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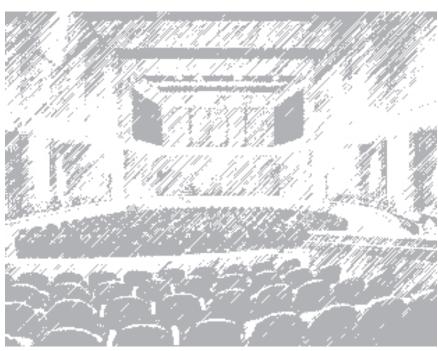


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Senior Recital

Thomas Kieffer, alto saxophone

Tyler Elvidge, trumpet



Saturday, November 22, 2014 4:00 p.m. Music Building Recital Hall Forty-second Concert of the 2014-15 Concert Season

program

FISHER TULL (1934-1994)

Sarbande and Gigue

- I. Sarbande
- II. Gigue

Thomas Kieffer, alto saxophone Judy Cole, piano

JEAN PENNEQUIN (1834-1917)

Morceau de Concert

Tyler Elvidge, trumpet Judy Cole, piano

ROBERT MUCZYNSKI (1920-2010)

Sonata

- I. Andante Maestroso
- II. Allegro Energico

Thomas Kieffer, alto saxophone Judy Cole, piano

PHILIP SPARKE (1951)

Song and Dance

Tyler Elvidge, trumpet Judy Cole, piano

Intermission

OTTO KETTING (1935-2012)

Intrada

Tyler Elvidge, trumpet

FRANK CHURCHILL (1901-1942) Someday My Prince Will Come

Thomas Kieffer, alto saxophone Katie Riess, trombone Brian Reid, piano Brandon Boone, drum set Matthew Richards, bass

DAVID RASKIN (1912-2004)

Laura

Thomas Kieffer, alto saxophone Katie Riess, trombone Brian Reid, piano Brandon Boone, drum set Matthew Richards, bass

FRANK LOESSER (1910-1969)

If I Were A Bell

Thomas Kieffer, alto saxophone Katie Riess, trombone Brian Reid, piano Brandon Boone, drum set Matthew Richards, bass

PAUL MCCARTNEY (b. 1942) JOHN LENNON (1940-1980) arr. Rob Willis (1931)

Yesterday

PARLIAMENT BRASS
Tyler Elvidge, trumpet
Brandon Austin, trumpet
Dave Anders, horn
Mike DeSousa, trombone
Kadeem Chambers, tuba

program notes

Sarbande and Gigue | Fisher Tull

Tull was born in Waco, Texas, where he attended public schools. He eventually earned three degrees from the University of North Texas: a B.M. in Music Education (1956), a M.M. in Music Theory (1957), and a Ph.D. in Music Composition (1965). He studied trumpet with John Haynie and composition with Samuel Adler. While an undergraduate, he played trumpet in and arranged for various jazz and dance bands, including the University of North Texas Lab Bands.

Morceau de Concert I J. G Pennequin

J. G Pennequin, also known as Jules Charles Pennequin, was born in Belgium 1864 and died in France 1914. He was a violinist and composer. In his publications his name is given as J. G. Pennequin after an error by the music publisher Enoch. His methods for the violin were immediately approved and adopted by the principal conservatories.

Sonata | Robert Muczynski

Muczynski was an American composer born in Chicago. Muczynski studied piano with Walter Knupfer and composition with Alexander Tcherepnin at DePaul University in Chicago, where he received the Bachelor of Music degree (1950) and the Master of Music degree (1952). Both degrees were in Piano Performance. Muczynski later taught at DePaul University (Chicago), Loras College (Dubuque, Iowa), and Roosevelt University (Chicago), before settling in Tucson in the 1960s where he joined the faculty of the University of Arizona as composer-in-residence and chairman of the composition department; he held both positions until his retirement in 1988.

Song and Dance | Philip Sparke

Philip Sparke was born in London and studied composition, trumpet and piano at the Royal College of Music. Noted for his concert band and brass band music in May 2000, he took the major step of becoming a full-time composer by founding his own publishing company, Anglo Music Press. The company is devoted to publishing his brass band, concert band, fanfare band and instrumental publications as well as recordings dedicated to his latest works.

