

Interlochen, Michigan 33rd Program of the 62nd Year

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INTERLOCHEN ARTS ACADEMY STRING ORCHESTRA

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Friday, October 13, 2023 7:30pm, Corson Auditorium

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PROGRAM

STRING ORCHESTRA Air and Gavotte	Arthur Foote (1853-1937)
ORCHESTRA Olympic Fanfare and Theme	John Williams (b. 1932)
Symphony No. 8 in G Major, Op. 88	Antonín Dvořák (1841-1904)

Robert W. Boardman is now in his thirteenth year as Music Director of the South Bend Youth Symphony Orchestras, winning 1st place in the American Prize for Orchestral Programming (2018, 2015), commissioning and premiering Jorge Muniz' "Motown Dreams" for saxophonist Timothy McAllister. Dr. Boardman tours internationally as a conductor for Howard Shore's The Lord of the Rings Symphony with CAMI Music, and for six years he served as frequent cover conductor for the Detroit Symphony Orchestra. Having achieved the DMA of Orchestral Conducting at the University of Michigan, his principal conducting teachers were Kenneth Kiesler, Marin Alsop, Larry Rachleff, Gustav Meier, and Lawrence Golan.

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Leslie B. Dunner, conductor Christine Roberts, manager Mallory Sajewski, librarian

VIOLIN I

Charlotte Fong, Hong Kong Winter Wu, China Ari Han, Va.
Jim Kaplan, N.Y.
Aria Liu, China Yuqin Huang, China Miuccia Li, China Harry Yang, China Sabine Stern, Calif. Tessa Duncan, Canada Leo Makino, Wash. Alice Song, Canada Jeewon Lee, Conn.
Evan Whipple, Wyo.

VIOLIN II

Jad Ibrahim, Syria
Jane Finlayson-Fife, Ill.
Helen Liu, China
Sabine Bechtiger,
Switzerland
Emilio Zires, Ill.
Simon Hill, S.C.
Nora Zarycki, Mont.
Hadassah Ring, Mich.
Phoebe Bruchman, Texas
Suki Li, China
Ella Besirli, Mich.
Nicole Wang, Taiwan
Malika Prasad, Ill.

VIOLA

Sarah Wagner, Va.
Greyson Geisness, Fla.
Bailey Rickman, N.C.
Helen Shamizikojabad, Va.
Alexandra Yeoh, Ohio
Lily Wodzisz, Mich.
Lana Kim, Mich.
Callie Kleinman, N.M.
Jordan Fletcher, Okla.
Rishi Ashwath, Fla.

CELLO

Owen Aycock, Texas
Meena Karimi, Afghanistan
Luke Walker, Jamaica
Karl Davis, Minn.
Avrom Lindner, Wash.
Henry Cornette, Va.
Cecelia McVicker, Ohio
Griffin Jones, S.C.
Sarah Mann, Mich.
Charlotte Wildenberg, Wash.
Vanessa Agyei, Mich.
Morgan Miner, Ill.
Winston Morris, Texas

DOUBLE BASS

Philani Gqamana, N.Y. Shelcy Dilone, Mass. CJ Moore, Minn. Xiye Chen, China Jun Jie Wang, China Michael Figge, Mass.

FLUTE

Rylan Collins, Texas (piccolo) Arin Goldstein, Utah Genevieve Skatoff, Fla. (piccolo)

OBOE

William Simpfendorfer, Colo. Hannah Stone, Wash. Shiyi Song, China (E.H.) William Tao, China Ziyao Sun, China Joshuah Voqel, Ariz.

CLARINET

Audrey Bray, Texas Luis Montero Hernandez, Costa Rica John Wolch, Wash. (bass)

BASSOON

Alaine Garinger, Ohio (contra) Wyatt Larsen, Nev. Elise TeKolste, Kan.

HORN

Sophie Choy, Hong Kong Sydney Richardson, Texas Max Robichaux, Texas Trista Schepp, Wis.

TRUMPET

Lily Clark, N.Y. Mauricio García de Jesús, Mexico Jonathan Taylor, Calif. Annie Walton, Mich.

TROMBONE

Juan Beltran, Texas Henry Price, Va. Jaewon Shim, South Korea Ava Siu, Ill.

TUBA

Jonathan Miller, Fla.

PERCUSSION

Mitchell Beckmann, Mo.
Julian Jimenez-Pardo,
Costa Rica
Reese Modesitt, Texas
Hannah Stone, Wash.
William Tao, China
Joshuah Vogel, Ariz.

HARP

Ella Brown, Mass. Cory Lin, Canada

PIANO/CELESTE

Helen Nguyen Hoang, Vietnam

Strings are listed in seating order. Remaining musicians are listed alphabetically within their section.

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UPCOMING CONCERTS & EVENTS

Cats

Friday, Nov. 10 - Sunday, Nov. 12 | Corson Auditorium

Experience Andrew Lloyd Webber's Tony Award-winning mega musical as the Arts Academy Theatre Division stages *Cats*. Don't miss a fun and fantastical musical based on T.S. Eliot's 1939 poetry collection *Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats*.

Orchestra and Wind Symphony: With Guest Conductor Kenneth Kiesler Thursday, Nov. 16 | Corson Auditorium

Experience two of Interlochen Arts Academy's finest instrumental ensembles in one performance! Under the direction of Matthew Schlomer and guest conductor Kenneth Kiesler respectively, the Arts Academy Orchestra and Wind Symphony will perform a diverse program of classical and contemporary works.

The Nutcracker

Thursday, Dec. 7 - Sunday, Dec. 10 | Corson Auditorium

Experience the magic and wonder of the holiday season as the Interlochen Arts Academy Dance Division performs *The Nutcracker*. The timeless story of Clara and her enchanted Nutcracker with choreography by Director of Dance Joseph Morrissey, and a live performance of Tchaikovsky's beloved score by the Arts Academy Orchestra.

Sounds of the Season

Saturday, Dec. 16 and Sunday, Dec. 17 | Corson Auditorium

Don your holiday apparel and join Interlochen Arts Academy for a program of festive, family friendly fun! Arrive early for carols in the lobby, then take your seats as the Academy's music, theatre, dance, and interdisciplinary arts students perform a fast-paced showcase of seasonal songs and stories.

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