Senior Recital

Katherine Johnston, clarinet

Judy Cole, piano

Saturday, November 2, 2013
7:00 p.m
Music Building Recital Hall

Twenty-eighth Concert of the 2013-14 Concert Season
ROBERT SCHUMANN (1810-1856)
Fantasiestücke
   I. Zart und mit Ausdruck
   II. Lebhaft, leicht
   III. Rasch und mit Feurer

WOLFGANG MOZART (1756-1791)
Clarinet Concerto in A Major
   I. Allegro

JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH (1685-1750)
Cello suite No. 1
   V. Minuets
   II. Courante

G. PH. TELEMANN (1681-1767)
trans. by Eric Simon
Concerto for 4 Clarinets in E flat Major
   I. Largo
   II. Allegro
   III. Adagio
   IV. Vivace

Katie Cook, clarinet
Jonathan Itkin, clarinet
Chris Malloy, clarinet

This recital is presented in partial fulfillment of requirements for the degree Bachelor of Music in Music Education.
Ms. Johnston studies clarinet with John Warren.
Fantasiestücke ("Fantasy Dances")
ROBERT SCHUMANN
(1810-1856)

Robert Schumann composed Fantasiestücke for clarinet and piano in 1849. He finished the composition in just two days. Though the piece is intended to be played on clarinet, Schumann specified that the clarinet part could be performed on cello as well. The original title of the piece was “Night Pieces,” but Schumann changed his mind right before publishing.

Clarinet Concerto in A Major
WOLFGANG AMADEUS MOZART
(1756-1791)

Mozart’s clarinet concerto premiered on October 16, 1971 in Prague. This concerto is one of his final works and his last instrumental work. Mozart originally wrote the concerto for basset clarinet, a rare instrument even during his time. Since the basset clarinet is such an infrequent instrument, the piece was transcribed for A clarinet after his death. One of the most famous clarinet concertos in the world, the solo exposition is found on almost all professional orchestra audition requirement lists.

Cello Suite No. 1 in G Major
JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH
(1685-1750)

Bach’s first cello suite in G Major is one of his most famous works. Written between 1717 and 1723, Suite No. 1 is the first in a collection of 6 unaccompanied suites for cello. Before the early 1900’s this collection of suites was relatively unpopular and was initially thought to be a series of etude studies. The Suites have been transcribed for multiple instruments including violin, viola, piano, marimba, horn, saxophone, bassoon, trumpet, trombone and tuba.

Concerto for 4 Clarinets in E flat Major
GEORGE PHILIP TELEMANN
(1681-1767)
trans. by Eric Simon

Although Telemann composed numerous pieces for solo instruments and orchestra, he also wrote four concertos for four violins. Recognizing how difficult it was to give four soloists enough to do in a normal concerto with orchestra, he decided to do away with the orchestra all together. With this collection of concertos Telemann perfectly blends the elegance of Baroque chamber music with the splendor of concertos with full orchestra.
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Monday, November 4
Faculty Recital: Doug Lindsey, trumpet

Tuesday, November 5
Jazz Guitar Ensemble and Jazz Combos

Wednesday, November 6
Gospel Choir

Thursday, November 7
Classical Guitar Ensemble

Saturday, November 9
Trumpet Ensemble and Trombone Choir

Monday, November 11
Jazz Combos

Tuesday, November 12
Wind Ensemble

Thursday, November 14
Civil War Piano Performance

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