heim

Gettysburg, PA

Conservatory Faculty

Baritone Saxophone

William Morris `18

Carlisle, PA

Music & Physics

Trumpet

Chelsea Ferraro `18 ‡
Michael Karchner `19
Andrew Mahoney `17
Sofia Mouritsen `20
Patrick Peters `19 P
Joshua Spry `17

Tower City, PA
Collegeville, PA
Collegeville, PA
Waxhaw, NC
Florham Park, NJ
Silver Spring, MD

Music Education
Biology
Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Undeclared
Music & Mathematical Economics
Music

Horn

Daniel Cresci `19
Alexandra Ecker `19 ‡
Luke Gaylor `18 P
Jeremy Porter `20

Shirley, NY
Dover, NH
Perry Hall, MD
Belle Mead, NJ

Political Science & Philosophy
Biology
Chinese St. & International Affairs
History

Trombone

Lani Deatherage `18 P
Diego Rocha `19 ‡
Charles Sternberg `19
Blake Thatcher `17

York, PA
High Springs, FL
New Milford, NJ
Afton, VA

Music & Psychology
Music Education
Cinema & Media
Spanish - LACLS

Euphonium

Benjamin Pontz `20

Strasburg, PA

Political Science

Tuba

Marc Tessier `18
Erik Wendt `19 P

Concord, NH
Pennington, NJ

Music
Mathematics

Double Bass

Marc Tessier `18 Concord, NH Music

Harp

Claire Heath `17 P Belle Mead, NJ Music

Percussion

Zachary Carter `20 Alexandria, VA Music Education
Skyler Ehly `18 P ‡ Reamstown, PA Computer Science
Jackson Guyton `20 Phoenix, MD Psychology
Claire Heath `17 Belle Mead, NJ Music

Wind Symphony musicians are listed alphabetically to emphasize the equal contribution of each member.

P=Principal Player

‡=Band Staff

UPCOMING SUNDERMAN CONSERVATORY EVENTS

- February 18 • 8:00pm *Brentano String Quartet*, Paul Recital Hall
February 25 • 8:00pm *Jazz Ensemble*, Majestic Theater
March 25 • 1:00pm *Brahms for Piano and Violin*, Paul Recital Hall
March 25 • 8:00pm *College Choir*, Christ Chapel
March 29 • 12:00pm *Brown Bag Jazz*, Majestic Theater Cinema 1
March 31 • 8:00pm *Jazz Dispatch*, Paul Recital Hall
April 1 • 7:00pm *Senior Recital: Claire Heath, harp*, Paul Recital Hall
April 1 • 8:30pm *Senior Recital: Hannah Glick, soprano*, Paul Recital Hall
April 2 • 3:00pm *Wind Symphony*, Majestic Theater
April 8 • 7:00pm *Senior Recital: Heather McConnell, soprano*, Paul Recital Hall
April 8 • 8:30pm *Senior Recital: Joshua Spry, trumpet*, Paul Recital Hall
April 9 • 2:30pm *Spring Choral Concert*, Christ Chapel
April 15 • 7:00pm *Senior Recital: Katherine Southall, piano*, Paul Recital Hall
April 19 • 12:00pm *Notes at Noon: Opera Workshop Preview*, Musselman Library Apse
April 22 • 8:00pm *Jazz Ensemble*, Majestic Theater
April 23 • 3:00pm *Symphony Band*, Majestic Theater
April 27 • 7:00pm *Opera Scenes*, Majestic Theater
April 28 • 7:00pm *Opera Scenes*, Majestic Theater
April 29 • 8:00pm *Symphony Orchestra*, Majestic Theater
May 1 • 5:00pm *Wind Symphony Student Conductor Concert*, Paul Recital Hall
May 5 • 4:00pm *Gamelan Gita Semara*, Musselman Library Steps



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