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my plan
to build
a school
of music
second
to none.”*

—William
Grant Egbert
(1867–1928)
Founder,
Ithaca
Conservatory
of Music

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SENIOR RECITAL

Melissa Deanne Ferguson, composer

Assisted by:
Joseph Caminiti, conductor
Candice Ruffalo, conductor

Brass Fanfare (1997)

Aaron Brown, Paul Conefry, Elizabeth K. Gravatt, Mathew Oram, trumpets
John DeGiglio, Alysia Nemeth, Anna Thomas, Jason Varga, horns
Robert Bruns, Phil Obado, trumbones
Brian Sleeper, David Thayer, tubas
Joseph Caminiti, conductor

Two Pieces of Loss (1994)

- I. *Mother, I Cannot Mind My Wheel*
- II. *Night*

Johanna M. Kiley, soprano
Benjamin Hartman, piano

String Quartet (1997)

- I. *Andante*
- II. *Moderato*

Stephanie Koppeis, violin I
Janeen Streeter, violin II
William McClain, viola
Kathryn Pritt, cello

Etchings for Solo Clarinet (1995)

- I. *Freely, with passion*
- II. *Playfully*
- III. *Lullabye*

Michelle Hoover, clarinet

INTERMISSION

Breaking Dawn Suite (1997)

Stephanie Koppeis, Tracey Matthews, Dana Paolone, violins
Benjamin Coleman, Elizabeth Getlik, Heather Weeks, violas
Karen Bergmann, Francis Koiner, Daniel McCarter, cellos
Bradley Aikman, Greg Stone, Michael Ward, string basses
Maureen McCoy, flute
Christine Kaufmann, oboe/English horn
Michelle Hoover, clarinet
Elizabeth Feck, bass clarinet
Gregory Crystal, bassoon
John DeGiglio, horn
Elizabeth K. Gravatt, trumpet
Robert Bruns, trombone
Brian Sleeper, tuba
Marc Whitman, Arthur J. Chenail, percussion
Joseph Caminiti, conductor

C of sound (1996)
for magnetic tape

Transformations (1996)

Jeffrey Smith, piano

Be Careful What You Say (1996)

Melanie Eck, Shannon Marie Ker, Johanna M. Kiley,
Rebecca Schaberg, sopranos
Christine Kaufmann, Susan McDermott, Lisa Miller, Kathleen O'Connor, altos
Donald S. Brown, II, Robert Bruns, Brooks M. Kranich, Daniel P. Tracy, tenors
Anthony Alvaro, Kevin Doherty, Matthew Hoch, Sean Thomas, basses
Candice Ruffalo, conductor

Senior Recital presented in partial fulfillment for the degree
Bachelor of Music in Composition.

Melissa D. Ferguson is from the studio of Dana Wilson.

Ford Hall Auditorium
Saturday, March 22, 1997
4:00 p.m.