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**THE UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND**  
**DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC**  
**Presents in Concert**

*The University Wind Ensemble*

**David Niethamer**  
*Director*



**Saturday, April 4, 2009**  
**7:30 p.m.**  
**Camp Concert Hall**  
**Booker Hall of Music**

# *Program*

**Flourish for Wind Band**                      Ralph Vaughan Williams  
(1872-1958)

**Irish Tune from County Derry**                      Percy Grainger  
(1882-1961)

**Divertimento for Band, Op. 42 (1950)**                      Vincent Persichetti  
(1915-1987)  
*Prologue*  
*Song*  
*Dance*  
*Burlesque*  
*Soliloquy*  
*March*

**Toccata Marziale**                      Ralph Vaughan Williams

**Scenes from the Louvre (1966)**                      Norman Dello Joio  
(1913-2008)  
*The Portals*  
*Children's Gallery*  
*The Kings of France*  
*The Nativity Paintings*  
*Finale*

**Mount of Might**                      Eric Osterling  
(1926-2005)

# THE UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND WIND ENSEMBLE

## **FLUTE**

Katie Moyer  
Julia Zeller

## **OBOE**

Mary Baumann

## **CLARINET**

Megan Bersani  
Mary Grimes  
Michelle Higby  
Laura Schillinger  
Beth Anne Spacht

## **BASS CLARINET**

Gretchen Anderson

## **ALTO SAXOPHONE**

Amanda Marziliano  
Eric Switick

## **TENOR SAXOPHONE**

Tiara Davis

## **BARITONE SAXOPHONE**

Cain Bonniwell

## **HORN**

Henry Baird  
Drew Howell  
Sally Roberts  
Alexandra Rooke  
Ryan Smout

## **TRUMPET**

Adam Claar  
Matt Jordan  
Dan Petty  
Jack Wisnefske

## **TROMBONE**

Sharon Petway  
Tim Quinn  
Thad Williamson

## **TUBA**

Emil Mentz

## **PERCUSSION**

Ari Corson  
Jared Harrison



## *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.





**University Wind Ensemble  
President Ayers' Inauguration**

**FALL 2008 – SPRING 2009**  
**DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC FREE EVENTS**  
**Camp Concert Hall, unless otherwise noted**

*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