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Syracuse University Opera Theater Presents "An American Triptych: Three Contemporary One-Act Operas"

Opera Workshop, Setnor School of Music

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SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY OPERA THEATER

presents

AN AMERICAN TRIPTYCH

Three contemporary one-act operas

Setnor Auditorium

January 27-28, 2017 8:00PM

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“An American Triptych”

Three contemporary one-act operas

Produced and directed by Eric Johnson
Musical direction by Kathleen Haddock
Matthew Gartshore, rehearsal pianist

Lucy (2009)

Music and libretto by Tom Cipullo* (b. 1956)

Lucy
Young Man

Jing Liu
Jacob Goz

Thyrsis and Amaranth (2010)

Pastorale on a fable by Jean de la Fontaine
Words and music by Steven Serpa

Thyrsis
Amaranth

Sean Jordan
Kamala Sloss

Speed Dating Tonight (2013)

Comic opera in one act

Conceived by Dean Anthony
Words and Music by Michael Ching*(b. 1958)

Bartender
Waitress
Busgirl
Coordinator
Dater #1
OSD
Lives at Home
Lurking
Triathlon Dan
Cat Lady
Talkative
Panic Attack
Combat Photographer
Car Man
Aaron
Billie

Jacob O’Shea
Heidi Synn
Lena Wu
Kamala Sloss
Katherine Skafidas
Kyle Seniw
Julia Clifford
Kaylynn Mele
Daniel Fields
Rheanna Zotto
Kirstin Ariel
Robert Dunlap
Gabriel Milluzzo
Jonathan Howell
Jacob Goz
Brianna Lombino

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