



Western Music

Don Wright Faculty of Music

STUDENT RECITAL

Friday, April 7, 2017
8 p.m., von Kuster Hall
Chad Louwerse, *Bass-Baritone*
Melanie Cancade, *piano*

Ich habe genug BWV 82

Aria – Ich habe genug

Recitative – Ich habe genug, mein Trost is nur allein

Aria – Schlummert ein

Recitative – Mein Gott! Wann kommt das schöne Nun!

Aria – Ich freue mich auf meinen Tod

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685-1750)

Joel Heinbuch, *oboe*
Anita Louwerse, *violin I*
Nick Carlucci, *violin II*
Jeff Komar, *viola*
Patrick Theriault, *cello*
Melanie Cancade, *harpsichord*

Vier ernste Gesänge op. 121

Denn es gehet dem Menschen

Ich wandte mich, und sahe an alle

O Tod, o Tod, wie bitter bist du

Wenn ich mit Menschen-und mit Engelszungen redete

Johannes Brahms
(1833-1879)

Four Next-To-Last Songs S. Ω -1

Das kleines Birdie

Der Cowboykönig

Gretchen am Spincycle

Es war ein dark und shtormy Nacht

PDQ Bach
(1807-1742)
Peter Schickele (1935-)

*This recital is presented in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the
Doctor of Musical Arts degree.*

Canadian Bass-Baritone Chad Louwerse made his European debut as Bernadino in Berlioz' *Benvenuto Cellini* with l'Opéra National du Rhin in Strasbourg, France. In Canada he has been engaged by Pacific Opera Victoria, Vancouver Opera, Edmonton Opera, and l'Opéra de Montréal, among others. He was singled out for his portrayal of Sirocco in Chabrier's *L'Étoile* by Claude Gingras of La Presse who wrote, "for pure comedy, first distinction goes to Chad Louwerse."

An active oratorio singer and recitalist, Mr. Louwerse's concert repertoire includes Handel's *Messiah*, the Bach *Mass in B-minor*, the Brahms and Mozart *Requiem* and Mendelssohn's *Elijah*. He is a winner of both the CBC Westcoast Performance Pacific Spotlight competition and the Début competition and has given recitals broadcast on CBC Radio Two. Alongside his performance career he is pursuing a Doctor of Musical Arts degree at Western University where he studies with acclaimed Canadian Baritone Ted Baerg.