Music for Life!

FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY

Music performance opportunities at Ferris State University are designed to supplement and enrich the lives of students by assisting them in making the transition from the high school musical setting to the world of adult amateur musical ensembles. FSU students can continue to develop their musical skills and be prepared for a rewarding musical "life after college" by participating in Ferris' musical ensembles that include both university students and members of the community – the format of the majority of community ensembles throughout the country. In this way, we aspire to *inspire* all FSU students to continue to enrich their lives and the lives of others as active performers of music – for life! Please Contact the FSU Music Center at (231) 591-2501 for more information.

The FSU West Central Chamber Orchestra

Currently celebrating its 42nd concert season, the FSU West Central Chamber Orchestra ("WCCO") is sponsored by Ferris State University as part of its *Music for Life!* initiative. It is comprised of Ferris State University students, adult community members, and select students from throughout West Central Michigan. Ferris students can earn credit and scholarships for their participation in the WCCO by enrolling in Music 271. Adult community members and qualified pre-university students recommended by their directors may participate free of charge. This string orchestra rehearses every Tuesday evening throughout the school year from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. at the Music Center on FSU's main campus in Big Rapids. We invite all experienced players of string instruments to join the orchestra. Please contact director Scott Cohen at (231) 591-2484 or rscohen@ferris.edu to get signed up!

Richard Scott Cohen, Musical Director

Scott Cohen is Associate Professor and Director of Concert Instrumental Ensembles at Ferris State University. He is director of the FSU West Central Concert Band, the FSU Symphony Band, the FSU Community Summer Band, and the FSU West Central Chamber Orchestra, and he teaches classes in music appreciation. A native of Chicago, Cohen is a Phi Beta Kappa scholar from the University of Illinois, holds masters and doctorate degrees in conducting from Northwestern University, and is a former Fulbright Scholar to Spain. He is active as a conductor, trombonist, composer, arranger, music adjudicator, clinician, researcher, author and lecturer throughout the United States, Canada and Europe.

Upcoming Music Center Concerts at FSU

DECEMBER 4 (TH)HOLIDAY CHOIR & JAZZ CONCERT8:00 p.m. Big Rapids High School AuditoriumFSU Choirs & Jazz Band

DECEMBER 7 (SU) 4:00 p.m. Williams Auditorium "SYMPHONIC SANTA SUNDAY" CONCERT FSU Concert Bands & Chamber Orchestra

FSU Music Website

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The FSU West Central Chamber Orchestra

4 2 nd Concert Season Dr. Richard Scott Cohen, *Musical Director*

FALL ORCHESTRA CONCERT



Sunday November 16, 2008

Program

Personnel

VIOLIN

String Quartet No. 3 in G (1966)	Sebastian H. Brown	VIOLIN		
		Susan Deksnis (2)	Visiting Professional Violinist/Teacher	Toms River, NJ
Allegro con brio		Aaron Kuhns (4)	Student: White Cloud High School	White Cloud
		Katrina Lane (2)	FSU Student: Criminal Justice	Saginaw
Adagio espressivo		Nathan Lee (3)	FSU Student: Biology Education	Wixom
Allegro		Janet Mallett (40)	Free-Lance Musician	Big Rapids
		Shannon Peters (4)	FSU Student: Forensic Biology	Greenville
		Caitlin Ringey (2)	FSU Student: Hospitality Management	Ferndale
		Amity Robinson (9)	Mom	Big Rapids
Eine Kleine "Mozartmusik"	Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)	Jaimie Spoors (5)	FSU Student: Psychology	Remus
		Ella Villa (36)	Private String Instructor	Stanwood
Allegretto: Menuetto and Trio from Quartet No. 13 in D Minor, K. 173		DeAnna Wolgast (2)	FSU Student: Medical Technology	Three Rivers
Rondo: Molto Allegro from Quartet No. 2 in D Major, K. 155		VIOLA		
		Maria Kuhns (2)	Student: White Cloud Middle School	White Cloud
		Ashley Ratcliffe (4)	FSU Student: Plastics Engineering Technology	Midland
		Benjamin Williams (1)	FSU Student: Television & Digital Media Production	White Cloud
Siciliano and Allegro	Johann E. Galliard (1687-1749)			
Siciliano	transcribed by Samuel Applebaum		CELLO	
Siemano		Shawn Andrus (1)	FSU Doctoral Student: Optometry	Rexburg, ID
Allegro		Andrika Lyons (1)	FSU Student: Journalism & Technical Writing	Muskegon
		Jean Rarig (42)	Spanish Teacher, Retired	Big Rapids

Recuerdos de la Alhambra (1896)

Francisco Tárrega (1852-1909) transcribed by Tim McCarrick

FSU Student: Forensic Biology

Mom

Mom

Laura Taylor (4)

Julie Wilson (2)

Ryan Moroney (3)

Dwayne Williams (1)

Greenville

Big Rapids

Saginaw

Stanwood

(Number in parentheses) indicates number of seasons performing with the WCCO.

BASS

FSU Student: Criminal Justice

Bold Venture (2000)

M. L. Daniels