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THE DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

Presents
in Concert

The University of Richmond
Wind Ensemble

David Niethamer, Conductor

Sunday, November 16, 2008
7:30 p.m.
Camp Concert Hall
Booker Hall of Music
Program

The Captains and the Kings
Leroy Anderson
(1908-1975)

Trauersinfonie
Funeral Music on themes from
"Euryanthe" by C. M. von Weber
Richard Wagner
(1813-1883)
Arr. Eric Leidzen

Armenian Dances (Part One)
Alfred Reed
(1921-2005)

Intermission

First Suite in Eb for Military Band
Op. 28, No. 1 (1909)
Gustav Holst
(1874-1934)

Courtly Airs and Dances
Ron Nelson
(b. 1929)

Intrada: With Pomp
Basse Dance (France): In a stately manner
Pavane (England): Gently
Saltarello (Italy): Very precisely
Sarabande (Spain)
Allemande (Germany): Joyously
About the Conductor

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.

Appointed Principal Clarinetist of the Richmond Symphony in 1979, he appeared thirteen times as soloist with the orchestra during his 23-year tenure.

In addition to his orchestral career, Niethamer has maintained a busy schedule of chamber music, recitals and teaching. He has performed at the Albemarle Festival with the Monticello Trio and the Brentano Quartet, with the Kandinsky Trio, the Composers Quartet, and the Lenox String Quartet. From 1982 until 1992, Niethamer was the Clarinetist and Artistic Director of the Roxbury Chamber Players and Artistic Director of the Richmond Chamber Players' "Interlude" series from 1994 through 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 Opus One, MMC, and Elan labels.

In 2002, after 23 years at the "other end of the baton", Niethamer became the conductor of the University of Richmond Wind Ensemble. He has also guest conducted the Longwood University Wind Symphony and the Commonwealth Winds. Niethamer continues to perform as a clarinetist with the National Gallery Orchestra in Washington D.C., the Virginia Symphony, and with the Richmond Chamber Players.
The University of Richmond Wind Ensemble

**Piccolo**
Keith Hanlon

**Flute**
Katie Moyer
Julia Zeller
Kelly Rafferty
Christine Most

**Oboe**
Mary Baumann

**Clarinet**
Anne R. Jenkins
Laura Schillinger
Beth Anne Spacht
Allison Affleck
Mary Grimes (Eb clarinet)

**Contrabass Clarinet**
Nathan Verilla

**Alto Saxophone**
Eric Switick
Tiara Davis

**Tenor Saxophone**
Austin Bourdon

**Baritone Saxophone**
Cain Bonniwell

**Horn**
Ryan Smout
Alexandra Rooke
Henry Baird
Sally Roberts

**Trumpet**
Alex Moore
Dan Petty
Jack Wisnefske
Adam Claar

**Trombone**
Tim Quinn
Sharon Petway
Dr. Thad Williamson

**Tuba**
Emil Mentz

**Percussion**
Ari Corson
Jared Harrison

**Timpani**
Ray Breakall
Fall 2008

Family Weekend Concert
Fri, Sept 19 – 7:30p

“Music and Torture”
Suzanne G. Cusick, musicologist
Sun, Oct 5 – 3p

Brian Jones & Friends
Sun, Oct 5 – 7:30p

Duo-Piano Recital
Richard Becker, piano
Doris Wylee-Becker, piano
Sun, Oct 26 – 3p

Schola Cantorum and
University Women’s Chorale
Sun, Nov 2 – 3p

Third Practice Electro
Acoustic Music Festival
Fri, Nov 7-
Sat, Nov 8

David Esleck Trio
Thurs, Nov 13 – 7:30p
Perkinson Recital Hall

University Wind Ensemble
Sun, Nov 16 – 7:30p

University Jazz Ensemble and Jazz Combo
Mon, Nov 24 – 7:30p

University Chamber Music Ensembles
Mon, Dec 1 – 7:30p

University Orchestra
Wed, Dec 3 – 7:30p

Global Music Ensemble
Thurs, Dec 4 – 7:30p

Annual Christmas Candlelight Service
Sun, Dec 7 – 5 & 8p
Cannon Memorial Chapel

Spring 2009

Schubert’s Winterreise
James Weaver, baritone
Joanne Kong, piano
Mon, Jan 19 – 7:30p

“Music in Times of Civil Unrest”
Richmond Symphony
Schola Cantorum
James River Singers
Fri, Jan 30 – 7:30p

Richard Becker, piano
Sun, Feb 1 – 3p

“The Magnanimity of President Abraham Lincoln”
William Lee Miller, speaker
University Orchestra
Thurs, Feb 12 – 7:30p

Doris Wylee-Becker, piano
Fri, Feb 20 – 7:30p

“Scintillating Centenarians”
Mon, Feb 23 – 7:30p

“Madrigals of Love & War”
Mon, Mar 16 – 7:30p

University Wind Ensemble
Sun, Apr 4 – 7:30p

Schola Cantorum and
University Women’s Chorale
Sun, Apr 5 – 3p

University Jazz and Brazilian Combo
Mon, Apr 6 – 7:30p

University Orchestra
Wed, Apr 8 – 7:30p

University Chamber Music Ensembles
Thurs, Apr 9 – 7:30p

University Jazz Ensemble and Jazz Combo
Mon, Apr 13 – 7:30p

World Music Concert
Sun, Apr 19 – 3p
Jenkins Greek Theater