Upcoming Events

The President's Own U.S. Marine Band
Saturday, October 14 at 7:30 p.m.
Great Hall, GBPAC

UNI Violin Studio Recital
Friday, October 20 at 6 p.m.
Davis Hall, GBPAC

The School of Music Calendar of Events is available online at music.uni.edu/events.

In consideration of the performers and other members of the audience, please enter or leave a performance at the end of a composition. Cameras and recording equipment are not permitted. Please turn off all electronic devices, and be sure that all emergency contact cell phones and pagers are set to silent or vibrate. In the event of an emergency, please use the exit nearest to you. Please contact the usher staff if you need assistance.

This event is free to all UNI students, courtesy of the Panther Pass Program.

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Northern Iowa Symphony Orchestra
Erik Rohde, conductor

Wednesday, October 11, 2023, 7:30 p.m.                Great Hall, Gallagher Bluedorn
PROGRAM

Ancient Places (2008) ........................................ Libby Larsen
   I. The Whirling Surface of Day (b. 1950)
   II. To Share These Silences
   III. Blue in Motion

Superior for Chamber Orchestra (2018/2022) .......Katherine Bergman
   (b. 1985) (UNI '09)
         Juan David Dominguez, conductor

Three Picturesque Miniatures (2020/2023) ..........Jonathan Schwabe
   I. Barquinho (little boat) (b. 1957)
   II. Pouco Vento (little wind)
   III. Sol Glorioso (glorious sun)
         Randy Grabowski, trumpet

INTERMISSION

Symphony No. 7 in A Major, op. 92 (1813) ...... Ludwig van Beethoven
   I. Poco sostenuto – Vivace (1770 – 1827)
   II. Allegretto
   III. Presto – Assai meno presto
   IV. Allegro con brio

FEATURED FACULTY ARTIST BIOGRAPHY

Randy Grabowski has created a satisfying life of trumpeting, teaching, and learning. He is Professor of Trumpet at the University of Northern Iowa School of Music where he collaborates with colleagues in exciting chamber music adventures and endeavors to inspire new generations of inquiring musicians.

An active, versatile performer and principal trumpet of the wcfsymphony, Grabowski has taken his love of performing to venues across the U.S., Europe, Canada, and South America. He counts performances at the Britt (OR) and Spoleto (Italy) festivals as being especially memorable, and shows with Frank Sinatra, Aretha Franklin, Ray Charles, Manhattan Transfer, Sammy Davis, Jr., Shirley MacLaine, and the Chestnut Brass Company as particular highlights.

A veteran of the Lake Tahoe/Reno showrooms and an advocate for whatever music is in front of him at the moment, Dr. Grabowski has two degrees from Indiana University and one from the University of Nevada-Reno. In his spare time, he fancies spending time with his family, gardening, walking, cooking, reading, and learning.

NORTHERN IOWA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Flute
   Emily Paul
   Aubrey Williamson
   Martin Paulin, piccolo

Oboe
   Lin Nikkel
   Caroline McReynolds
   Lauren Geerlings

Clarinet
   Madeline Eckehorn
   Lindsay Davison
   Elias Phipps

Bassoon
   Sophia Patchin
   Kate Van Gorp
   Michael Andrews

Horn
   Patrick Mooney
   Paige Thacker
   J.D. Deninger

Trumpet
   Megan Bennett
   Rylee Scheel
   Trey Blaser

Trombone
   Owen Weimer
   Levi Temple
   Nathan Boorman, bass

Tuba
   Mason Bush

Percussion
   Aiden Endres, principal
   Sean Middleton
   Tess Lillbridge
   Jesse Sheehan
   Quinn Wubbena

Piano
   Juan David Dominguez

Harp
   Mara Caylor

Violin I
   Emma Andersen, concertmaster
   Lauren Geerlings
   Kellie Connolly
   Arwen Hansen
   Emma Hawkinson
   Karina Rivera-Andrade

Violin II
   Lily Stevens
   Emma Becker
   Lyuda Haines
   Nathan Fornal
   Emmalee Goldensoph
   Zihan Yan

Viola
   Julian Perez
   Andrew Acosta
   Sammie McDonald
   Skylar Hartson
   Gale Lesemann
   Caitlyn McCracken

Violoncello
   Turner Sperry
   Elliot Purdum
   Max Stelzer
   Ruthellen Brooks
   Slanie Clark
   Alexandra Hook
   Amilya Renaud

Bass
   Sam Stover
   Vincent Valadez
   McCaffrey Brandt
   Martin Hachmann
   Henry Giddens