PLU Honor Orchestra for Strings

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Pacific Lutheran University
School of Arts and Communication / Department of Music presents

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Use of cameras, recording equipment and all digital devices is not permitted in the concert hall.

PROGRAM

Variations on a Theme by Girolamo Frescobaldi .......................................................... Alexandre Tansman (1897-1986)

Prayer of St. Gregory ..................................................................................................... Alan Hovhaness (1911-2000)

Devin Morris, trumpet
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“Preludio” from Suite for Solo Cello ................................................................. Gaspar Cassado (1897-1966)

Richard Treat, cello

Chahagir ..................................................................................................................... Alan Hovhaness

Betty Agent, viola

Jerusalem Ridge ........................................................................................................... Bill Monroe (1911-1996)

Mary Manning and Gwendolyn Taylor, violins

arr. Mark O’Connor

Irish Tine from County Derry .................................................................................. Percy Aldridge Grainger (1882-1961)

“Hoe Down” from Rodeo ......................................................................................... Aaron Copland (1900-1990)

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About the Guest Clinician and Conductor

Robert Gillespie, violinist and professor of music, is Chair of Music Education at Ohio State University where he is responsible for string teacher training. Ohio State has one of the largest and most extensive string pedagogy degree programs in the nation. Under Dr. Gillespie’s leadership, Ohio State University received the 2015 Institutional String Education Award as the premier string education university in the country. Dr. Gillespie is a past national President of the American String Teachers Association. He is a frequent guest conductor of All-State, region, and festival orchestras.

Dr. Gillespie has appeared in 47 states, Canada, Asia, and throughout Europe. He is co-author of the Hal Leonard string method book series, Essential Elements for Strings, the leading string instrument teaching series in the country with sales of over nine million copies. Also he is co-author of the college text Strategies for Teaching Strings: Building A Successful School Orchestra Program, the String Clinics to Go DVD series, and the Teaching Music Through Performance in Orchestra texts for GIA publications. He received the Distinguished Scholar award for 2002-2003 in the School of Music at Ohio State University.

In summers, Gillespie directs the OSU String Teacher Workshop, the largest string/orchestra teacher-training workshop in the country. In Columbus, he conducts the Columbus Symphony Chamber Strings Youth Orchestra. He is a performing violinist in the Pro Musica Chamber Orchestra. During the 2017-2018 academic year, Gillespie gave string pedagogy and research presentations, and conducted orchestra performances in Ohio, Maine, Louisiana, Virginia, Georgia, Maryland, Alabama, Missouri, Wyoming, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Florida, and Oregon. In the 2018-2019 he once again will be working with students and teachers throughout the United States, including a weeklong professional residency in Switzerland. In addition, he will be conducting concerts in LA’s Walt Disney Concert Hall and Chicago’s Orchestra Hall.

About the Soloist

Devin Morris is a senior music education student at Pacific Lutheran University. He has performed with the PLU Symphony Orchestra, the PLU Wind Ensemble, and the University Jazz Band. Mr. Morris is a student of Dr. Zachary Lyman.

About the PLU Music Department

The Department of Music at Pacific Lutheran University is a nationally recognized center for musical learning, serving, and sharing. The Mary Baker Russell Music Center, with its exquisite Lagerquist Concert Hall and state-of-the-art rehearsal and learning facilities, brings together talented, cohesive faculty, outstanding students, and enthusiastic audiences to experience the art and industry of music. Every student at PLU who wishes to participate in exciting activities can be accommodated regardless of major. Degree programs include Bachelor of Arts (music and liberal arts), Bachelor of Musical Arts (music combined with an outside field), and Bachelor of Music (in performance or composition). The Bachelor of Music Education is offered for those intending to become music teachers in the public schools. For additional information, please call (253) 535-7602 or e-mail: music@plu.edu.

The PLU Orchestras (the University Symphony Orchestra and KammerMusikeren, a chamber orchestra) provide a valuable training ground for orchestral musicians, preparing students for all aspects of orchestral performance. Through more than a dozen performances each season, they help celebrate important campus events, preserve and perpetuate the rich cultural tradition of our university and region, and enliven the campus-wide pursuit of the larger questions that face our students and members of our community. For more information about orchestral and string study at PLU, visit these web sites: www.plu.edu/symphony, www.plu.edu/strings, and follow the PLU Orchestras at facebook.com.
### PLU Honor Orchestra 2019

