

Contemporary Artist Music Series Schedule of Events

Only **1** performance left!



Dakota Blonde

Thursday, April 18, 7:30 p.m.

Organ Recital Hall, UCA

Dakota Blonde is an acoustic trio that blends heart, humor, authenticity, and spirit into their sound. Michael Johnson, international artist/songwriter, describes them as “Soulful, delicate, powerful and insightful...all that and more.” Become a Blonde-head!

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Branden Sipes



Wednesday, April 3

7:30 p.m.

Organ Recital Hall, UCA

Sponsored by Bohemian Foundation

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The Bohemian Contemporary Artist Series created to expose our students to different models of success in the music world, to celebrate CSU alumni who have had success in the contemporary music industry, and to help bridge the gap between Classical and Contemporary music for audience members. The opportunity to hear Contemporary music in traditional Classical performance venues will be fascinating.

- Todd Queen, Chair, Department of Music, Theatre and Dance

This series is an exciting way to feature local musicians and CSU alumni in an intimate setting. In furtherance of Bohemian Foundation's music mission, we support this series as a means of increasing the amount of live contemporary music performances in Fort Collins and encouraging audience and community support of local musicians.

- Kristen Karabensh, Director of Music Programs, Bohemian Foundation

Artist Bio: Branden Sipes '06



CSU alum Branden Sipes is an engaging solo performer, performing acoustic originals combining rock, pop, and folk influences. His catchy and finely crafted lyrics describe universal life experiences with a clever ease and intricate guitar work is a well suited accompaniment to his intimate vocals. "Hailing from a state that is well known

for its independent acoustic music, Colorado-based artist Branden Sipes produces high quality folk/rock that is driven with his unique voice and acoustic guitar." The Indie Music Review.

For more information on Branden, visit brandensipes.com.

About the University Center for the Arts

The University Center for the Arts at Colorado State University provides an enriched venue in which the study and practice of Music, Theatre, Dance, and Art are nurtured and sustained by building the skills and knowledge needed by future generations of arts professionals to become contributors to the essential vitality of our culture and society. With thousands of community members, family, and friends walking through our doors this year, we have engaged students and alumni, created new programs, grown existing ones, and are poised to continue growth and excellence.



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About Bohemian Foundation



Bohemian Foundation is an organization that embodies the values of its founder and her family legacy. They work hard in the conviction that their best efforts will make a difference; they lead by example and enjoy their collaborations in their continuing commitment to create a proactive community, which sets a standard for others to follow. They embrace music as a powerful force in both the vibrancy of our community and the individual lives of our citizens. The Bohemian Foundation plays an active role in providing opportunities for music expression, inspiration and participation.

To learn more about Bohemian Foundation, please visit their website at BohemianFoundation.org.