UPCOMING EVENTS

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FACULTY RECITAL: RANDY GRABOWSKI, TRUMPET

JANUARY 23 AT 7:30 P.M.

BENGTSON AUDITORIUM. RUSSELL HALL

NORTHERN FESTIVAL OF BANDS CONCERTS AT 7:30 P.M. JAN. 26 & 2 P.M. JAN. 27 Great Hall, GBPAC

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ARIANNA EDVENSON, CLARINET

WITH Stephen Mulvahill, Piano

PROGRAM

Sonatir	ne for Clarinet and Piano	Zenobia Powell Perry
	Fast	(1908/2004)
	Moderately Slow	,
	Rather Lively	
	Very Fast	
Sonato	for Clarinet and Piano	Amanda Harberg
	Gently, Playful	(b. 1973)
	Interlude	
	Agitato	

INTERMISSION

Light and Shadows	Theresa Martin (b. 1979)
Sonata for Clarinet and Piano	Theresa Martin

ABOUT THE ARTISTS

An lowa native, **Arianna Edvenson** is an active performer and teacher who is currently an ABD Doctor of Musical Arts in Clarinet Performance and Pedagogy student at the University of Iowa, where she studies with Jorge Montilla Moreno. Her dissertation, which she will be defending in Spring 2024, focuses on six clarinet sonatas by women from the United States.

Arianna joined the faculty at the University of Northern Iowa for the Spring 2024 semester as an Adjunct Instructor of Clarinet. Additionally, she teaches at Mount Mercy University in Cedar Rapids, at Black Hawk College in Moline, IL, and maintains a private studio of over a dozen middle and high school students. She previously taught weekly in school lessons to over 45 students at Clear Creek Amana Middle School in Tiffin, IA.

As a performer, Arianna was invited to ClarinetFest 2022 in Reno, NV to perform a commissioned piece for clarinet and viola. During the same year, the duo also placed third for The American Prize in Chamber Music Performance in the College/University division for their performance of *Prelude*, *Allegro*, and *Pastorale* by Rebecca Clarke. She has also performed in masterclasses for many well-known clarinetists, including Anthony McGill, Theresa Martin, and Elsa Ludewig-Verdehr.

Arianna received her Master of Music degree in Clarinet Performance from the University of New Mexico as a student of Keith Lemmons. She received her undergraduate degree in Clarinet Performance from the University of Northern Iowa, where she studied with Amanda McCandless. When she's not teaching or playing clarinet, Arianna enjoys reading, coffee, and cross-stitching.

Pianist and educator **Stephen Mulvahill**, a native of Houston, is an ABD doctoral candidate in Piano Performance and Pedagogy at the University of Iowa, where his primary mentor is Dr. Rène Lecuona. Stephen is adjunct professor of piano and music history at St. Ambrose University and adjunct professor of music theory, aural skills, and piano at Kirkwood Community College. He is certified in the Suzuki method and teaches piano and conducts orchestras at the internationally recognized Preucil School of Music in Iowa City.

As a pianist, Stephen has won top prizes in the Rosen-Schaffel Concerto Competition and University of Iowa Concerto Competition and has performed at music festivals around the United States and in Europe. He completed a secondary area of study in orchestral conducting at UI and has been invited to give master classes and judge competitions at the college and pre-college level. Stephen's doctoral research centers on building social equity in piano pedagogy.

Stephen holds a Master of Music degree in Piano Performance from the University of North Carolina School of the Arts and a Bachelor of Music degree in Applied Piano from the University of Houston. He is married to clarinetist and educator Ana Maria Locke and has a four-year-old daughter, Anastasia Sophia. When he's not teaching, practicing, or doing more teaching, Stephen enjoys being out in nature, cappuccinos, gardening, and playing pretend with his daughter.