**Members (listed alphabetically in sections)**

#### Violin I
- Charissa Body
  - Graham Kapowsin High School
- Gabriel Casey-Aquino
  - Tacoma School of the Arts
- Chloe Elwell
  - Auburn Riverside High School
- Michael Gibbon
  - Henry Foss High School
- Joy Han
  - Curtis High School
- Jaylin Haskins
  - Graham Kapowsin High School
- Jared Huang
  - Edmonds-Woodway High School
- Charlotte Janeway
  - Mountlake Terrace High School
- Leelah Kim
  - River Ridge High School
- Joyce Lee
  - Curtis High School
- Ann Li
  - Capital High School
- Reed Lyon
  - Mountlake Terrace High School
- Madeline Markham
  - Curtis High School
- Emily McGovern
  - River Ridge High School
- Kat Meredith
  - Bremerton Youth Symphony
- Bethany Olson
  - Bethel High School
- Felicia Poynter
  - Rogers High School
- Samantha Schultz
  - Curtis High School
- Brennan Schwenke
  - Rogers High School
- Sophia Whitfeldt
  - Tacoma School of the Arts

#### Violin II
- Katherine Allen
  - Curtis High School
- Ezinne Anusiem
  - Rogers High School
- Jonathan Baccus
  - Bethel High School
- Emma Baird
  - Curtis High School
- Rhiannon Davies
  - Bethel High School
- Caitlin Delsett
  - Central Kitsap High School
- Kathleen Duefrane
  - Curtis High School
- Lexi Fletcher
  - Mountlake Terrace High School
- Gari Garcia
  - Curtis High School
- Erica Georgia
  - Bethel High School
- Sasha Gilster
  - Edmonds Woodway High School
- Matthew Hendry
  - Bethel High School
- Jura Johnson
  - Bremerton High School
- Minkyu Kim
  - Curtis High School
- Faye Lawson
  - Bremerton High School
- Jane Lee
  - Curtis High School
- Kyle Medard
  - River Ridge High School
- Kassidy Peter
  - Rogers High School
- Evelyn Stevens
  - Rogers High School
- Xenia Todorosco
  - Curtis High School
- Anna Tolson
  - Graham Kapowsin High School
- Alyssa Vandi
  - Graham Kapowsin High School
- Kym Wilson
  - Curtis High School
- Autumn Yi
  - Central Kitsap High School

#### Viola
- Jillian Allen
  - Bethel High School
- Fay Ballerino
  - Curtis High School
- Cindy Doan
  - North Thurston High School
- Fritz Humm
  - Central Kitsap High School
- Samantha Owings
  - Curtis High School
- Keri Panlasigui
  - Auburn Riverside High School
- Aeryn Solberg
  - Bethel High School
- Delanee Taylor
  - Curtis High School
- Michael Wahliquist
  - Bremerton High School
- Colin Watson
  - Curtis High School

#### Violoncello
- Alex Baker
  - Auburn Riverside High School
- Gwen Bayer
  - Capital High School
- James Buck
  - River Ridge High School
- Sebastian Cooke
  - Curtis High School
- Susy Hemming
  - Curtis High School
- Brooklyn Hose
  - Curtis High School
- Sabien Kinchlow-McConnaughey
  - Bethel High School
- Eugene Kwon
  - Curtis High School
- Jenna Oh
  - Curtis High School
- Thomas Ortega
  - Bethel High School
- Macey Picinich
  - Graham Kapowsin High School
- Lily Price
  - North Thurston High School
- Allejandra Pulido
  - Bremerton High School
- Marissa Robbins
  - Bethel High School

#### Contrabass
- Molly Bliss
  - Stadium High School
- Tristan Carlson
  - Bethel High School
- Alexia Castillo
  - Curtis High School
- Madeline Cline
  - Tacoma Science and Math Institute
- Jack Cotter
  - Curtis High School
- Mitchell Eastwood
  - Curtis High School
- Kennedy Fast
  - Tacoma School of the Arts
- Marie Hoffman
  - Rogers High School
- Brendon Kibler
  - Homeschool
- Brianna Mears
  - South Kitsap High School
- Stephen Norby
  - River Ridge High School
- Campian Roberts
  - Rogers High School
- Emilia Russo
  - Stadium High School
- Molly Walters
  - Central Kitsap High School
- Zoey Whitchurch
  - Central Kitsap High School

#### Nominating Teachers
- Bob Cooper
  - South Kitsap High School
- Paul Eliot
  - Tacoma School of the Arts
- Matthew Grenzner
  - Curtis High School
- Katie Hager
  - Henry Foss High School
- Anna Jensen
  - Private Studio/TYSA
- Aaron Julyan
  - Graham-Kapowsin High School
- Max Karler
  - Bremerton High School
- Brittany Newell
  - Edmonds Woodway High School
- Rebecca Pelandini
  - Bethel High School
- Nathan Rodahl
  - Rogers High School
- Eric Ryan & Todd Giltnier
  - Pay-U-Lap High School
- Jennifer Schillen
  - Mountlake Terrace High School
- Austin Schlicting
  - River Ridge High School
- Grant Sears
  - North Thurston High School
- Travis Sipher
  - Capital High School
- Matthew Underwood
  - Stadium High School
- Melinda Wharton
  - Auburn Riverside High School
- Michael Woods
  - Central Kitsap High School