



PITTSBURG
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Department of
Music

*Symphonic Band
and
Wind Ensemble*

Craig A. Fuchs, Conductor

Date: April 10, 2001

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Place: Memorial Auditorium

Program

Symphonic Band

<i>The Florentiner March</i> (1916)	<i>Julius Fucik</i> (1872-1916) ed. <i>John Bourgeois</i>
<i>Prospect</i> (1983)	<i>Pierre La Plante</i> (1943-)

Mr. Eric Sheffler, conductor

<i>Rejouissance</i> (1988)	<i>James Curnow</i> (1943-)
<i>Sang!</i> (1993)	<i>Dana Wilson</i> (1946-)
<i>Midway March</i> (1993)	<i>John Williams</i> arr. <i>John Moss</i>

Wind Ensemble

<i>Variations on "America"</i> (1969)	<i>Charles Ives</i> (1874-1954) trans. <i>William Schumann</i> arr. <i>William Rhoads</i>
<i>Prelude, Siciliano and Rondo</i> (1979)	<i>Malcom Arnold</i> (1921-) trans. <i>John Paynter</i>

Mr. Eric Sheffler, conductor

<i>Children's March</i> (1933)	<i>Percy Grainger</i> (1882-1961) ed. <i>Mark Rogers</i>
<i>First Suite in Eb</i> (1921)	<i>Gustav Holst</i> (1874-1934)

1. *Chaconne*
2. *Intermezzo*
3. *March*

Personnel

Symphonic Band~

Flute

Rachael Barnes
Meryl Carver
Sara Kate Creagar
Laura Gampfer
Ruth Haag
Brooke Hudson
Michele Sprague
Sarah Terrill

Oboe

Megan Potter

Bassoon

Justin Robinson

Bb Clarinet

Lindsay Carlson
Andrea Fare
Brian Harmer
Robyn Moss
Danica Robbins
Angela Robinson
Melissa Smith

Bass Clarinet

Matthew Bennett

Saxophone

Don Banta-Alto
Mike Delange-Alto
Lacey Maley-Alto
Jessica Rupp-Tenor
Kim Bohrer-Bari

French Horn

Kevin Miller
Alan Pommier

Trombone

Angela Andrew
Steve Blurton
Cassandra Lucas
Rustin McClure
Aaron Pjesky
Kevin Snyder
Lucas Warford

Euphonium

Casey Brown
JR Delaney
Ryan Johnson
Barbara Vandiver

Trumpet

Nikki Baughman
Chris Burton
Christen Callaway
Cambria DeLee
CC Gould
Mackenzie Howland
Sarah Littrell
Angela Polok
Kevin Pommier
Anne Marie Seiler
Justin Shaw
Nathaniel Smith
Jake Walsh
Jim Williams

Tuba

Sam Eubank
Del Ford
Brent Hinson
Donna Zogg

Percussion

Andy Hoffman
Sam Keyser
Howard Y.H. Lo
Jon Quincy
Angie Russell
Jeff Schmitt
Sarah Wilkins

Wind Ensemble~

Flute

Angela Anderson
Linda Evans
Jenny Marlin
Valerie O'Neal
Delissa Thompson
Christy Sauvan

Oboe

Kandace Miller
Kelsey McDaniel
Julie Osborne

Bassoon

Megan Potter
Danica Robbins
Justin Robinson

Bb Clarinet

Amanda Christen
Liz Homesley
Karla Hughes
Megan Hunt
Jennifer Littrell
Laura Stumpe

Bass Clarinet

Shelby Huddleston
Donna Zogg

French Horn

Kim Abeles
Christi Leewright
Jamie Michaelis
Kim Myers

Saxophone

Lacy Brant-Alto
Demaris Herrera-Alto
Andre Johnson-Tenor
Matthew Bennett-Bari

Trumpet

Katie Burton
Gerad Gabehart
Joel Grigsby
Adam Hoehn
Kevin Miller
Robyn Moss
Jamie Precht
Adrienne Young
Hannah Young

Trombone

Josh Dempster
Tim Dodd
Steven Frizzell
Jeremiah Nichol
Lucas Warford

Euphonium

Jason Huffman
Erin Miller

Tuba

Jeremy Albright
Casey Brown
Will Demings

String Bass

Erin Miller

Percussion

John Janssen
Brooka Medlin
Brett Rapplean
Auggie Meier
Eric Sheffler
Kenny Wiechman

Piano

Carol Hoyt

*Members of the ensembles are listed
alphabetically in order to emphasize the
importance of each member to the success of
the group.*

Biography

Dr. Craig Fuchs has served as Director of Bands and Assistant Professor of Music at Pittsburg State University since the Fall of 1998. His teaching responsibilities include directing the "Pride of the Plains" Marching Band, conducting both the Wind Ensemble and Symphonic Band, and teaching conducting, as well as other courses in the music education sequence. Dr. Fuchs holds degrees in music education from Missouri Western State College and the University of Missouri-Columbia. In May of 1999, Fuchs was awarded a Doctorate of Musical Arts in Wind Conducting from the University of Missouri-Kansas City Conservatory of Music where his primary conducting mentor was Gary Hill. Fuchs has additional instruction through workshops with Jack Stamp, H. Robert Reynolds, and Anthony Meillo. Dr. Fuchs has ten years of teaching experience in the public schools of Kansas and Missouri, most recently as Director of Bands at Shawnee Mission West High School in Overland Park, Kansas.

While at Shawnee Mission West, both the marching band and wind ensemble earned numerous honors and awards at area and regional competitions and festivals. The band twice traveled to Europe during his tenure and the wind ensemble appeared twice on the Kansas Music Educators Association Workshop program.

Since his arrival at Pittsburg State, the band program has experienced tremendous growth and improvement. The program currently enrolls approximately 120 students from various academic areas and the improved quality in all aspects of the program is widely recognized in the region.

Dr. Fuchs is active as a clinician, adjudicator and drillwriter throughout the Midwest. He has also served on international adjudication panels in both Paris, France and Maastricht, The Netherlands. Fuchs is active as a performer on trumpet in the Kansas City area where he has been a member of the T.D. Pack Band, the official band of the Kansas City Chiefs, since 1989. Dr. Fuchs holds memberships in MENC, KMEA, KBA, CBDNA, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, and is a member of the Pi Kappa Lambda Music Honor Society.

Upcoming Dates for the PSU Band Program

May 3	PSU Four State Band Festival Concert	
	Memorial Auditorium	7:00pm