

YO SHAKESPEARE!

WILLIAMS SYMPHONIC WINDS

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Department of Music



PREMIERES BY
SARAH RISKIND '09
BRIAN SIMALCHIK '10
SATURDAY MAY 9, 2009
8:00 PM, CHAPIN HALL

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Lukas Foss (1922-2009)
Elegy from Concerto for Band (2002)

Daron Aric Hagen (b. 1961)
Wedding Dances from the opera *Bandanna* (1998; arr. Mark Spede, 2000)

Arvo Pärt (b. 1935)
Fratres for 8 cellos (1977/1982)

Reynaldo Hahn (1875-1947)
Lesquercade and *Romanesque* from *Le bal de Béatrice d'Este* (1905)
Jacob Walls '11, *conductor*

Sarah Riskind '09 (b. 1987)
Heart's Place (2009) — *première*
I. Union with Christ
II. In Prison
III. Pomegranates in Flower
Kerry Ryer-Parke, *soprano*; Sarah Riskind '09, *conductor*

***** *brief intermission* *****

Michael Gordon (b. 1956)
Yo Shakespeare (1992)

Arvo Pärt (b. 1935)
Fratres for wind octet and percussion (1977; arr. by Beat Briner, 1990)
Brian Simalchik '10, *conductor*

Brian Simalchik '10 (b. 1988)
when I lived in permanence (2009) — *première*
Katie Palmer '10, Mimi Lou '09, Betsy Ribble '09, *cello*

Martin Mailman (b. 1932-2000)
for precious friends hid in death's dateless night (1988)
I. mournful hymns did hush the night
II. broken loops of buried memories
III. which by and by black night doth take away

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SYMPHONIC WINDS and CHAMBER WINDS

Steven Dennis Bodner, *music director*

Flute/Piccolo

Susan Chen '12
Alexandra Hoff '09 ø ^
Cristine Lanoue (MAUHS)
Lia McNerney '12 ø
Sara Woodbury (Clark grad) ^
Katie Yosua '11 ♥

Oboe

Daniel Gross '12 Δ
Joseph Gross '10 ^
Zina Ward '12 Δ ♥

English Horn

Zina Ward '12 Δ

E♭ Clarinet

Elise Piazza '09

Clarinet

Melissa Cowitt '10 (MCLA)
Aaron Freedman '12
Elise Piazza '09 ♥
Brad Polsky '12
Bryant Renaud '11 Δ
Alexander Taylor '10 ^ Δ
Akemi Ueda '11 ^

Bass Clarinet

Daniel King '09
Brad Polsky '12 ^ ※
Bryant Renaud '11 Δ

Contrabass Clarinet

Daniel King '09 ※

Bassoon

Krassimir Ivanov Δ ♥
Mel Toubé ^ Δ

Saxophone

Aaron Freedman '12 ø ※
soprano, tenor
Christopher Law '10 ø
alto, tenor, baritone
Greg McElroy '12, *baritone* ※
Brad Polsky '12, *alto*
Nicole Stenquist '12, *alto, tenor*
Emily Yu '11, *baritone*

Trumpet

Elin Hardenberg '09 (MCLA) ※
Connor Kamm '10 ※
Alexa Lutchen '11
Geoffrey Rodriguez '11 ※
Tom Sikes '11
Jacob Walls '11 ※

Horn

Peter Gottlieb '11 Δ ♥
Nora Kern '12 ^
Matthew Zhou '12 ^ Δ

Trombone

Casey Lyons '11
Marco Sanchez '10
Matthew Stebbins '08 (UMass)

Euphonium

Jenna Taft '09

Tuba

Aaron Bauer '11

Timpani

Chaz Lee '11
Scott Smedinghoff '09

Percussion

Alexander Creighton '10 ø ※
Ana Inoa '10 Δ
Eric Kang '09
Andrew Lorenzen '12 Δ ※
Nina Piazza '12 ♥ ※
Brian Simalchik '10 ^

Piano/Celesta

Brian Simalchik '10
Scott Smedinghoff '09
Laone Thekiso '12 ^

Synthesizer

Eric Kang '09 ø
Chaz Lee '11 ø
Brian Simalchik '10 ø
Madura Watanagase '12 ※

Harp

Talia Mailman '06 ^

Violin

Leo Brown '11 ♥
Helen Cha '11 ♥
Stephanie Jensen '12 ♥
Teng Jian Khoo '09 ø
Evan Lin '10 ♥
David Moore '10 ♥
Joshua Rim '11 ♥
Rob Silversmith '11 ♥
Shela Suh '12 ♥

Viola

Lauren McDonald '12 ♥
Shivon Robinson '11 ♥

Cello

Maya Harakawa '12 ▲
Eric Kang '09 ▲
Talia Loewen '12 ▲ ♥
Mimi Lou '09 ▲ ♥ ※
Katie Palmer '10 ø ▲ ※
Zachary Quay-delaVallee '09 ▲
Betsy Ribble '09 ▲ ※
Tiffany Yu '12 ▲

Bass

Charlie Dougherty '09
David Kechley (fac.) ♥

Electric Guitar

Paisley Kang '12 ø

Bass Guitar

Charlie Dougherty '09 ø

Vocalists

Katherine McCurdy '09
Sarah Riskind '09

Teaching Assistant

Brian Simalchik '10

Stage Manager

Jonathan Schmeling '12

Chamber Winds personnel

ø Gordon: *Yo Shakespeare*
^ Hahn: *Le bal de Béatrice d'Este*
▲ Pärt: *Fratres* (cellos)
Δ Pärt: *Fratres* (winds/percussion)
♥ Riskind: *Heart's Place*
※ Simalchik: *when I lived in permanence*

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Upcoming Events:

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- 5/10: Artsbreak Concert, **The Clark**, 1:00 p.m.
5/10: Brass Bash, **Thompson Memorial Chapel**, 7:30 p.m.
5/11: In C, Chapin Hall Steps, 12:15 p.m.
5/12: Williams Handbell Choir, Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall, 4:00 p.m.
5/13: MIDWEEKMUSIC, Chapin Hall, 12:15 p.m.
5/13: Instructor Cello and Vocal Recital, Chapin Hall, 4:15 p.m.
5/13: MIDWEEKMUSIC, Chapin Hall, **7:00** p.m. (Note evening time)
5/15: Student Chamber Recital: Mimi Lou '09, Alicia Choi '09, Betsy Ribble '09, Chapin Hall, 3:30 p.m.
5/16: Instructor Piano Recital, Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall, 2:00 p.m.
5/16: Williams Opera: *Così fan tutte*, Chapin Hall, 8:00 p.m.
5/17: Artsbreak Concert, **The Clark**, 1:00 p.m.
5/17: Senior Recital: Ed Wichiencharoen '09, piano, Brooks-Rogers Recital Hall, 3:00 p.m.
5/19: MIDWEEKMUSIC, Chapin Hall, 12:15 p.m.

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