A native of Belarus, Polina Khatsko has established herself both as an active performer and a dedicated teacher. Some of her accomplishments include the performance and recording of complete works for cello and piano by Beethoven with Anthony Elliott, as well as being a key participant in the acclaimed “Complete Solo Piano Works by Chopin” project organized by the studio of Arthur Greene. While in Belarus, Mrs. Khatsko received her musical training at the Belarusian Music Lyceum and the Belarusian State Academy of Music under the tutelage of Ariadna Guzhalovskaya and Vladimir Dousov. In 1999, she was invited by James Cook to study with him at the University of Nebraska, Kearney, with generous support of the Baine Wallace House Memorial Scholarship. Following that, Mrs. Khatsko earned her Master’s and Doctoral degrees from the University of Michigan as a student of Arthur Greene. During the years of studies she regularly appeared with faculty artists and ensembles, which allowed her to indulge in an enduring love of chamber music.

Mrs. Khatsko has served on the piano faculty of the Schoolcraft College and the University of Michigan preparatory department. As a collaborative pianist, she has worked for the string department of the University of Michigan School of Music, appeared as an annual staff accompanist for the prestigious Sphinx International Competition and was on the Collaborative Piano faculty of the International Music Academy in Pilsen, Czech Republic and the Cambridge International String Academy in Cambridge, U.K. Currently, she is Adjunct Instructor of Piano at the University of Northern Iowa.

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**PROGRAM**

*Les Folies d’Espagne*  
Marin Marais

*Life Cycle of the Oboist*  
*Escales*  
Jacques Ibert  
*Blues*  
Ronald Roseman  
*Tableau*  
Gilles Silvestrini  
*Danza Gaya*  
Madeleine Dring

*Sonata for Oboe and Piano*  
Camille Saint-Saëns

**INTERMISSION**

*Sonata, op. 2, no. 8*  
G. F. Handel (trans. H. Beyer)

I. Andante

II. Allegro

*Niggun*  
Philippe Hersant

*Konzertstuck, op. 2*  
Franz Berwald

**ABOUT THE ARTISTS**

Jan Eberle is Professor of Oboe at the Michigan State University College of Music. She received her Bachelor of Music degree in oboe performance and a Certificate of Special Study from the Curtis Institute of Music. For 18 years, Eberle held the position of principal oboe in the Fort Worth Symphony. She has been a guest principal oboist with the Detroit, Houston, Minnesota, and North Carolina Symphonies, and has served as assistant principal oboe in the Philadelphia Orchestra. She has been a featured recitalist and concerto soloist throughout the United States, and was a winner of the Coleman International Chamber Music Competition Nadie di Kibort Award and the Southbay Chamber Music Competition. Eberle spends her summers in New York as principal oboe of the Chautauqua Symphony Orchestra, and instructor at the Chautauqua School of Music.

Amy Pollard is assistant professor of bassoon at the Hugh Hodgson School of Music at the University of Georgia. She formerly served as lecturer of bassoon at Baylor University and has also been on faculty at the University of Dayton and the Cincinnati School for the Creative and Performing Arts. During the summer she has been on the faculty of the Interlochen Arts Center Advanced Bassoon Institute. She is currently second bassoonist with the Cincinnati Chamber Orchestra and has performed with the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra, the North Carolina Symphony, the Virginia Symphony, Symphony Orchestra Augusta, the Kentucky Symphony Orchestra, and the Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra, among others.

Pollard has performed as a soloist with the University of Georgia Wind Ensemble and Wind Symphony as well as with the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music Chamber Players. An avid chamber musician, she has performed at venues throughout the United States and also in Ireland, Belgium, and Argentina with such groups as the Georgia Woodwind Quintet, the Baylor University Woodwind Quintet, the Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra Woodwind Quintet, and the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music Chamber Players. Her bassoon-percussion duo, Col Legno, has performed recitals and presented master classes at numerous venues throughout the country.

Pollard received her Doctor of Musical Arts and Master of Music degrees from the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music, and a Bachelor of Music degree from Louisiana State University.

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