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Free Music Concert Series

The Department of Music
Presents in Concert

UR Wind Ensemble
David Niethamer, conductor

Monday, March 27, 2017
7:30 p.m.

Camp Concert Hall,
Booker Hall of Music



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PROGRAM

Athletic Festival March, op. 69, no. 1

Sergei Prokofiev
(1891-1953)

Riften Wed

Julie Giroux
(b. 1961)

Echoes of the Hollow Square
(Suite of Shaped Note Tunes for Band)

Johnnie Vinson
(b. 1945)

- I. The Morning Trumpet
- II. Hallelujah
- III. I'm Going Home/Warrenton

Incantation and Dance

John Barnes Chance
(1932-1972)

INTERMISSION

Handel in the Strand

Percy Grainger
(1882-1961)

Of Sailors and Whales: Five Scenes from Melville

W. Francis McBeth
(1933-2012)

- I. Ishmael
- II. Queequeg
- III. Father Mapple
- IV. Ahab
- V. The White Whale

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University of Richmond Wind Ensemble

PICCOLO

Angie Hilliker *

FLUTE

Hunter Evans

Eve Gilles

Angie Hilliker *

Wen Ren

Abby Seaberg

Linda Simmons **

Lauren Walker

Rain Yao

OBOE

Elise Favia

Emily Gove

Alexandra Kohnert

Parrish Simmons ***

CLARINET

Meghan Leber

Timothy Rueter

Gene Anderson *

Lily Thompson *

Myrick Crampton ***

Michael Miller ***

BASS CLARINET

Michael Maccaferri *

SAXOPHONE

Christopher Fryer

Shannon Laughlin

Valerie Galati

Daniel Fabrizius

Dennon Hoernig

BASSOON

Anthony Isenhour

HORN

Andrew Reeder

Ryan Smout **

Alexandra Rooke **

Gretchen Georgas ***

TRUMPET

Charity Yeyeodu

Stanley Goldman ***

Michelle Ferrell **

TROMBONE

Rebecca Buffington *

Ben Anderson ***

EUPHONIUM

Chris Cotter

TUBA

Jackson Clement

PERCUSSION

Edward Provencher

John McAlister ***

David Lee Chung ***

TIMPANI

Ray Breakall *

* University of Richmond Faculty/Staff

** University of Richmond Alumni

*** Community Musician

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David Niethamer began his conducting career at Lebanon Valley College, where he conducted a run of *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum* and was student conductor of the college orchestra. Niethamer was appointed Principal Clarinetist of the Richmond Symphony in 1979. He appeared thirteen times as soloist with the orchestra during his twenty-three-year tenure. In addition to his orchestral career, Niethamer has maintained a busy schedule of chamber music, recitals and teaching. He has performed with the Kandinsky Trio, at the Albemarle Festival with the Monticello Trio and the Brentano Quartet, with the Composers Quartet, and with the Lenox String Quartet. From 1982 until 1992, Niethamer was the Clarinetist and Artistic Director of the Roxbury Chamber Players. He was Artistic Director of the Richmond Chamber Players "Interlude" series from 1994 – 1997. An interest in the work of living composers has led to collaborations with Karel Husa, Gunther Schuller, and Ned Rorem. In Virginia, Niethamer has worked closely with Allan Blank, Judith Shatin, and Joel Suben. Niethamer's recordings are on the MMC, Elan, and Opus One labels. In 2002, after twenty-three years at the "other end of the baton," Niethamer became the conductor of the University of Richmond Wind Ensemble. He has also conducted Commonwealth Winds, and the VCU University Band. Niethamer continues to perform as a clarinetist with the National Gallery Orchestra in Washington DC, the Virginia Symphony, and the Virginia Opera.

SPRING 2017 DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC CONCERT SERIES

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VENUE: CAMP CONCERT HALL (unless noted otherwise)

Global Sounds Family Concert

Sunday, April 2 | 3 p.m.

Westhampton Green

Bruce Stevens, organ

Monday, April 3 | 7:30 p.m.

Cannon Memorial Chapel

UR Symphony Orchestra

Wednesday, April 5 | 7:30 p.m.

UR Jazz Ensemble

Thursday, April 6 | 7:30 p.m.

UR Schola Cantorum

and Women's Chorale

Sunday, April 9 | 3 p.m.

UR Jazz and Contemporary Combos

Monday, April 10 | 7:30 p.m.

UR Chamber Ensembles

Monday, April 17 | 7:30 p.m.



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