

SCHOOL OF MUSIC

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J.T. & Margaret Talkington College of Visual & Performing Arts



B&B: BEETHOVEN & BRAHMS

University Symphony Orchestra
Lanfranco Marcelletti Jr and Gregory DiLuzio, conductors

Sunday, September 14th, 2025 | 4:00 pm Hemmle Recital Hall

PROGRAM

Leonore Overture No. 3, op. 72b (1806)

Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827)

Gregory DiLuzio, conductor

Symphony No. 1 in C minor, op. 68 (1876)

Johannes Brahms

I. Un poco sostenuto; Allegro

(1833-1897)

Reorchestration by Seolae Hwang, DMA '27

II. Andante sostenuto

III. Un poco allegretto e grazioso

IV. Adagio; Più andante; Allegro non troppo, ma con brio

Lanfranco Marcelletti Jr., conductor

PERFORMER BIOS

Lanfranco Marcelletti Jr., conductor

The Brazilian-born conductor, professor, and pianist Lanfranco Marcelletti, Jr. has been recognized by critics and audiences for his important work in music. His engagements as a conductor have brought him to most countries in Europe, North, and South America. In the opera world, he has collaborated with the Rossini Opera Festival (Pesaro, Italy), the Glimmerglass Opera Festival (Cooperstown, NY), Commonwealth Opera (Massachusetts, USA), Teatro Calderón (Valladolid, Spain), and Albany University (USA). Among his prizes, we can cite the first prize in both the II Conducting International Competition, organized by the Chilean Symphony Orchestra, and the Giovani Solisti di Roma Competition in piano. Marcelletti attended Yale University (orchestra conducting), the Hochschule für Musik und darstellende Kunst in Vienna (piano, composition), the Musik Akademie in Zurich (piano) and the Conservatório Pernambucano de Música (Recife, Brazil), where he started his music studies. He held the positions of music director of the Cayuga Chamber Orchestra (USA), and Xalapa and Aguascalientes Symphonies (Mexico). Currently, he is the Director of Orchestral Studies at the Texas Tech University School of Music and the Artistic Director of the Recife Symphony Orchestra.

Gregory DiLuzio, conductor

For several years Gregory DiLuzio was the principal conductor for Main Street Opera in Arlington Heights, IL (a Chicago suburb) where he led productions of Cavalleria Rusticana, Pagliacci, Falstaff, Lucia di Lammermoor, Suor Angelica, and Gianni Schicchi. An advocate of non-traditional performances and in an effort to reach wider audiences, he conducted a production of Le nozze di Figaro staged in an historical mansion in Chicago, and a production of Falstaff in a pub. He has performed in numerous other venues outside of the concert hall including senior living facilities, libraries, art galleries, schools, cultural centers, and public parks. He worked with Lingerie Lyrique, an opera company that fuses traditional opera with elements of burlesque and Vaudeville. More traditional opera conducting engagements include Thompson Street Opera and Third Eye Theatre Ensemble, presenting exclusively operas of living composers, and Texas Tech University, Northwestern University, and Roosevelt University. He holds degrees from the University of Massachusetts Amherst and the Chicago College of Performing Arts, and is currently a doctoral student in orchestral conducting at Texas Tech.

UNIVERSITY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Lanfranco Marcelletti Jr., conductor Gregory DiLuzio graduate assistant conductor Jedrick Itugot, graduate assistant conductor Ibis Laurel, graduate assistant conductor

VIOLIN I Cassidy Forehand Josenir Junior Yoon Seo Lee Ian Lochbaum Orion McKenzie Radman Rasti Asher Rove Guillermo Uribe Abreal Whitman* Malik Winston Camila Zanetti Luis Ziga III

VIOLIN II
Shih-Ying Chou
Jascha Gonzalez
CJ Goodyear
Trisha Hoang
Francisco Magaña
William Olufsen
Abigail Roberts
George Saenz
Christine Haruka Tao*
Erick Valle

VIOLA
Camellia Asadi*
Jarrett Berridge
Libby Herring
Nathan Moreno
Ben Newcomb
Christopher Rodriguez

CELLO Justin Barnwell Felipe Celis Seth Grayson Riley Harkins Sean Kelliher + Kelly Kuhn* Patricia Lopez Ava Melancon Libny Trujillo Em Verhagen

DOUBLE BASS Fernando Almeida* Aiden Armendariz Gregory Faught Ricardo Flores Rylan Partin Lucas Rocha George Wade

FLUTE Emily Hodge Kassie Lindamood Smith* Laisha Lozano

> OBOE Caitlyn Jones* Annant Odell+

CLARINET
Reilly Ledbetter
Aron Maczak +
McKenna Swearingen*

BASSOON Andrew Bell* Austin Perry Jacob Prentice + Sabrina Stovall, contrabassoon

HORN
Ashley Beyer
Esteban Chavez*
Caleb Dent
Quentin Fisher +
Josh Graves
Or Natan

TRUMPET Jacob Garcia + Drew Reynolds*

TROMBONE
Jacob Moore*
Alex Ortiz +
John McWilliams, bass
trombone

TIMPANI Kyle Buentello*

*Principal Beethoven +Principal Brahms









UPCOMING EVENTS

Concert and Symphonic Band

7:30 PM, Thursday, September 25 Hemmle Recital Hall

Kaleidoscope of Choirs

6:00 PM, Saturday, September 27 Hemmle Recital Hall

Eva Browning Guest Artist Series: Daniel Del Pino

4:00 PM, Sunday, September 28 Hemmle Recital Hall

Balkan Ensemble

8:00 PM, Monday, September 29 Hemmle Recital Hall

Shashank Subramanyam

Guest Artist Bansuri (Indian Bamboo Flute) Recital 8:00 PM, Thursday, October 2

Hemmle Recital Hall

Jeffrey Lastrapes Cello Faculty Recital

7:00 PM, Sunday, October 5 Hemmle Recital Hall

Historical Performance Ensemble

8:00 PM, Monday, October 6 Hemmle Recital Hall

Jackie Glazier Clarinet Guest Artist Recital

8:00 PM, Monday, October 6 Kent R. Hance Chapel

Ramzi Aburedwan and the Dal'Ouna Ensemble

6:00 PM, Thursday, October 9 Buddy Holly Hall - Crickets Theater

Jazz Orchestra and Jazz Ensemble

6:00 PM, Friday, October 10 Hemmle Recital Hall

Symphonic Wind Ensemble

4:00 PM, Sunday, October 12 Hemmle Recital Hall

Rockett Chamber Ensemble Recital

8:00 PM, Wednesday, October 15 Hemmle Recital Hall