

Interlochen, Michigan 178th Program of the 63rd Year

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## **COMPOSERS FORUM**

Saturday, March 8, 2025

7:30pm, Music Center 1010

Palmer...... Elian Rangel Scherer, Chacala, Mexico

Julian Jimenez-Pardo, bongos, San José, Costa Rica Joshuah Vogel, timbales, Prescott Valley, Ariz. Sarah Huber, maracas, Manistee, Mich. William Tao, guiro, Shanghai, China

Keith Aleo, conductor

Echoes of Distress ...... Christian Jones, Pleasanton, Calif.

William Tao, marimba Joshuah Vogel, tam tam Sarah Huber, suspended cymbal

Keith Aleo, conductor

A Slow Descent Into Madness ...... James C. Teti, Princeton, N.J.

Kalista Kaiser, flute, Peoria, Ariz. Ziyao Sun, oboe, Qingdao, China Yeasung Choi, clarinet, Auburn, Ala. Isabella Craig, horn, Henderson, Texas Wyatt Larsen, bassoon, Henderson, Nev.

Joanna Wilson, soprano, Houston, Texas Kaila Rose Gatti, mezzo-soprano, Montauk, N.Y. Callie Kleinman, viola, Santa Fe, N.M. Joseph Rodriguez, vibraphone, New Braunfels, Texas

James C. Teti, conductor

"If I Had Known"

If I had known Two years ago how drear this life should be, And crowd upon itself allstrangely sad, Mayhap another song would burst from out my lips,

Overflowing with the happiness of future hopes;

Mayhap another throb than that of joy.

Have stirred my soul into its inmost depths, If I had known. If I had known,

Two years ago the impotence of love, The vainness of a kiss, how barren a caress, Mayhap my soul to higher things have soarn, Nor clung to earthly loves and tender dreams, But ever up aloft into the blue empyrean, And there to master all the world of mind, If I had known.

Poem by Alice Moore Dunbar-Nelson

B4c0n\_\*wrapped\*\_-P1zz4 ..... Nehemiah Soullier, Kalkaska, Mich.

Nava Gold, vibes Joseph Rodriguez, floor toms, high-hat

the luminescent caverns ......Violet Purcell, Traverse City, Mich.

William Tao, vibes Joseph Rodriguez, marimba I Joshuah Vogel, marimba II Nava Gold, crotales, Carmel, Ind.

Keith Aleo, conductor

SPHERES ...... James C. Teti, Princeton, N.J.

Joshuah Vogel, bass drum Nava Gold, marimba, floor toms Sarah Huber, suspended cymbals, wood block William Tao, snare drum, tam tam

Keith Aleo, conductor

Tonight's featured composers are from the studio of Cynthia Van Maanen. Director of Percussion: Keith Aleo

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