Intrada | Otto Ketting

The son of a composer, Ketting studied trumpet at the Royal Conservatory in The Hague and composition with his father. He played trumpet in the Hague Residentie-Orkest for seven years, before quitting for further composition study with Karl Amadeus Hartmann in Munich. Writing from a modernist perspective that

takes in tonality and atonality equally, Ketting has created works in most genres of classical music, from symphonies to solo piano works, including a number of film scores.

Someday My Prince Will Come | Frank Churchill

Churchill was an American film composer. After dropping out of UCLA he became an accompanist at the Los Angeles radio station KNX in 1924. In 1930, he joined Disney Studios and scored for many animated shorts. In 1937, he was chosen to score Disney's first full-length animated feature, *Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs*. After the success of his first movie he helped develop and co-write *Dumbo*, *Bambi* and *The Adventures of Ichabod* and *Mr. Toad*.

Laura | David Raskin

Raskin was an American composer who was renowned for his work in film and television. Raskin went to study composition with Harl McDonald at the University of Pennsylvania and later with Isadore Freed in New York and Arnold Schoenberg in Los Angeles. One of Raskin's first assignments was as assistant to Charlie Chaplin in the composition of the score to *Modern Times* (1936).

If I Were A Bell | Frank Loesser

Frank Henry Loesser was an American songwriter who wrote the lyrics and music to the Broadway hits *Guys and Dolls* and *How To Succeed In Business Without Really Trying*, among others. He won separate Tony Awards for the music and lyrics in both shows, as well as sharing the Pulitzer Prize for Drama for the latter. He also wrote numerous songs for films and Tin Pan Alley, many of which have become standards, and was nominated for five Academy Awards for best song, winning once, for "Baby, It's Cold Outside."

Yesterday | Paul McCartney and John Lennon | arr. by Rob Willis

Robert Willis was born in Bremerton, Washington in 1931. He began his career as a performing musician in Los Angeles after his military discharge in 1954. He performed with the Claude Gordon and Charlie Barnet orchestras and arranged for a variety of professional groups. Mr. Willis received his bachelor's degree from New Mexico State University and his Master of Music from the University of Arizona. He has taught in the public schools of Arizona and Texas and at Northwestern State University of Louisiana and Mississippi College. He has accomplished further graduate studies at the University of North Texas. His compositions that have been performed at major universities include a string trio; a brass quintet; a work for contralto, percussion, strings and winds; a lament for baritone, choir and organ; a published trombone quartet; plus a variety of transcriptions. His composition teachers include Barney Childs, Robert McBride, William Latham and Martin Mailman. Now semi-retired, Mr. Willis spends time composing, teaching saxophone and clarinet, and pursuing his love of golf.

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Brass and Percussion

Doug Lindsey, Trumpet, Chamber Music Mike Tiscione, Trumpet Jason Eklund, Horn Thomas Witte, Horn Tom Gibson, Trombone Brian Hecht, Bass Trombone Bernard Flythe, Tuba/Euphonium John Lawless. Percussion

Strings

Helen Kim, Violin Kenn Wagner, Violin Catherine Lynn, Viola Allyson Fleck, Viola, Chamber Music Charae Krueger, Cello James Barket, Double Bass Joseph McFadden, Double Bass Elisabeth Remy Johnson, Harp Mary Akerman, Classical Guitar

Voice

Jessica Jones Adam Kirkpatrick Eileen Moremen Oral Moses Leah Partridge Valerie Walters Jana Young

Piano

Judith Cole, Collaborative Piano & Musical Theatre Julie Coucheron Robert Henry John Marsh, Class Piano David Watkins Soohyun Yun

Jazz

Justin Chesarek, Jazz Percussion Wes Funderburk, Jazz Trombone, Jazz Ensembles Tyrone Jackson, Jazz Piano Marc Miller, Jazz Bass Sam Skelton, Jazz Ensembles Lester Walker, Jazz Trumpet Trey Wright, Jazz Guitar, Jazz Combos

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Faculty Jazz Parliament
Georgia Youth Symphony Orchestra
and Chorus
KSU Faculty Chamber Players
KSU Faculty String Trio
KSU Community and Alumni Choir

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upcoming events

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Tuesday, December 2

Thursday, January 8 Von Grey with KSU Orchestra Faculty Jazz Parliament

Thursday, December 4 Choral Holiday Concert

Monday, January 12 Helen Kim, violin with Sakiko Ohashi, piano

Monday, December 8 **Percussion Ensemble**

Tuesday, January 13

Faculty Recital: David Watkins, piano

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